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Hon. R. A. Doughton of Alleghany is called to the chair.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Moment of Raleigh.

A call of the counties being made, the following members-elect appear and are duly qualified by the Hon. Walter Clark, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina:

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The roll of members being called, the Clerk announces that every member is present and, having subscribed to the prescribed oath, the first order of business is the election of a Speaker, and announces that nominations are in order.

Mr. Dowd nominates Honorable E. J. Justice.
Mr. Manning seconds the nomination of Mr. Justice.
Mr. Grant places in nomination Mr. Moses N. Harshaw of Caldwell.
Mr. Rector seconds the nomination of Mr. Harshaw.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote for Mr. Justice:


Those voting for Mr. Harshaw are:

Messrs. Albright, Baley, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Farthing, Gibbs, Grant, Hanes, Helsebeck, Kennedy, Morgan, Owen, Pickett, Rector, Rose, Taylor of Brunswick—21.

Mr. Justice, having received a majority of the votes cast, is declared by the Clerk duly elected as Speaker of the House of Representatives.
The chair appoints Messrs. Dowd and Harshaw to escort the Speaker to the chair.

Mr. Justice, after taking his oath of office before Chief Justice Walter Clark, assumes the duties of the chair, and delivers his address.

After his address the Speaker announces that the next order of business is the election of a Principal Clerk, and declares that nominations are in order.

Mr. Winborne nominates Mr. Frank D. Hackett of Wilkes.

Mr. Williams seconds his nomination.

The roll being called, the following gentlemen vote for Mr. Hackett:


Mr. Hackett, having received all the votes cast, is declared elected Principal Clerk and takes his oath of office.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the House takes a recess until 4 o'clock P. M.

**Afternoon Session.**

The House meets pursuant to recess at 4 o'clock P. M., and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

The Speaker announces that nominations are in order for the office of Reading Clerk.

Mr. Douglass nominates Mr. F. B. Arendell.

Mr. Morton seconds his nomination.

The roll being called, the following gentlemen vote for Mr. Arendell:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Buchan, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Tran-

Mr. Arendell, having received all of the votes cast, is declared duly elected Reading Clerk and takes his oath of office.

Nominations for Door-keeper being in order, Mr. Harris nominates Mr. John A. Lisk, and Mr. Bruton seconds his nomination.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote for Mr. Lisk:

Mr. Lisk, having received all of the votes cast, is declared duly elected to the office of Door-keeper and takes his oath of office.

Nominations for Assistant Door-keeper being in order, Mr. Neal nominates Mr. David H. James, which is seconded by Mr. Laughinghouse.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote for Mr. James:
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Mr. James, having received all of the votes cast, is declared duly elected Assistant Door-keeper.

Nominations for Engrossing Clerk being in order, Mr. Gallert nominates Mr. M. D. Kinsland, and the same is seconded by Mr. Dowd.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote for Mr. Kinsland:


Mr. Kinsland, having received all of the votes cast, is declared duly elected Engrossing Clerk and takes his oath of office.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House that that honorable body is duly organized with the following officers, to-wit:

President—Lieutenant-Governor Francis D. Winston.

Principal Clerk—A. J. Maxwell.

Reading Clerk—Robert W. Ballou.

Engrossing Clerk—Charles Strayhorn.

Door-keeper—L. B. Pegram.

Assistant Door-keeper—R. M. Staley.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Morton, H. R. 1, resolution to notify the Senate of organization of House. The resolution is adopted, and a message is sent in accordance therewith.
By Mr. Doughton, H. R. 2, resolution to appoint a committee to wait on his Excellency, the Governor.

*On motion the resolution is adopted, and the Speaker appoints Messrs. Doughton, Dowd, Gordon, Stickley and Carter as a committee on the part of the House to notify his Excellency, the Governor, and a message is sent to the Senate informing that body of the appointment of the committee on the part of the House.*

By Mr. Williams, H. R. 3, joint resolution concerning the investigation of railroads and other public service corporations.

Placed on the Calendar, and, on motion of Mr. Winborne, is made the special order for Saturday next at 12 o'clock.

By Mr. Winborne, H. R. 4, a joint resolution to pay Capt. John H. Kerr, Door-keeper for session 1905, for assisting in organizing the House.

Placed on the Calendar, and, on motion of Mr. Winborne, is put upon its immediate passage and passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Morton, H. R. 5, resolution to amend the House rules.

Referred to the Committee on Rules.

On motion of Mr. Morton, the rules of the last House are adopted until changed by the present House.

By Mr. Doughton, H. R. 6, joint resolution as to Governor's message.

Placed on the Calendar.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House that Senators Graham and Lovill are appointed a committee on the part of the Senate to act with a similar committee on the part of the House to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the General Assembly is organized and ready to receive any communications he may see fit to submit.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, the Governor, informing the General Assembly that his message will be ready to send on Thursday morning, and asking that "If consistent with the idea of propriety of the General Assembly, that a joint session be held in the hall of the House of Representatives on to-morrow morning at an hour expedient, that he may appear in person and read his said message." The said message is ordered spread upon the Journal.

January 9, 1907.

To the Honorable the General Assembly of North Carolina:

Your committee has notified me that you have organized and are prepared to proceed with business. My message will be ready to send to you Thursday morning, and if consistent with your idea of propriety, I will ask that you meet in joint session in the hall of the
House of Representatives to-morrow morning at an hour fixed by you, that I may in person read my message to your honorable body, as there are some things contained therein that I desire especially to emphasize.

This was an old custom and I think a good one, and a personal meeting with you will be appreciated by me.

Very respectfully,

R. B. Glenn,
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bill, which is read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. R. 2, H. R. 7, resolution for joint session.
Placed on the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. R. 6, joint resolution as to Governor's message.
Mr. Parsons offers an amendment to the resolution.
On motion of Mr. Manning, H. R. 7, S. R. 2, joint resolution for joint session is adopted as a substitute for H. R. 6, joint resolution as to Governor's message, which is laid on the table, and the substitute passes its several readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
On motion of Mr. McRae, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

SECOND DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

January 10, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Poole of Raleigh.
The Journal of yesterday is read, corrected and approved.
Pursuant to a joint resolution, the Speaker appoints the following members as a committee to act with a similar committee on the part of the Senate to wait upon and with the Governor of the State, to deliver his message to the General Assembly in person:
Messrs. Hankins, Yount and McRacken.
The following message from his Excellency, the Governor, is sent to the House and ordered spread upon the Journal:

January 10, 1907.

To the Honorable the General Assembly of North Carolina:

I herewith transmit to you as required by law my biennial message, and beg to thank you for the courtesy extended in allowing me to read it in person before you in joint session.

Very respectfully,

R. B. Glenn,
Governor.

Mr. Morton is allowed to file the following protest:

In accordance with my constitutional rights, I hereby protest against the Chief Executive of the State, being permitted to read his message to the General Assembly.

My reasons are that it is a violation of the Constitution in that it fails to keep separate and distinct the Executive and the Legislative Departments and also that no one but members or clerks of the General Assembly have a right to read or speak on the floor during the official sessions.

Geo. L. Morton.

A message is received from the office of the Adjutant-General transmitting his report which is read and ordered filed with the Clerk.

Joint Session.

In accordance with S. R. 2, H. R. 7, joint resolution for joint session, a message is received from the Senate informing the House that at the hour of 11:35 A. M., the Senate will proceed to the House of Representatives for the purpose of hearing his Excellency, Governor R. B. Glenn, deliver his biennial message to the General Assembly.

At 11:30 o'clock A. M., the Door-keeper of the House announces the approach of the Senate, and that body, preceded by its officers, enters the House and is received by the members of the House standing, the Senators are assigned seats, and the President of the Senate, Lieutenant-Governor Winston, takes his seat on the right of Mr. Speaker Justice, as the presiding officer of the joint assembly.

The Door-keeper announces that the joint committee on the part of the Senate and House to escort the Governor to the hall, are approaching with his Excellency, the Governor. The presiding officer of the joint session announces that his Excellency, the Governor, approaches, and the joint session receives his Excellency standing.

His Excellency is escorted to the Speaker's stand by the joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives and is intro-
duced to the General Assembly by Lieutenant-Governor Winston, President of the Senate. His Excellency thanks the General Assembly for its courtesy and proceeds to deliver his biennial message to the two houses of the General Assembly in joint session. At the close of his Excellency's address, on motion of the Senator from Gaston, the joint assembly adjourns and the Senate returns to its chamber.

The House resumes its session and proceeds with the business coming before it.

The Speaker announces the appointment of the Committee on Rules as follows:

Messrs. Dowd, Winborne and Royster.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 1, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John D. A. Fisher, C. E. Fesperman, D. M. Roseboro and J. C. Barnhardt justices of the peace for Rowan County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce passenger fares on railroads in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Railroads and Corporation Commission.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 10, a bill to be entitled an act to construe certain penal statutes and to declare where the burden of proof is under said statutes.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the dogs of Franklin County their ancient immunity from taxation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to allow jurors to be drawn from other counties in certain cases.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary.

H. B. 13, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina so that in cases of rape and assault with intent to commit rape it will not be necessary for the woman assaulted to testify in public.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to require all parties employed to promote or oppose legislation to register.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care of the mental defects of the State.

Referred to Committee on Insane Asylums.

H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to make a married woman

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who engages in business with the knowledge of her husband, responsible for her debts contracted in the course of such business.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 958 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled an act to make the prosecution bond in civil actions responsible for all costs which may be awarded against the plaintiff.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 983 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Owen, H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the roads of Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to make indictable an assault upon an innocent woman with intent to have carnal knowledge of her.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to jurors.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county of Durham to issue bonds for public road improvement.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the School Committee of the city of Durham by the qualified voters.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Board of Education of Durham County by the qualified voters.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the act requiring four days' labor upon the public roads of Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to compel telephone companies to maintain joint receiving and transmitting stations.

Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Corporation Commission.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 28, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1, Private Laws, Session of 1897, relative to Cabarrus Savings Bank.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the sale of soft drinks.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 49, sections 2069, 2071, and 2074 of the Revisal of 1905.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in this State and to punish fraud committed thereat.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the running of automobiles and other vehicles in Wake County.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Johnson of Johnston, H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled an act restoring to the people of Johnston County the right to manufacture and sell wine and cider.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. London, H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal of 1905.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Candler, H. B. 35, a bill to correct the calls in State Grant No. 1278, in Macon County, now Jackson County, issued to William J. Stewart, assignee.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Coleman, H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal an act establishing stock laws in part of Clay County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. White, H. B. 37, a bill to incorporate the Roxboro Real Estate and Trust Company.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Blount rises to a question of personal privilege and asks that Rule 13 of the House be enforced or repealed, and it is ordered by the Speaker that the Sergeant-at-Arms enforce this Rule and also Rule 11.

Leave of absence is granted to Messrs. Watts, Hankins and Parker.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. R. 11, H. R. 38, resolution to print Governor's message.
Placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the resolution is placed on its immediate passage and passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. R. 1, H. R. 4, resolution to pay John H. Kerr, Doorkeeper of Session of 1905, for assisting in organizing the House, with an amendment by the Senate.
Placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House fails to concur with the Senate amendment.
On motion of Mr. Doughton, the Speaker appoints Messrs. Doughton, Kitchin and Avery as a committee on the part of the House to meet with a like committee of the Senate, to the end that the matters of difference in regard to the resolution may be adjusted, and a message is ordered sent to the Senate notifying that body of the non-concurrence of the House, and the appointment of the committee of conference.

On motion of Mr. Harris, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

THIRD DAY.

House of Representatives,

January 11, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Tyree, of Raleigh.

On motion of Mr. Turlington, the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with and stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Albright, until Tuesday; Parsons, until Monday, and Mr. McDaniel.

The Speaker announces that the following resolution has been properly enrolled and is duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. R. 7, S. R. 2, resolution for joint session of the General Assembly to hear the Governor's Message.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Dowd, H. R. 39, report of Committee on Rules.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morton, H. R. 40, resolution to print the Journal.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNeill, H. R. 41, resolution in regard to heating and ventilating the Capitol.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 2634, requiring common carriers to tender payment within the time specified in said section, and requiring payment of cost when claim is made after action brought, but before trial.

Referred to Committee on the Regulation of Public Service Corporations.
By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Swain County to make disposition of the convict force of said county.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 44, a bill to be entitled an act to modify section 1884 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the killing of quail and partridges in the county of Swain.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 45, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Swain County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subchapter "V" of chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2748, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to and regulating the salary of the State Librarian.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Farthing, H. B. 48, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the cause of education in Watauga County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Gillam, H. R. 49, a bill to be entitled an act conferring on all courts of the Superior Court of Bertie County, jurisdiction to try both criminal and civil causes.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the trial judge in the trial of cases for rape and of assault with intent to commit rape, to exclude from the court rooms all persons except the court officers, the defendant and those engaged in the trial of the case, during the taking of the evidence of the prosecutrix.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 51, an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of Cumberland Savings and Trust Company, of Fayetteville, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 52, an act to be entitled an act to punish for simple assault when the charge is assault with intent to rape.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bryant, H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 370 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1905, being entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Roaring River," in Wilkes County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Cowles, H. B. 54, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the cause of education in Wilkes County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal
chapter 151 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to impounding hogs in Tyrrell County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Price, of Union, H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Union County to remain in special session three days.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3331 of the Revisal of 1905, and to require the Commissioner of Agriculture and the members of the Board of Agriculture to be practical farmers engaged in their profession.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 58, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of prisoners awaiting trial.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 59, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the holding of courts in Craven County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 465, Public Laws of 1905, to prevent the manufacture and sale of wine in the town of Littleton, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on the Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 61, a bill to be entitled an act to provide storm doors at the entrance of the Hall of the House of Representatives.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 62, an act to validate the election of justices of the peace in Alleghany County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 63, an act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk and prevent fraud in such sales.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 779 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the bonded indebtedness of McDowell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. London, H. B. 65, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Ervin Noll.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. London, H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of jurors in Chatham County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 67, a bill to be entitled an act to pay solicitors of the State a stipulated salary instead of fees.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Onslow County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Grant, H. B. 69, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the cause of education in the county of Davie.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Vestal, H. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of jurors in Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the January term of the Superior Court for Ashe County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davis, of Hyde, H. B. 72, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Hyde County, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Bruton, H. B. 73, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Montgomery County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled an act to correct a mistake made in chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1905, which attempted to amend chapter 258 of the Private Laws of 1901, but inadvertently mentioned chapter 257 of Private Laws of 1901, instead of chapter 258 of Private Laws of 1901, in reference to the charter of Mooresville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Edgerton, H. B. 75, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to indictments.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 76, an act in regard to passengers delayed by carriers, making carriers liable for expenses incurred thereby.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 77, a bill to be entitled an act to make municipal corporations liable for the torts of certain officers.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Justice, H. B. 78, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 79, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate railroad companies and other common carriers of passengers, property and messages.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 80, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 81, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the March Term of Onslow Superior Court.

Placed on the Calendar.
The Speaker announces the appointment of the following committees:

**Regulation of Public Service Corporations**—Mr. Manning, Chairman; Messrs. Yount, Weaver, Davis, of Carteret, Hankins, Johnston, of Caswell, Kitchin, Preston, McRacken, Midyette, Jacobson, Morgan, Bryant, Bailey, Cowles.

**Institutions for the Blind**—Mr. Stevens, Chairman; Messrs. Douglass, Hollowell, Clifford, Dilling, Carter, Eddins, Gaston, Galloway, of Transylvania, Grier, Hankins, Bryant, Rector.

**Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb**—Mr. Johnston, of Caswell, Chairman; Messrs. Koouce, Simpson, Avery, Carter, Brewer, Byrd, Dowd, Davidson of Cherokee, Edgerton, Galloway of Transylvania, Tillett, Pugh, Bryant, Owen.

**Corporations**—Mr. Kitchin, Chairman; Messrs. Pritchard, Park, Galloway of Greene, Grier, Washington, Harris, Johnston of Caswell, McRacken, Mangum, Coleman, Burnett.

**Public Printing**—Mr. Jacobson, Chairman; Messrs. Keener, Dowd, Pritchard, Grier, Taylor of Vance, Galloway of Transylvania, Albright, Cowles, Julian.

**Regulation of the Liquor Traffic**—Mr. Dowd, Chairman; Messrs. Avery, Bolton, Carter, Bruton, Cox, Harris, Sharpe, Julian, Douglass, Johnson of Johnston, Grant, Cowles.

**Propositions and Grievances**—Mr. Douglass, Chairman; Messrs. Rodwell, Pitt, Taylor of Vance, Pritchard, Vann, Tillett, Parsons, Park, Taylor of Brunswick, Coleman, Harshaw.

**Judiciary No. 1**—Mr. Winborne, Chairman; Messrs. Bickett, Lockhart, Douglass, Weaver, Ehringhaus, Preston, Turlington, Galloway of Greene, Harris, Stickley, Johnson of Caswell, Keener, Kitchin, Park, Grant, Harshaw, Bailey, Peele.

**Judiciary No. 2**—Mr. Murphy, Chairman; Messrs. Doughton, Royster, Avery, Rodwell, Davis of Carteret, Clifford, Stevens, Vann, Gallert, London, Parsons, Mangum, Williams, Manning, Midyette, Mull, Hanes, Taylor of Brunswick, Koonce.

**Pensions**—Mr. Galloway of Greene, Chairman; Messrs. Pitt, Dilling, Neal, Laughinghouse, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Price of Rockingham, Wood, Griffin, John, Wells, Harshaw, Pickett.

Mr. Harshaw is added to the Committee on Rules.

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.**

A message is received from the Senate informing the House of Representatives that the Senate has appointed Senators Webb, Mitchell and Graham as committee of conference on the part of the Senate on H. R. 4, S. R. 1, resolution to pay Capt. John H. Kerr, Doorkeeper of session 1905, for assisting in organizing the House.
THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 8, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John D. A. Fisher, C. E. Fesperman, D. M. Roseboro and J. E. Barnhardt justices of the peace for Rowan County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. R. 39, resolution to amend Rules. Resolution is adopted and the Rules of the House, as amended by the resolution, are ordered printed.

H. R. 40, resolution to print the Journal, is lost.

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to require all parties employed to promote or oppose legislation to register.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. R. 41, resolution in regard to heating and ventilating the Capitol, is adopted.

H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Union County to remain in session three days.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 59, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the holding of courts of Craven County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 61, a bill to be entitled an act to provide storm doors at the entrance of the Hall of the House of Representatives.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 62, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the election of justices of the peace in Alleghany County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 779 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the bonded indebtedness of McDowell County.

Remains on the Calendar.

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the January Term of the Superior Court for Ashe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Manning, the House adjourns until to-morrow at 11 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Moore, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Washington, Ehringhaus, McNeill, Mangum and Royster.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Ehringhaus, by request, memorial relating to increasing appropriations for State Colored Normal Schools. Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Bickett, for Committee on Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to require all parties employed to promote or oppose legislation to register.

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 958 of the Revisal of 1905, with favorable report.

By Mr. Galloway, for the Committee on the Judiciary, H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to make indictable an assault upon an innocent woman, with intent to have carnal knowledge of her, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on the Judiciary, H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to jurors, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the running of automobiles and other vehicles in Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled an act restoring to the people of Johnston County the right to manufacture and sell wine and cider.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal an act establishing stock law in part of Clay County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 44, an act to modify section 1884 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the killing of quail and partridges in the county of Swain, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of jurors in Chatham County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 151 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to impounding hogs in Tyrrell County, with a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 82, report from Committee on Rules.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Winborne, H. R. 83, resolution to appropriate $25,000 additional to the Jamestown Exposition fund to enable the State to be properly represented and to buy the lot of land on which is to be located the State building, and to provide for its sale after the close of the exposition for the benefit of the State.
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 84, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pay of jurors in Union County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hanes, H. B. 85, a bill to be entitled an act to promote education in Yadkin County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 86, a bill to be entitled an act to provide additional terms of court and change time of holding same for Beaufort and Washington Counties.
Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act for the betterment of the public roads of Catawba County, and to authorize the commissioners to work convicts upon the public roads of said county.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Hooker, H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pay of jurors in Beaufort County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Avery, H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in
Burke County, and to prohibit the importation thereof into said county.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 90, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 340, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to establish graded schools in Plymouth.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 91, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners for Tyrrell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1882 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the close season for hunting squirrels in Pender County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Pugh, H. B. 93, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the cause of education in Dare County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 94, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3290 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to cruelty to animals.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 95, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. H. Worth, Clerk of the Superior Court of Ashe County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. M. A. Stradley.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Granville County to pay over to the Board of Commissioners of Oxford certain money arising from the profits of the Oxford dispensary.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 98, a bill to be entitled an act to provide terms upon which sales in bulk of stocks of merchandise or any portion thereof, otherwise than in the ordinary course of trade, may be made.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 99, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Lala Swindell, a public-school teacher of Hyde County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. White, H. B. 100, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2120 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the toll of mills in Person County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Cowles, H. B. 101, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1002, chapter 18, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the probate of deeds and other conveyances.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 102, an act relating to passenger rates on railroads in North Carolina, and providing for the sale of an interchangeable mileage-book.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 103, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2459 of the Revisal of 1905, that the same shall not apply to the catch of menhaden where the same is manufactured in the State.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Grant, H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 641 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to advertising sales under execution and mortgages, etc.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bill, which is read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 7, H. B. 105, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Iredell County from three to five, and appointing two additional commissioners.

Placed on the Calendar.

The Speaker announces the following additions to standing committees:


Judiciary No. 1—Mr. Wells.

On motion of Mr. Coleman, H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal an act establishing stock law in part of Clay County is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Manning, H. B. 76, an act in regard to passengers delayed by carriers, making carriers liable for expenses incurred thereby; H. B. 78, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers; H. B. 79, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate railroad companies and other common carriers of passengers, property and messages, are taken from the committee and 250 copies of each bill ordered printed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived the Speaker places before the House H. R. 3, joint resolution concerning the investigation of railroads and other public service corporations.

Mr. Ehringhaus sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Jacobson offers an amendment.

Mr. Gallert moves that the resolution pending, together with all amendments be referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.
Mr. Galloway of Greene, offers an amendment.
Mr. Douglass moves to postpone further consideration of the pending resolution and amendments until January 22d, at 11 o'clock.
Mr. Avery amends by saying next Monday at 11 o'clock.
Mr. Dowd calls for the previous question.
Call sustained.
The question recurs upon motion of Mr. Avery to postpone until Monday.
Motion is lost.
The question then recurs upon motion of Mr. Gallert to refer the resolution to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporation.
The motion is carried and the resolution with all amendments is so referred.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Williams, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following resolution as properly enrolled and it is duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:
H. R. 38, S. R. 11, resolution to print Governor's message.
On motion of Mr. Gillam, H. B. 49 is withdrawn from the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts and is placed upon the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 49, a bill to be entitled an act conferring on all the courts of the Superior Court of Bertie County jurisdiction to try both criminal and civil causes.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 779 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the bonded indebtedness of McDowell County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bailey, Blanchard, Bryant, Harshaw, Kennedy, Morgan, Pickett, Pugh, Taylor of Brunswick—10.

On motion of Mr. Williams, the House adjourns to meet Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

FIFTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

January 14, 1907.

House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by ex-Lieutenant Governor R. A. Doughton, in the absence of Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Bumpas, of Raleigh.

On motion of Mr. Williams, the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with, and the same stands approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Tillett, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pay of jurors in Beaufort County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1882 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the close season for hunting squirrel in Pender County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the sale of soft drinks, with a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Manning, H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county of Durham to issue bonds for public road improvements, is withdrawn from the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes and placed on the Calendar.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Morton, by request, H. B. 106, an act to create a Recorder's Court for the city of Wilmington.
Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 107, an act to create the Seventeenth Judicial District out of the county of New Hanover.
Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 631 of the Public Laws of 1905, with reference to the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors in Graham County.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 109, an act to incorporate the town of Whittier, in Swain and Jackson Counties, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 47, Public Laws 1895, relative to the courts of Cherokee County.
Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 111, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of cotton weighers for Union County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Rose, H. B. 112, a bill to be entitled an act to define trespassing in Graham County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 113, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the cause of education in the counties of Alamance and Polk.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3740 of the Revisal of 1905, against vagrancy.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 115, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of the fees of State witnesses in the Superior Courts of Wake County.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of North Carolina, regulating the shipment of liquor to Fair Bluff, Columbus County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Pugh, H. B. 117, a bill to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County to levy special taxes for court-house bonded indebtedness.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.
By Mr. Yount, H. B. 118, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sec-
tion 3733 of the Revisal, by adding Catawba County to the list of counties making public drunkenness a misdemeanor.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Bryant, H. B. 119, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the dumping of sawdust into the streams of Wilkes County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Helsebeck, H. B. 120, an act to repeal chapter 418, Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 131 of the Public Laws of 1895, regulating the disposition of taxes paid by the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad Company of Stokes County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in Union County, and to punish frauds committed thereat.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Coleman, H. B. 122, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit drunkenness in Clay County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit hunting birds in Clay County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate stock law in part of Clay County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 125, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent justices of the peace from being collecting agents.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 126, a bill to be entitled an act to permit benevolent societies to receive, purchase, hold or sell real and personal estate.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 127, a bill to be entitled an act relative to reciprocal demurrage.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Weaver, H. R. 128, resolution relating to the message of Governor Elrod of South Dakota to the General Assembly of that State.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 129, an act to repay a loan for sewerage at the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Washington, H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the statistics of leaf tobacco sold upon the floor of the leaf tobacco warehouses of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 6, H. B. 131, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tryon Electric Light, Water and Power Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 9, H. B. 132, a bill to be entitled an act to amend landlord and tenant act.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S., B. 19, H. B. 133, a bill to be entitled an act to change the corporate name of the Salem Female Academy.

Placed on the Calendar.


Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 8, H. B. 135, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 616 of the Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said county, and to create a highway commission therein.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

On Motion of Mr. Winborne, H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to make indictable assault of an innocent woman with intent to have carnal knowledge of her, is taken from the unfavorable calendar and is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Stickley, H. B. 28, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1, Private Laws, session 1897, relative to Cabarrus Savings Bank, is withdrawn from the committee and from further consideration.

The Speaker announces the appointment of the following standing committees:

Education—Mr. Blount, Chairman; Messrs. Dowd, Jones of Pitt, Bickett, Eddins, Gordon, Jacobson, Galloway of Transylvania, Ehringhaus, Wells, Turlington, Royster, Stickley, Neal, Rodwell, Sharpe, Kooce, Foushee, Pugh, Farthing, Cowles, Bowman.

Insane Asylums—Mr. Bickett, Chairman; Messrs. Edgerton, Gordon, Avery, McDaniels, Neal, Boyd, Price of Rockingham, Stickley, Buchan, Blount, Julian, Royster, Candler, Helsebeck, Burnett.

Insurance—Mr. Royster, Chairman; Messrs. Neal, Bolton, Ehringhaus, Bickett, Davidson of Iredell, Washington, Crawford, Hankins, Blount, Gillam, Harris, Gallert, Brewer, Burnett, Candler, Hanes.

Agriculture—Mr. McRae, Chairman; Messrs. Blanchard, Cox, Griffin, Mial, John, Pritchard, Parker, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, White, Rose Morgan.

Oysters and Oyster Interests—Mr. Davis of Hyde, Chairman; Messrs. Davis of Carteret, McNeill, Liverman, Price of Union, Jacobson, Pugh, Park, Mull, Murphy, Farthing, Helsebeck, Brinson.
Banks and Banking—Mr. Gillam, Chairman; Messrs. Parsons, Crawford, Jones of Johnston, Davis of Hyde, Bruton, Blount, John, Stickley, Watts, Brinson, Kennedy.

Manufacturing and Labor—Mr. Weaver, Chairman; Messrs. Parsons, Preston, Jones of Johnston, Watts, Morton, Sharpe, Simpson, Jones of Pitt, Whitley, Liverman, Rose, Kennedy, Grant.

Finance—Mr. Doughton, Chairman; Messrs. Wood, Vann, Manning, Dilling, Grier, Buchan, London, Blount, Park, Gordon, McRae, Harris, Boyd, Crawford, Lockhart, Parker, Royster, Taylor of Brunswick, Bailey, Bowman.

Penal Institutions—Mr. Williams, Chairman; Messrs. Yount, Wood, Hooker, Johnson of Johnston, Price of Rockingham, Harris, Lockhart, Preston, John, Griffin, Parker, Boyd, Brewer, Gibbs, Kennedy, Helsebeck.

Appropriations—Mr. Gordon, Chairman; Messrs. Gillam, Williams, Bickett, Winborne, Turlington, Carter, Neal, Yount, Midyette, Koonce, Doughton, Foushee, Rector, White, Pickett.

Privileges and Elections—Mr. Koonce, Chairman; Messrs. Griffin, Vestal, Jones of Johnston, Hollowell, Hampton, Simpson, Sharpe, Rose, Helsebeck.

Immigration—Mr. Wood, Chairman; Messrs. Parsons, Ehringhaus, Gaston, Hampton, Hooker, Watts, McDaniel.

Military Affairs—Mr. Dilling, Chairman; Messrs. McRae, Morton, McLean, Bolton, Royster, Taylor of Vance, Gallert, Jones of Carteret, Morgan, Bailey.

Joint Committee on Library—Mr. Neal, Chairman; Messrs. Laughinghouse, Liverman, Davis of Hyde, Winborne, Johnson of Johnston, Taylor of Vance, Price of Union, Keener, Pritchard, White.

Corporations—Mr. Kitchin, Chairman; Messrs. Pritchard, Park, Galloway of Greene, Grier, Washington, Harris, Johnson of Caswell, McRacken, Mangum, Coleman, Burnett.

Claims—Mr. Vestal, Chairman; Messrs. Price of Union, Johnson of Johnston, Griffin, Kitchin, Brewer, Murphy, Eddins, Julian, Gaston, Gibbs, Candler, Burnett, Farthing.

Constitutional Amendments—Mr. Avery, Chairman; Messrs. Winborne, Doughton, Clifford, Peele, McLean, Tillett, Stickley, Douglass, McRae, Albright, Farthing, Harshaw.


Public Roads and Turnpikes—Mr. Price of Union, Chairman; Messrs. Mial, Washington, McRae, Wells, Blanchard, Byrd, Bruton, Mull, Clifford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Hyde, Bowman, Brinson.
Salaries and Fees—Mr. McRacken, Chairman; Bolton, McLean, Pitt, Midyette, Peele. Gordon, Mull, Crawford, Murphy, Brinson, Pugh. Rector.

Enrolled Bills—Mr. Gallert, Chairman; Messrs. Byrd, Candler.

Justices of the Peace—Mr. Hooker, Chairman; Messrs. Jones of Pitt, John, Jones of Johnston, Whitley, Vestal, Peele, Cox, Parker, Liverman, Owen, Pickett.

Internal Improvements—Mr. Hollowell, Chairman; Messrs. Hooker, Whitley, Grier, McRacken, Liverman, McLean, Mial, Bruton, Foushee, Morgan, Owen.

Mines and Mining—Mr. Davidson of Iredell, Chairman; Eddins, Bruton, McNeill, Byrd, Davidson of Cherokee, Brinson, Coleman.

Engrossed Bills—Mr. Mull, Chairman; Messrs. Cox, Bowman.

Expenditures of House—Mr. McDaniel, Chairman; Messrs. McRae, Weaver, Whitley, Kennedy, Albright.

Federal Relations—Mr. Laughinghouse, Chairman; Messrs. Neal, Peele, Rodwell, Sharpe, Simpson, Stickley, Stevens, Kennedy, Morgan.


Trustees of University—Mr. Ehringhaus, Chairman; Messrs. Laughinghouse, Lockhart, London, Mangum, Murphy, Manning, Morgan, Owen.

The Speaker announces that the following bills have been properly enrolled, are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 59, S. B. 50, an act to amend section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time of holding courts in Craven County.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 958 of the Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 22, an act in regard to jurors.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, is laid on the table.

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the running of automobiles and other vehicles in Wake County.

On motion of Mr. Royster, the bill with amendments is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, for further amendments before the committee.
H. B. 44, an act to modify section 1884 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the killing of quail and partridges in the county of Swain. Passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 150 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to impounding hogs in Tyrrell County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of jurors in Chatham County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 81, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the March Term of Onslow Superior Court. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. R. 82, report from the Committee on Rules. Passes its second and third readings and is adopted.

H. R. 134, joint resolution providing for the celebration of General Lee's birthday on January 19, 1907. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

The Chair appoints on the committee provided for in the resolution, Messrs. Neal, Galloway of Greene, and Boyd.

H. B. 84, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pay of jurors in Union County. Mr. Murphy offers an amendment which is adopted, also Mr. Koonce, which is adopted, and as amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 91, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners for Tyrrell County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 93, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the cause of education in Dare County. On motion of Mr. Winborne, is referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 95, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. H. Worth, Clerk of the Superior Court of Ashe County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. M. A. Stradley. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Granville County to pay over to the Board of Commissioners of Oxford certain money arising from the Oxford dispensary.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 105, S. B. 7, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Iredell County from three to five, and appointing two additional commissioners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 131, S. B. 6, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tryon Electric Light, Water and Power Company.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, is referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 133, S. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act to change the corporate name of the Salem Female Academy.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 90, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 340, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to establish graded schools in Plymouth.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 967 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the bonded indebtedness of McDowell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Bailey, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the sale of soft drinks.

Mr. Harris moves to recommit to Committee on Health.

Motion lost.

Mr. Galloway of Greene offers an amendment.

Mr. Morton moves that the bill and the amendment be recommit- ted to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Upon a vote of the House the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

On motion of Mr. Morton, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 11 o'clock A. M.

SIXTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

January 15, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Vann of Raleigh.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with, and the same stands approved.

Petitions and memorials.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Preston, by request, petition from certain citizens of Beaufort County, in regard to selling wine.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Hooker, petition from the North Carolina Retail Merchants Association.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 100, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2120 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the toll of mills in Person County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Coleman, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit netting birds in Clay County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Preston, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the trial Judge in the trial of cases of rape and of assault with intent to commit rape to exclude from the court room all persons except the court officers, the defendant, and those engaged in the trial of the case during the taking of the evidence of the prosecutrix, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 129, an act to repay a loan for sewerage at the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 126, a bill to be entitled an act to permit benevolent societies to receive, purchase, hold or sell real and personal estate, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Williams, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 125, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent justices of the peace from being collecting agents, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 75, an act in regard to indictments, with an unfavorable report.

Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on the Judiciary, No. 2, H. B. 52, an act to be entitled an act to punish for simple assault, when the charge is assault with intent to rape.

Referred to the Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. Buchan, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 119, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the dumping of sawdust into the streams of Wilkes County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harshaw, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 49, sections 2060, 2071 and 2074 of the Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Galloway, H. B. 21, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, an act to make indictable an assault upon an innocent woman with intent to have carnal knowledge of her, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Harshaw, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 35, a bill to correct the calls in State Grant No. 1278, in Macon County, now Jackson County, issued to William J. Stewart, assignee, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harshaw, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 94, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3299 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to cruelty to animals, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Williams, for Committee on Enrolled Bills, H. B. 105, S. B. 7, an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Iredell County from three to five, and appointing two additional commissioners,

H. B. 133, S. B. 19, an act to change the corporate name of the Salem Female Academy.

H. R. 134, S. R. 46, joint resolution providing for a celebration of General Lee's birthday, on the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and seven, which are duly ratified and ordered sent to the office of the Secretary of State.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 61, a bill to be entitled an act to provide storm doors at the entrance of the hall of the House of Representatives.

H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the January Terms of the Superior Court of Ashe County.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 62, H. B. 136, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the June Term of Superior Court for Watauga County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. R. 36, H. R. 137, a resolution to prohibit intoxicating liquors from being shipped into prohibition territories.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 35, H. B. 138, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting sawdust from being thrown into streams in Mitchell County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 24, H. B. 139, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Maple Creek Church, Nash County.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 18, H. B. 140, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Forsyth County.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 5, H. B. 141, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Cabarrus Savings Bank, Concord.
Placed on the Calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Harshaw, H. R. 142, resolution as to Committee on Game Protection.

The resolution is placed on the Calendar and is adopted.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of High Point to substitute 5 per cent. for 6 per cent. municipal bonds, not yet having been issued, and vested rights not yet having been acquired in the 6 per cent. bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 144, an act to authorize the city of High Point to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Griffin, H. B. 145, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Nash County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of bonds issued for the benefit of the State Prison, under chapter 607, Public Laws of North Carolina, Session 1890.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 147, a bill to be entitled an act to require candidates to file itemized statement of campaign expenses, and to prevent corporations from contributing to campaign funds.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Vestal, H. R. 148, a resolution to obtain information as to the number of insane in jails and county homes in the State of North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gillam, H. B. 149, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize the official acts of John T. Haggard, a Justice of the Peace of Bertie County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Cherokee County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Shelby to issue bonds for water-works and electric lights.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Mull, H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the
town of Shelby to issue bonds for a graded-school building.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to pro-
vide a short form of land mortgage or deed in trust.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 154, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for special venire-
men in Anson County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 155, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 706 of the
Public Laws of North Carolina of 1905, protecting fish in Lowe's
Creek in Anson County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a of the
Revisal of 1905, and except Anson County from the provisions of the
law prohibiting sawdust from being thrown into the streams.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 157, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 816 of the
Public Laws of 1905, and provide for the relief of Thomas C. Robin-
son, Clerk of the Superior Court of Anson County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 158, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the
peace for Anson County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 159, a bill to be entitled an act to protect pheasants in
Anson County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Bolton, H. B. 160, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
chapter 358, Public Laws 1905, entitled an act for the relief of
certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows.
Referred to the Committee on Pensions.
By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act to allow
the State to take the depositions of witnesses whenever the de-
fendant in any criminal action avails himself of the statute, allowing
him to take the deposition of witnesses to be used as evidence in the
trial.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 259 of the
Revisal of 1905, by abolishing the fine in bastardy cases and increas-
ing the allowance to the mother to $60.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to empower town constables
to execute any process or notice directed to any constable or lawful
officer in the same manner as township constables.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Julian, H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint
certain justices of the peace for Rowan County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. Washington, by request, H. B. 165, a bill to be entitled an act making the foreclosure of mortgages upon real estate a special proceeding.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 166, a bill to be entitled an act to compel railroad companies to provide electric headlights, and to establish and maintain the block system.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Murphy, by request, H. B. 167, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the inspection of steam boilers in North Carolina, and to provide ways and means for the same.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Preston, H. B. 168, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the amount of baggage allowed passengers on railroads in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Kennedy, H. B. 169, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the cause of education in Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Macon County Bank.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of 1903, and to limit the time for the completion of the Carolina and Tennessee Southern Railroad.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Pugh, H. B. 172, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff of Dare County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dare County to levy special taxes for county indebtedness.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Concord to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 175, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1018 of the Revisal, so that our consuls in foreign countries may take acknowledgments of deeds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bailey, H. B. 176, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for and regulate the holding of primary elections in Madison County.

Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the County Board of Education of Onslow County by the qualified voters.

Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.
By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Mortimer.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 179, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to challenging jurors in capital cases.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Owens, H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled an act for relief of C. P. Holden, a public-school teacher of Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Rose, H. B. 181, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage the killing of certain wild animals in Graham County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 182, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Talmon B. Godfrey a justice of the peace in Court-house Township, of Camden County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122 of the Private Laws of 1901, relative to graded schools in the town of Hendersonville.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 184, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 300 of the Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 160 of the Public Laws of 1905, together with all amendments to said chapter 300, relating to the drainage of certain creeks in Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Grant, H. B. 185, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek in Davie County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Lexington.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of M. P. Baughn of Rockingham County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. London, H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to advertising the sale of real property.

Referred to the Committee on Printing.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House that at the hour of noon to-day the Senate will proceed to the House of Representatives to witness the canvass of the votes for Corporation Commissioner cast at the election on Tuesday November 6, 1906, and in declaring the result thereof in accordance with law.
At 12 o'clock M., the Doorkeeper of the House announces the approach of the Senate, and that body, preceded by its officers, enters the hall of the House and is received by the members of the House standing; the Senators are assigned seats, and the President of the Senate, Lieutenant-Governor Winston, takes his seat on the right of Mr. Speaker Justice. President Winston then calls the Joint Assembly to order, and the Principal Clerk of each house calls the roll of their respective houses. The Principal Clerk of the Senate announces that forty-five Senators have responded to their names and are present. The Principal Clerk of the House announces that one hundred and thirteen members have responded to their names and are present.

President Winston then declares that a quorum being present, the Joint Assembly is now ready to proceed with the business which brings it together.

The President of the Senate announces the object of the meeting of the two branches of the General Assembly and announces that Mr. Speaker Justice will announce the vote of each county by successively opening the certificates forwarded by the Chairman of the County Board of Elections, to be read by one of the Clerks of the General Assembly.

President Winston appoints as tellers on the part of the Senate Messrs. Howard and Carter, and Mr. Speaker Justice appoints as tellers on the part of the House Messrs. Doughton and Harshaw.

The announcement of the vote of the several counties of the State is then proceeded with, and at its conclusion the tellers report as follows:

REPORT OF TELLERS.

Mr. Speaker:—Your tellers appointed on the part of the House of Representatives and of the Senate to tabulate the vote of State officers, counted at the joint meeting of the Senate and House of Representatives on January 15, 1907, beg leave to report that they have performed that duty, and find the following votes were cast at the election held on the 6th day of November, 1906, for the following officers, to-wit:
MEMBER OF NORTH CAROLINA CORPORATION COMMISSION FOR TERM OF SIX YEARS.

Franklin McNeill received 123,272 votes.
Robert M. Douglas received 77,017 votes.
And that Franklin McNeill should be declared elected.
Respectfully submitted, this January 15, 1907.

R. A. DOUGHTON,
M. N. HARSHAW,
_Tellers on part of House._

GUY CARTER,
W. STAMPS HOWARD,
_Tellers on part of Senate._

The Speaker thereupon announces that the votes from all the counties in the State having been compared and counted, and as the result of that count declares that Honorable Franklin McNeill having received the highest number of votes cast for a member of the North Carolina Corporation Commission for a term of six years, at the election held on the 6th day of November, 1906, is declared the duly elected member of the North Carolina Corporation Commission for a term of six years, beginning January 1, 1907.

The business for which the Joint Assembly convened having been disposed of, on motion of Senator Drewry, it adjourns and the Senate returns to its chamber.

The House resumes its session and proceeds with business coming before it.

The Speaker lays before the House the invitation of his Excellency, Governor Glenn and Mrs. Glenn, to a reception to the members and officers of the General Assembly and their wives, to be held at the executive mansion, Thursday, January 17th, at 8 o'clock P. M.

**THE CALENDAR.**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to require all persons employed to promote or oppose legislation to register.
Amended by committee.
Mr. Galloway of Green offers an amendment.
Mr. Koonce offers an amendment.
Mr. Peele offers an amendment.
The amendment of Mr. Peele is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Koonce is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Galloway of Greene is lost.
The amendment of the committee is adopted, passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.
H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to make indictable an assault upon an innocent woman with intent to have carnal knowledge of her.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county of Durham to issue bonds for public road improvements.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 90, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 340, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an “Act to establish graded-schools in Plymouth.”

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled an act to amend Chapter 49, sections 2069, 2071 and 2074 of Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to Senate.

H. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act to correct the calls in State Grant No. 1278, in Macon County, now Jackson County, issued to William J. Stewart, assignee.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 44, a bill to be entitled an act to modify section 1884 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the killing of quail and partridges in the county of Swain.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the trial Judge, in the trial of cases for rape and of assault with intent to commit rape, to exclude from the court-room all persons except the court officers, the defendant and those engaged in the trial of the case during the taking of the evidence of the prosecutrix.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 75, an act in regard to indictments.

On motion of Mr. Williams, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1882 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the close season for hunting squirrel in Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 94, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3299 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to cruelty to animals.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 100, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2120 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the toll of mills in Person County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 111, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of cotton-weighers for Union County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

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H. B. 112, a bill to be entitled an act to define trespassing in Graham County.

Passes its second reading and is ordered referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of North Carolina, regulating the shipment of liquor to Fair Bluff, Columbus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 141, S. B. 5, an act to amend the charter of Cabarrus Savings Bank, Concord, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

The Speaker announces the appointment of the following committees:

**Counties, Cities and Towns**—Mr. Hankins, Chairman; Messrs. Wood, Carter, Pritchard, Clifford, Buchan, John, McLean, Boyd, Pitt, London, Galloway of Transylvania, Washington, Wells, Bryant, Owen, Albright,

**Game**—Mr. Turlington, Chairman; Messrs. Harris, Vann, Hampton, Dowd, Galloway of Greene, Dilling, Brewer, Rodwell, Midyette, Wells, Buchan, Doughton, Edgerton, Grant, Farthing, Gibbs.

**Inspection of the Journal**—Mr. Mull, Chairman; Messrs. Stickley, Gaston.

**Fish and Fisheries**—Mr. Vann, Chairman; Messrs. Gillam, Hooker, Brewer, Liverman, Jones of Pitt, Simpson, Pitt, Midyette, Whitley, Davis of Carteret, McDaniel, Davis of Hyde, Winborne, Neal, Galloway of Transylvania, Taylor of Brunswick, Pugh.

And announces that Mr. Wood be taken from the Committee on Agriculture and placed upon the Committee on Appropriations in lieu of Mr. Foushee, and that Mr. Foushee take the place of Mr. Wood on the Committee on Agriculture.

The following additions to the various committees are announced:

**Education**—Mr. Gibbs.

**Propositions and Grievances**—Mr. Owen.

**Finance**—Messrs. Morton, Gillam, Washington.

**Insane Asylums**—Mr. McNeill.

**Pensions**—Messrs. Brewer and Bolton.

**Appropriations**—Mr. Preston.

**Counties, Cities and Towns**—Mr. Washington.

**Agriculture**—Mr. Davis of Hyde.

**Penal Institutions**—Mr. Davis of Hyde.

**Education**—Mr. Taylor of Vance.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House adjourns till to-morrow at 11 o'clock, A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Starling, of Raleigh.

Mr. Gaston, for the Committee on the Journal, reports the Journal of yesterday as having been examined by the committee and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted to Mr. Williams, indefinitely.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Julian, a petition from citizens of Rowan County with reference to game laws.

Referred to the Committee on Game Laws.

By Mr. Yount, a petition from the Pastors' Association of Hickory with reference to the whiskey traffic of Morganton.

Referred to the Committee on Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Mangum, a petition from citizens of Gaston County to repeal the provisions of the Constitution relating to homestead and personal property exemptions.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Yount, a petition from certain citizens of Caldwell Township, Catawba County, asking for the appointment of H. H. Caldwell justice of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the statistics of leaf tobacco sold upon the floor of leaf tobacco warehouses of North Carolina.

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3931 of the Revisal of 1905, and to require the Commissioner of Agriculture and the members of the Board of Agriculture to be practical farmers engaged in their profession, with favorable reports.

By Mr. Wood, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners
of Swain County to make disposition of the convict force of said county.

Re-referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 370 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1905, being entitled an act to incorporate the town of Roaring River, in Wilkes County.

By Mr. Albright, for the same committee, H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the act requiring four days' labor upon the public roads of Durham County.

By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, for the same committee, H. B. 135, S. B. S, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 616 of the Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said county, and to create a highway commission therein.

By Mr. McLean, for the same committee, H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled an act to correct a mistake made in chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1905, which attempted to amend chapter 258 of the Private Laws of 1901, but inadvertently mentioned chapter 257 of Private Laws of 1901, instead of chapter 258 of Private Laws of 1901, in reference to charter of Mooresville, with favorable report.

By Mr. Buchan, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Cherokee County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 117, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County to levy special taxes for court-house bonded indebtedness.

By Mr. Blount, for the same committee, H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dare County to levy special taxes for county indebtedness, with favorable report.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 10, a bill to be entitled an act to construe certain penal statutes and to declare where the burden of proof is under said statutes.

Recommitted to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 132, S. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to amend landlord and tenant act.

H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to empower town constables to execute any process or notice directed to any constable or lawful officer in the same manner as township constables.

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal, with favorable report.

H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 641, of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to advertising sales under executions and mortgages, etc., with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 259 of the
Revisal of 1905, by abolishing the fine in bastardy cases and increasing
the allowance to the mother to $60, with a favorable report as
amended.

By Mr. Lockhart, for the Committee on Penal Institutions, H. B.
58, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of prisoners awaiting
trial.

By Mr. Wood, for the same committee, H. B. 146, a bill to be enti-
tled an act to provide for the payment of bonds issued for the benefit
of State's Prison under chapter 607, Public Laws of North Carolina,
Session 1899, with favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Propositions and Griev-
ances, H. B. 138, S. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting
sawdust from being thrown into streams in Mitchell County, with a
favorable report.

Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on Rules, begs leave to submit
the following report: That House Rule No. 1 be amended so as to
read, the Speaker shall call the House to order at 10:30 o'clock
A. M., instead of 11 o'clock A. M. Adopted.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Propositions
and Grievances, H. B. 172, a bill for the relief of the Sheriff of Dare
County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on the Regulation of the Liquor
Traffic, H. B. 60, a bill to amend chapter 465, Public Laws 1905, to
prevent the manufacture and sale of wines in the town of Little-
ton, N. C.

H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture
and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in Burke County, to
prevent the importation thereof into said county, with favorable
report.

Engrossed Bills.

Mr. Cox, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the follow-
ing bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the
Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 8, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John D. A. Fisher,
Dan. B. Roseboro, C. E. Fesperman and J. C. Barnhardt justices of
the peace for Rowan County.

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 958 of the
Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to make indictable an assault
upon an innocent woman with intent to have carnal knowledge of her.

H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the trial judge in
cases of rape and of assault with intent to commit rape to exclude
from court-room those not directly interested.

H. B. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 151 of the
Public Laws of 1905, relative to impounding hogs in Tyrrell County.
H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Union County to remain in special session three days.

H. B. 62, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the election of justices of the peace in Alleghany County.

H. H. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 779 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the bonded indebtedness of McDowell County.

H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of jurors in Chatham County.

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Onslow County.

H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. M. A. Stradley.

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Granville County to pay over to the Board of Commissioners of Oxford certain money arising from the profits of the Oxford dispensary.

H. B. 81, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the March Term of Onslow Superior Court.

H. B. 84, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Union, Rowan and Onslow Counties.

H. B. 91, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners for Tyrrell County.

H. B. 95, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. H. Worth, Clerk of Superior Court of Ashe County.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Gallert, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly, ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 61, S. B. 90, an act to provide storm doors at the entrance of the Hall of the House of Representatives.

H. B. 71, S. B. 89, an act to abolish the January term of the Superior Court of Ashe County.

H. B. 141, S. B. 5, an act to amend the charter of the Cabarrus Savings Bank of Concord, North Carolina, the same being chapter 1, Private Laws of the State of North Carolina, Session 1897, and the act amendatory thereof. chapter 16, Private Laws of the State of North Carolina, Session 1899.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 61, H. B. 189, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2785 of the Revisal of 1905, and to fix the compensation of the Chair-
man and members of the Board of Commissioners of Guilford County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 15, H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 43 of the Public Laws of 1905, and to re-enact chapter 581 of the Public Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 496, Public Laws of 1903, road law for Lincoln County.

Placed on the Calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 191, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the appointment of W. H. Patrick, a justice of the peace for Beaufort County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Owen, H. B. 192, a bill to be entitled an act to increase pensions for Confederate soldiers.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 193, an act to be entitled an act to provide State Board of Examiners of railroad telegraph operators.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent ticket-scalping in criminal actions.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bailey, H. B. 195, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Madison County.

Referred to the Committee on Game Laws.

By Mr. Pugh, H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education to refund amount overpaid of public school taxes for the years 1904 and 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 197, a bill to allow County Commissioners of Dare County to levy special taxes for support of the poor and infirm.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Gaston, H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5437 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the practice of veterinary surgeons.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a deed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Southport.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Julian, H. B. 200, an act to prescribe the penalty for carrying concealed weapons.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 201, a bill to be entitled an act to protect citizens at public gatherings from head-gear or head ornaments.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Kennedy, H. B. 202, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in parts of Black River and Six Runs River, in Sampson County.
Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled an act to provide against the evils resulting from the traffic in certain narcotic drugs, and to regulate the sale thereof.
Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 204, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent railroad collisions, and to provide for the handling of trains by what is known and termed "Block System."
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Piedmont Trust Company.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to grant to Carolina, Glenanna and Pee Dee Railway and Development Company the right to suspend operations as a common carrier.
Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 10, chapter 375, of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to Road Commissioners of Haywood County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Justice, H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of the Attorney-General, so as to control certain corporations, destroy trusts, and to put the solicitors of the State on salaries and require them to act as assistants to the Attorney-General under certain circumstances.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 209, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the safety of the traveling public.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

The Speaker announces the following additions to standing committees:

Pensions—Mr. Byrd.
Institutions for Deaf and Dumb—Mr. Crawford.
Banks and Currency—Mr. Blanchard.
Insane Asylums—Messrs. Bryant and Gaston.
Engrossed Bills—Messrs. Avery, Bruton, Carter, Davis of Carteret, Hooker, Grant, Owen.

Manufacturing and Labor—Mr. Pritchard.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, Governor Glenn, transmitting to the General Assembly of North Carolina the copy of a letter from the Treasury Department of the United States and accompanying document.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, and the report of the Commissioner of Insurance.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce passenger fares on railroads in North Carolina, is withdrawn from the Committee on Corporation Commission and referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

On Motion of Mr. Tillett, H. B. 182, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Talmon B. Godfrey a justice of the peace in Court-house Township, Camden County, is withdrawn from the Committee on Justices of the Peace and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. McRacken, H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of North Carolina, regulating the shipment of liquor to Fair Bluff, Columbus County, is recalled from the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Mull, H. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Shelby to issue bonds for water-works and electric lights, is withdrawn from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2 and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Mull, H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Shelby to issue bonds for a graded school building, is recalled from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2 and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Pugh, H. B. 172, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Dare County, is recalled from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances and withdrawn from further consideration.

THE CALENDAR,

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to require all parties employed to promote or oppose legislation to register.

Mr. Peele offers an amendment.

Mr. Doughton offers an amendment, which amendment is accepted.

Mr. Morton offers an amendment.
Mr. Blount offers an amendment, which is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Morton is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Doughton is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Peele is withdrawn.
Mr. Morton calls for the ayes and noes.
Call sustained.
Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:


The following gentlemen vote in the negative:

Messrs. Albright, Bailey, Blount, Bowman, Candler, Crawford, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Farthing, Galloway of Transylvania, Gibbs, Griffin, Hanes, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Kennedy, Liverman, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Park, Parker, Peele, Pickett, Price of Rockingham, Pugh, Rector, Rose, Sharpe, Tillett, White, Wood—34.

The bill as amended passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county of Durham to issue bonds for public road improvements,

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 140, S. B. 18, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Forsyth County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 144, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of High Point to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Shelby to issue bonds for water-works and electric lights.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Shelby to issue bonds for a graded school building.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act requiring four days' labor upon the public roads of Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal.

Passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 58, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of prisoners awaiting trial.

Amendment offered by the committee.

Mr. Parsons offers an amendment.

Mr. Stevens offers an amendment.

Mr. Peele offers an amendment.

Mr. Turlington offers an amendment.

Messrs. Harris, Candler, Mangum and Morton offer amendments.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the bill with amendments is laid upon the table.

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 16, chapter 375, of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to Road Commissioners of Haywood County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

The Chair announces that an invitation has been received from Col. F. A. Olds, inviting the members of the House of Representatives to visit the Hall of History.

On motion of Mr. Neal, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 A. M.

EIGHTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

January 17, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Griffin and Brewer.

On motion of Mr. Gillam, the courtesies of the floor of the House are extended to Judge Webb of the Superior Court bench.
PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Yount, a petition from certain citizens of Catawba County, asking for the abolition of the whiskey traffic in Morganton.

Referred to the Committee on Liquor Traffic.

A petition from certain citizens of Catawba County asking for the repeal of the law as to the passage of fish and fish-ways in Catawba River.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Watts, a petition from certain citizens of Taylorsville, N. C., relating to the evils of Mormonism.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. McNeill, to repeal the homestead law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Gordon, a petition from the North Carolina Merchants Association.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Kitchin, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Piedmont Trust Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 47, Public Laws 1895, relative to the courts of Cherokee County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to revise, amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Lexington, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 179, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to challenging jurors in capital cases, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Preston, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 101, to amend section 1002, chapter 18, of the Revival of 1905, relating to the probate of deeds and other conveyances, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Midyette, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of M. P. Baughan of Rockingham County, with an unfavorable report, on motion of Mr. Manning, is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B.
165, a bill to be entitled an act making the foreclosure of mortgages upon real estate a special proceeding, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk and prevent fraud in such sale, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 98, a bill to be entitled an act to provide terms upon which sales in bulk of stocks of merchandise or any portion thereof, otherwise than in the ordinary course of trade, may be made, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 145, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Nash County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Julian, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 122, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit drunkenness in Clay County, with a favorable report.

For the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2050 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors, with a favorable report.

For the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 118, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3733 of the Revisal, by adding Catawba County to the list of counties making public drunkenness a misdemeanor, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. R. 137, S. R. 36, a resolution to prohibit intoxicating liquors from being shipped into prohibition territories, with a favorable report.

H. B. 139, S. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Maple Creek Church, Nash County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Sampson County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act for the betterment of the public roads of Catawba County, and to authorize the commissioners to work convicts upon the public roads of said county, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 65, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Irvin Nail, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in Union County, and to punish frauds committed thereat, with a favorable report as amended.
ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter, 49, sections 2069, 2071 and 2074, of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act to correct the calls in State Grant No. 1278, in Macon County (now Jackson County), issued to William J. Stewart, assignee.

H. B. 44, a bill to be entitled an act to modify section 1884 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the killing of quail and partridges in the county of Swain.

H. B. 90, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 840, Public Laws 1903, an act to establish graded schools in Plymouth.

H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1882 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the close season for hunting squirrels in Pender County.

H. B. 100, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2120 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the toll of mills in Person County.

H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of North Carolina, regulating the shipment of liquors to Fair Bluff, Columbus County.

On motion of Mr. McRacken, the bill is recalled, the vote by which it passed is reconsidered and the bill is laid on the table.

Mr. Bickett, for the Committee on Insane Asylums, recommends that H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care of mental defectives of the State, be printed, and upon motion 300 copies of the bill are ordered printed.

The Speaker announces additions to the following committees:

Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb—Mr. Hanes.

Insane Asylums—Mr. Kitchin.

Public Roads and Turnpikes—Mr. Grier.

Judiciary No. 1—Mr. McRacken.

On motion of Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 109, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a deed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Southport, is taken from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1 and placed on the Calendar.

The Speaker appoints the following committee on ventilation of the Hall of the House, as per resolution: Mr. McNeill, Chairman; Messrs. Pitt and Bryant.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 4475 of the Revival of 1905, relating to the powers of the Board of Pharmacy.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled an act to separate white and colored passengers on street and inter-urban railways.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Preston, H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage immigration.

Referred to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the people in the matter of insurance.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the felling of trees in and the damming up of Sandy River in Onslow County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the punishment in cases where conviction is for carrying concealed weapons.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the waiving of bills of indictment in certain cases.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Clifford, H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Harnett County and to appoint W. H. Turlington and D. P. McDonald commissioners.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage the writing of county histories established prior to 1861.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unnecessary in real estate actions to prove title out of the State, unless the State is a necessary party to the action and claiming an interest therein.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 220, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent delay in settling statement of cases on appeal from Superior or Supreme Courts.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to create a voting precinct at Ahoskie, in Hertford County, and to authorize the board of commissioners of said county to make it a township and appoint justices of the peace therein.

Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.

By Mr. Mangum, H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Judge of the Superior Court to give any prisoner or defendant the benefit of any time such prisoner has been confined awaiting the appeal of such prisoner or defendant to the Supreme Court.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 223, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2632 of the Revisal of 1905, providing penalties for delay in the transportation of freight.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 224, a bill to be entitled an act to require railroad companies to furnish cars for the transportation of freight.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Kennedy, H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 193, Private Laws of 1903, entitled an act to incorporate Dell School, at Delway, Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Hampton, H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 295 of the Revisal of 1905, so far as applicable to the bid of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Currituck County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Farthing, H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 203, Public Laws 1905, providing for the payment of one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Watauga County when 'not a true bill' is found.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 228, a bill to be entitled an act to pension certain ex-Confederate soldiers.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of prisoners awaiting trial in jail, to apply to Pitt County. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to make valid the registration of certain deeds and the proofs and acknowledgments thereof.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Buchan, H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroad companies to install and operate additional passenger trains and to require them to make certain connections.

Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent and to punish the negligence of the employees of railroad companies.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Edgerton, by request, H. B. 234, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 419, subsection (4), of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 235, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1627 of the Revisal of 1905, and make the annuity table competent evidence in civil actions for death or permanent personal injury.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 236, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Iredell County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Brinson, H. B. 237, a bill to be entitled an act to create a dispensary in the town of Bayboro.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Preston, H. B. 246, a bill to establish a reformatory and Manual training school for the benefit of wayward, depraved and criminal children, to provide for its government, to prescribe what children shall be sent thereto, and to further prescribe what children shall be admitted therein, and to provide a mode of ascertaining whether any given child shall be committed thereto.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions; 300 copies ordered printed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 21, H. B. 238, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to establish a market house, etc., in said town, and give the board of aldermen power to issue bonds for the erection of same.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 31, H. B. 239, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4, chapter 369, Laws of 1903, authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brunswick County to issue bonds, etc.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 47, H. B. 240, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Winston-Salem South Bound Railway Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 55, H. B. 241, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Forsyth Savings and Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 85, H. B. 242, a bill to be entitled an act to amend charter of the Southern States Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 97, H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Algernon S. Barber, a justice of the peace for Chapel Hill township, in Orange County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 72, H. B. 244, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture,
sale and importation of liquors in Cleveland and other counties, by adding thereto Lincoln and Catawba Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. R. 152, H. R. 245, joint resolution requesting our Senators to urge the passage of the bill now pending to secure the establishment of forest reserves in the Southern Appalachian and White Mountains, and requesting Governor Glenn to attend meeting of Governors in its interest.

Placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, rules are suspended and the resolution passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from the Governor transmitting reports, according to and as required by section 4409 of the Revisal of 1905, which is referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Message transmitting the number of pardons and commutations granted during the past two years.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

Message transmitting letter and copies of telegrams urging his appearance in Washington City on account of American Forestry Association.

Placed on the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 370 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1905, being entitled an act to incorporate the town of Roaring River in Wilkes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3931 of the Revisal of 1905, and to require the Commissioner of Agriculture and the members of the Board of Agriculture to be practical farmers, engaged in their profession.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled an act to correct a mistake made in chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1905, which attempted to amend chapter 258 of the Private Laws of 1901, but inadvertently mentioned
chapter 257 of Private Laws of 1901, instead of chapter 258 of the Private Laws of 1901, in reference to the charter of Mooresville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dare County to levy a special tax for county indebtedness.

Passes its second reading as amended by the committee, by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 117, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County to levy special taxes for court-house bonded indebtedness.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 135, S. B. 8, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 616, Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said county and to create a highway commission therein.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Lexington.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Shelby to issue bonds for a graded school building.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Shelby to issue bonds for water-works and electric lights.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 144, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of High Point to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 140, S. B. 18, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better construction, keeping and repairing the public roads of Forsyth County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bailey, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bow-
man, Byrd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Boyd, Candler, Carter,
Clifford, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell,
Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd,
Eddins, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene,
Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant,
Grier, Griffin, Hanes, Hankins, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Hollowell,
Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnson of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston,
Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin,
Koonce, Laughinghouse, Lockhart, London, McDaniel, McLean, Mc-
Neill, McRacken, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Mial, Midyette, Morgan,
Morton, Mull Murphy, Neal, Owen, Park, Parker, Peele, Pickett,
Pitt, Preston, Price of Rockingham, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rod-
well, Royster, Sharpe, Simpson, Stevens, Stickley, Taylor of Brun-
wick, Taylor of Vance, Tillet, Turlington, Vann Vestal, Washing-
ton, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Winborne, Wood, Yount—
105.

Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 20, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better work-
ing of the public roads of Sampson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place
on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bailey, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd,
Brinson, Bryan, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles,
Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of
Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins,
Edgerton, Ehrlinghaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Greene, Gal-
loway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Gordon, Grier, Griffin, Hamp-
ton, Hankins, Harris, Hollowell, Hooker, John, Johnson of Caswell,
Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin,
Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman, Lockhart, London, McDaniel, Mc-
Lean, McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Mial, Midy-
ette, Morton, Mull Murphy, Neal, Owen, Park, Parker, Parsons, Peele,
Pitt, Preston, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh,
Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Royster, Sharpe, Simpson, Stevens, Stickley,
Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Turlington, Vann, Vestal,
Washington, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Win-
borne, Wood, Yount—102.

Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act to repay a loan for sewerage
at the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, is recommitted to the Committee on
Appropriations.
H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 465, Public Laws of 1905, to prevent the manufacture and sale of wine in the town of Littleton, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in Burke County, and to prevent the importation thereof into said county.

Upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading Mr. Burnett demands the ayes and noes.

Call is sustained.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:


Those voting in the negative are:

The bill passes its third reading without objection and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of prisoners awaiting trial in jail, to apply to Pitt County.


Amendments are adopted, and as adopted, bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 641 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to advertising sales under executions and mortgages, etc.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, is laid on the table.

H. B. 119, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the dumping of sawdust into the streams of Wilkes County.
As amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit hunting birds in Clay County.

As amended by the committee, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 125, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent justices of the peace from being collecting agents.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, for amendments to be presented.

H. B. 126, a bill to be entitled an act to permit benevolent societies to receive, purchase, hold or sell real and personal estate.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the statistics of leaf tobacco sold upon the floor of the leaf tobacco warehouses of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 132, S. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the landlord and tenant act.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 136, S. B. 62, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the June Term of Superior Court for Watauga County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 138, S. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting sawdust from being thrown into streams in Mitchell County.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, is recommitted to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of High Point to substitute 5 per cent. for 6 per cent. municipal bonds, the bonds not yet having been issued and vested rights not yet having been acquired in the 6 per cent. bonds.

Passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of bonds issued for the benefit of State's Prison under chapter 607, Public Laws of North Carolina, Session 1899.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 148, a resolution to obtain information as to the number of insane in jails and county homes in the State of North Carolina.

Adopted.

H. B. 149, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize the official acts of John T. Hoggard, a justice of the peace of Bertie County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Cherokee County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 154, a bill to be entitled an act to provide pay for special veniremen in Anson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 155, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 706 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1905, protecting fish in Lanes Creek, in Anson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 159, a bill to be entitled an act to protect pheasants in Anson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, and except Anson County from provisions of the law prohibiting sawdust from being thrown into streams.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 157, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 816 of the Public Laws of 1905, and provide for the relief of Thomas C. Robinson, Clerk of the Superior Court of Anson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 158, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Anson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 259 of the Revisal of 1905, by abolishing the fine in bastardy cases and increasing the allowance to the mother to $60.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to empower town constables to execute any process or notice directed to any constable or lawful officer in same manner as township constables.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 175, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1018 of the Revisal of 1905, so that our consuls in foreign countries may take acknowledgments of deeds.
On motion of Mr. Winborne, is referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 182, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Talmon B. Godfrey a justice of the peace in Court-house Township of Camden County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 189, S. B. 61, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2785 of the Revisal of 1905, and to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of Commissioners of Guilford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 190, S. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 43 of the Public Laws of 1905, and to re-enact chapter 581 of the Public Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 496, Public Laws of 1903, road law of Lincoln County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 191, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the appointment of W. H. Patrick a justice of the peace for Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a deed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Southport.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Julian, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 96, S. B. 116, an act for the relief of Mrs. M. A. Stradley.


H. B. 68, S. B. 115, an act to appoint justices of the peace in Onslow County.

H. B. 62, S. B. 112, an act to validate the election of certain justices of the peace for Alleghany County.

H. R. 245, S. R. 152, joint resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives to urge the passage of the bill now pending, to secure the establishment of forest reserves in the Southern Appalachian and White Mountains, and requesting Governor Glenn to attend meeting of Governors in this interest.

On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
NINTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

January 18, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Gaston, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Stickley, Taylor of Brunswick, John, McMacken, Buchan, Blount, Bryant, Peele, Owen, Pickett, White, Manning, Dilling, Carter, Park, Jones of Pitt, Mid- yette, Mangum, Bolton, Johnson of Johnston.

On motion of Mr. Hankins, the courtesies of the floor of the House are extended to ex-Senator Williams of Davidson, and Judge E. B. Jones of Forsyth.

On motion of Mr. Royster, the same courtesies are extended to ex-member Col. Wescott Roberson of Guilford.

On motion of Mr. Gillam, the same courtesies are extended ex-Representative A. S. Roscoe of Bertie.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Hankins, a resolution from merchants of Thomasville, relative to homestead law and garnishment.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 175, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1018 of the Revisal, so that our consuls in foreign countries may take acknowledgments of deeds, with a favorable report.

H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to make valid the registration of certain deeds and the proofs and acknowledgments thereof, with a favorable report.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the waiving of bills of indictment in certain cases, with a favorable report.

H. B. 112, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to make lawful the entering for certain purposes, by owners of stock, upon the lands of other persons in Graham County, favorable as to substitute.
By Mr. McNeill, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled an act to provide against the evils resulting from traffic in certain narcotic drugs, and to regulate the sale thereof, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the running of automobiles and other vehicles in Wake County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Harshaw, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 138, S. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting saw-dust from being thrown into streams in Mitchell County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 185, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek in Davie County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5437 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the practice of veterinary surgeons, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 201, a bill to be entitled an act to protect citizens at public gatherings from head-gear or head ornaments. Reported without prejudice.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate stock law in part of Clay County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 181, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage the killing of certain wild animals in Graham County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 195, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Madison County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Midyette, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 115, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of the fees of State witnesses in the Superior Court of Wake County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of jurors in Edgecombe County, with a favorable report.
ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 94, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3299 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to cruelty to animals.

H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to empower town constables to execute any precept or notice directed to any constable or lawful officer in the same manner as township constables.

H. B. No. 111, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of cotton-weighers for Union County.

H. B. No. 89, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in Burke County and to prevent the importation thereof into said county.

H. B. 155, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 706 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1905, protecting fish in Lower Creek in Anson County.

H. B. 158, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Anson County.

H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 370 of the Private Laws of 1905 of North Carolina.

H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to amend 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, and except Anson County from the provision of the law prohibiting sawdust from being thrown into streams.

H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of prisoners awaiting trial in jail.

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to require all parties employed to promote or oppose legislation to register.

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 10, chapter 875, of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the Board of Commissioners of Haywood County.

H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pay of jurors in Beaufort County.

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3931 of the Revisal of 1905, and to require the Commissioner of Agriculture and the members of the Board of Agriculture to be practical farmers engaged in the profession.

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit hunting birds in Clay County.

H. B. 119, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the dumping of sawdust into the streams of Wilkes County.

H. B. 154, a bill to be entitled an act to provide pay for special veniremen in Anson County.

H. B. 149, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize the official acts of John T. Hoggard, a justice of the peace in Bertie County.
H. B. 126, a bill to be entitled an act to permit benevolent societies to receive, purchase, hold, or sell real and personal estate.

H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 466, Public Laws 1905, to prevent the manufacture and sale of wine in the town of Littleton, N. C.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Gallert, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 132, S. B. 9, an act to amend the landlord and tenant act.

H. B. 136, S. B. 62, an act to abolish the June Term of Superior Court for Watauga County.

H. B. 190, S. B. 15, an act to repeal chapter 43 of the Public Laws of 1905, and to re-enact chapter 581 of the Public Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 496, Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 95, S. B. 121, an act for the relief of W. H. Worth, Clerk Superior Court of Ashe County.

H. B. 17, S. B. 107, an act to amend section 958 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 189, S. B. 61, an act to amend section 2785 of the Revisal of 1905, and to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of Commissioners of Guilford County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2001 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the landlord and tenant act.

By Mr. Winborne, by request, H. R. 253, resolution to pay certain claims against the State growing out of the Cape Fear and Delaware River Navigation Company.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Grady Township, Pender County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 255, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the trial of criminal actions in the Superior Court of Hertford County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 256, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of the Kelkenny School-house, in Tyrrell County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 257, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Welch's Creek Township, Columbus County. 
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 258, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 426 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the assessment of real estate of railroad companies in stock-law territory for local benefit. 
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Parker, H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Jones County to issue bonds to construct bridges over Trent River, in Jones County.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the crime of vagrancy and to provide for the enforcement thereof. 
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to exclude minors from barrooms, pool-rooms and certain other places.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Younig, H. B. 262, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1504, Revisal, relating to the admission of certain printed documents as evidence.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 263, a bill to be entitled an act to make Solicitors State officers, and to provide for their election by the State at large.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing with pound-nets in the waters of Neuse, Pamlico, Tar and Roanoke Rivers.
Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Price of Union, by request, H. B. 265, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to fees of justices of the peace.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 266, a bill to be entitled an act to amend Revisal 2611, to pay passengers for expenses caused by delay of trains.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 267, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Sandy Cross Baptist Church, in Gates County, with church resolution attached.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace in Egypt Township, Yancey County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 269, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the running and marking the State line between this State and the State of Virginia.
Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.
By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 270, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint W. T. Joyner a justice of the peace in Occoneechee Township, Northampton County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled an act to provide separate public schools for Croatan Indians and Creoles in Cumberland County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Morgan, by request, H. B. 272, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Saluda, in the county of Polk.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 273, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint trustees to take the Coddle Creek Railroad bond fund of Iredell County and loan the same and collect the interest thereon until the said bonds become due.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 274, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 27, section 1455, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to renewals in courts of justices of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 105, H. B. 251, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 470 of the Public Laws of 1905, being an act to regulate the sale of seed cotton in the counties of Mecklenburg, Nash and Warren.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 30, H. B. 247, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint H. H. Caldwell a justice of the peace in Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 79, H. B. 248, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 207 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to licensing attorneys-at-law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 82, H. B. 249, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4901 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to pensions so as to make this section apply to a Confederate pensioner who has lost one arm and a leg.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

S. B. 92, H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to indictments being quashed for non-payment of taxes, and suits issued by members of the grand jury.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Coleman, H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate stock law in part of Clay County, is withdrawn from further consideration.
On motion of Mr. Koonce, H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the punishment in cases where conviction is for carrying concealed weapons, is withdrawn from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

On motion of Mr. Stickley, H. B. 242, S. B. 85, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Southern States Trust Company, is taken from the committee and placed on the Calendar.

**THE CALENDAR.**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act for the betterment of the public roads of Catawba County, and to authorize the commissioners to work convicts upon the public roads of said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 185, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek, in Davie County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowmam, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Douglass, Eddins, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Har-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dare County to levy special taxes for county indebtedness.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the affirmative, none.

H. B. 155, S. B. 8, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 116 of the Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said county, and to create a highway commission therein.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Hamp-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 117, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of Commissioners of Dare County to levy special taxes for court-house indebtedness.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled an act to correct a mistake made in chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1905, which attempted to amend chapter 258 of the Private Laws of 1901, but inadvertently mentioned chapter 257 of the Private Laws of 1901, instead of chapter 258 of Private Laws of 1901, in reference to charter of Mooresville, passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallant, Gal

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to revise, amend and consolidate the charters of the town of Lexington.

Passes its third reading by the following vote: and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk, and prevent fraud in said sale.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Doughton the bill and amendment are made a special order for next Tuesday at the expiration of the morning hour, and three hundred copies are ordered printed.

H. B. 65, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Irvin Nall.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 101, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1002, chapter 18 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the probate of deeds and other conveyances.
As amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 108, substitute H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors.

The substitute passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 47, Public Laws of 1895, relative to the courts of Cherokee County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 118, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3733 of the Revisal of 1905, by adding Catawba County to the list of counties making public drunkenness a misdemeanor.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in Union County, and to punish frauds committed thereat.

As amended, passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 122, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit drunkenness in Clay County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. R. 137, S. R. 36, a resolution to prohibit intoxicating liquors from being shipped into prohibition territories.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 139, S. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Maple Creek Church, Nash County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 145, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Nash County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Piedmont Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the running of automobiles and other vehicles in Wake County.

After the offering of various amendments Mr. Gallert offers an amendment which is adopted, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal.

Passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 242, S. B. 85, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Southern States Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of jurors in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Substitute for H. B. 112, a bill to be entitled an act to make lawful the entering for certain purposes, by owners of stock upon the lands of other persons in Graham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H. B. 115, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of the fees of State's witnesses in the Superior Court of Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 138, S. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting sawdust from being thrown into the streams in Mitchell County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the amendment.

H. B. 175, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1018 of the Revisal of 1905, so that our consuls in foreign countries may take acknowledgments of deeds.

Passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 181, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage the killing of certain wild animals in Graham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 195, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Madison County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5437 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the practice of veterinary surgeons.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 201, a bill to be entitled an act to protect citizens at public gatherings.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw, is laid on the table.
H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled an act to provide against the evils resulting from the traffic in certain narcotic drugs and to regulate the sale thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the waiving of bills of indictment in certain cases.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to make valid the registration of certain deeds and the proofs and acknowledgments thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

The Speaker announces additions to the following committees:

Insurance—Mr. Peele.
Banks and Currency—Mr. Pritchard.
Pensions—Mr. Whitley.

On motion of Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of M. P. Baughan of Rockingham County, is withdrawn from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, and referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

To-morrow being the 100th anniversary of the birth of General Robert E. Lee of the Confederate States of America, and a legal holiday in the State of North Carolina, the following resolution, introduced in the Senate by Hon. J. F. Reinhardt, Senator, and unanimously passed by both bodies of the General Assembly, to-wit:

H. R. 234, S. R. 46, joint resolution providing for a celebration of General Lee's birthday on the 19th day of January, 1907.

\[\text{Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring:}\]

First. That the General Assembly of North Carolina do adjourn on the 19th day of January, 1907, in honor of the 100th birthday of General R. E. Lee.

Second. That in recognition of the illustrious character of Robert F. Hoke, former Major General in the Confederate Army, and the ranking superior of all those who served in the army of Northern Virginia, and who was recommended by General Lee to President Davis and his Cabinet as the best officer to succeed himself as the Commanding General of the Army, should he become incapacitated, and who in peace as in war has ever reflected honor upon the people of this his native State,

\[\text{The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:}\]

That a committee of two members on the part of the Senate and three members on the part of the House be appointed to arrange suitable ceremonies for the occasion, and to wait on General Hoke
and to invite him to be present at a session of the General Assembly at 11 o'clock on the morning of January 19th, in the Hall of the House of Representatives or elsewhere, as said committee may see fit, to attend a reception tendered him on that occasion.

In the General Assembly read three times, and ratified this the 15th day of January, 1907.

Francis D. Winston,
President of the Senate.
E. J. Justice,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

It appearing that the Committee named in the resolution has performed its duty, and that General Robert F. Hoke has been invited to deliver a memorial address in honor of said General Robert E. Lee, on motion of Mr. Winborne, the House does now adjourn in honor of the memory of General Lee, and that to-morrow be devoted to memorial exercises, which will be held under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy.

The Speaker makes announcement that Major Neal of Halifax will act as manager of the celebration on the part of the House, and that Messrs. Midyette of Northampton and Yount of Catawba will make addresses.

The House adjourns in honor of the memory of General Robert E. Lee until Monday, January 21st, at 10:30 o'clock, A. M.

TENTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
January 21, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Pope, of Raleigh.

Mr. Gaston, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Friday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Hanes, McNeill, McRae and Crawford.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Hooker, a petition from certain citizens of Beaufort
County, asking the appointment of T. L. Jackson as a justice of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Jacobson, a petition to appoint A. L. Bell a justice of the peace for Beaufort County, Pamlico Township.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Morton, petition from druggists of Wilmington against the passage of H. B. 96, in reference to soda fountain drinks.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Avery, petition from certain citizens of Burke County in opposition to stock-law in Upper Creek Township No. 2, in said county.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Avery, petition of certain citizens of Upper Creek Township No. 2, of Burke County, asking for stock-law.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. McNell, a petition from druggists of Fayetteville in opposition to H. B. 96.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Lockhart, petition from certain citizens of Anson County for the suppression of mormonism and polygamy.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Justice, petition for relief of North Carolina firemen, from Greensboro Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Koonce, petition from druggists of Greensboro against the Douglass bill.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Watts, petition from certain citizens of Taylorsville, N. C., relating to the evils of mormonism, with a favorable report.

By Mr. London, resolution from merchants of Siler City relative to repeal of homestead law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Avery, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2001 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the landlord and tenant act, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled an act to make solicitors State officers, and to provide for their election by the State at large, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Stevens, for the same committee, H. B. 274, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 27, section 1455 of the Revisal
of 1905, relative to removals in courts of justices of the peace, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Moore County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Public Service Corporations, H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to grant to Carolina, Glenanna and Pee Dee Railway and Development Company the right to suspend operations as a common carrier, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 263, Public Laws 1905, providing for the payment of one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Watauga County when "not a true bill" is found, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. McNeill, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4475 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the powers of the board of pharmacy, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, for the Committee on Federal Relations, H. R. 128, a resolution relating to the message of Governor Elrod of South Dakota to the General Assembly of that State, with a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Winborne, H. R. 275, to amend the rules of the House. The resolution is adopted.

By Mr. Douglass, H. R. 276, joint resolution instructing the removal of the arsenal from the Capitol Square.

Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. R. 277, joint resolution endorsing the course of President Roosevelt in the summary discharge from service of certain enlisted men of the 25th Infantry U. S. Army.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Doughton, H. R. 278, resolution relating to the election of United States Senator.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 279, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 1105 and 1118 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the Corporation Commission.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit trusts and combinations between fire insurance companies.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Hooker, H. B. 281, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint
T. L. Jackson, of Bath Township, Beaufort County, a justice of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, H. B. 282, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Board of Commissioners of Vance County by a vote of the people.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 283, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve persons from working the public roads of Vance County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 284, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 295 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with reference to the bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Carteret County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Yount, by request, H. B. 285, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act to authorize a right-of-way for a street railway from Hickory to Catawba Springs, in Catawba County."

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 286, a bill to be entitled an act appointing additional justices of the peace for Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Pritchard, H. B. 287, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John W. Pendergrass a justice of the peace for Chapel Hill Township, in Orange County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 288, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Joseph A. Harris a justice of the peace for Orange County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt, H. B. 289, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent mischievous stock from running at large in Pitt County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Dowd, by request, H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize deposits standing in the name of a minor in any savings bank, or National bank having a savings department, to be paid directly to such minor.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3481, Revisal of 1905, in reference to hunting in Randolph County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. London, H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to codify the law in regard to the negligence of telegraph companies in mental anguish cases.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Vann, by request, H. B. 293, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 66, section 2763 of the Revisal of 1905, relative
to laborers, waiters and messengers in and about the public build-
ings for leave of absence for 15 days of each year.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 294, a bill to be entitled an act requiring
household servants to keep their contract, applying to New Hanover
County only.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the
Carolina Savings and Trust Company of Wilmington, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 3264 of the Revisal of 1905, increasing the peremptory chal-
egles of the State in all criminal causes less than capital.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 297, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint
court stenographers for Warren County.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following
bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 87, H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Com-
missioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 96, H. B. 209, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit sawdust
from being placed in the streams of Burke County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 99, H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
53, Private Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 389, Private Laws of
1891, relating to the charter of the town of Roanoke Rapids, Hal-
ifax County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 109, H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the
trial Judge in cases for rape and assault with intent to commit rape
to exclude from court-room those not directly interested.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 123, H. B. 301, a bill to be entitled an act ceding to the
United States exclusive jurisdiction over certain lands acquired for
public purposes within this State and authorizing the acquisition
thereof.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. R. 159, H. R. 302, a resolution authorizing and empowering the
Senate Committee on Railroads and the House Committee on Public
Service Corporations to send for persons and papers pertaining to
traffic and freight rates.

Placed on the Calendar.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in Union County, and to punish frauds committed thereat.

Passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Grady Township, Pender County.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, is re-committed to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

On another motion the bill is taken from the committee and placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 270, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint W. T. Joyner a justice of the peace in Occoneechee Township, Northampton County.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, is re-committed to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 273, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint trustees to take the Coddle Creek Railroad bonds fund of Iredell County and loan the same and collect the interest thereon until said bonds become due.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2001 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the landlord and tenant act.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Moore County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. R. 278, resolution relating to the election of a United States Senator.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4475 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the powers of the board of pharmacy.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 297, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint court stenographers for Warren County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 284, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 295 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with reference to the bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Carteret County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act for the betterment of the public roads of Catawba County, and to authorize the commissioners to work convicts upon the public roads of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 185, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek, in Davie County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 135, S. B. 8, an act to amend chapter 616 of the Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe County the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said county and to create a highway commission therein.

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H. B. 97, S. B. 117, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Granville County to pay over to the Board of Commissioners of Oxford certain money arising from the profits of the Oxford dispensary.

H. B. 242, S. B. 85, an act to amend charter of the Southern States Trust Company.

H. B. 91, S. B. 120, an act to increase the number of commissioners for Tyrrell County.

H. B. 207, S. B. 163, an act to amend section 10, chapter 375 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 139, S. B. 24, an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Maple Creek Church, Nash County.

H. B. 64, S. B. 113, an act to amend chapter 779 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the bonded indebtedness of Mitchell County.

H. B. 140, S. B. 18, an act providing for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Forsyth County.

H. R. 137, S. R. 36, resolution to prohibit intoxicating liquors from being shipped into prohibition territories.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Cherokee County.

H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to make valid the registration of certain deeds and the proofs and acknowledgments thereof.

H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dare County to levy special taxes for county indebtedness.

H. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of jurors in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors.

H. B. 118, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3733 of the Revisal by adding Catawba County to the list of counties making public drunkenness a misdemeanor.

H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled an act to correct a mistake made in chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1905, which attempted to amend chapter 258 of the Private Laws of 1901.

H. B. 175, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1018 of the Revisal of 1905, so that our consuls in foreign countries may take acknowledgments of deeds.

H. B. 117, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County to levy special taxes for court-house bonded indebtedness.

H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 47, Public Laws 1895, relative to the courts of Cherokee County.
H. B. 181, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage the killing of certain wild animals in Graham County.

H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5457 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the practice of veterinary surgeons.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the waiving of bills of indictment in certain cases.

H. B. 122, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit drunkenness in Clay County.

H. B. 65, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Irvin Nail.

H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled an act to provide against the evils resulting from the traffic in certain narcotic drugs, and to regulate the sale thereof.

The Speaker announces the appointment of the following Journal Committee for the present week:


Also the following additions to standing committees:

- Counties, Cities and Towns and Townships—Mr. Lockhart.
- Agriculture—Messrs. Hooker and Bruton.
- Education—Mr. London.
- Penal Institutions—Mr. Whitley.
- Institutions for Deaf and Dumb—Mr. Galloway of Greene.
- Fish and Fisheries—Messrs. Brinson and Jacobson.

An invitation is read to the members of the Legislature, their wives, the office force, and their wives to attend an entertainment in Peace Institute Auditorium, on Tuesday evening January 29th, 1907.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

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ELEVENTH DAY.

House of Representatives.

January 22, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. London, for the committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, by request, several petitions from citizens of
Guilford County, relative to repealing and modifying the homestead and exemption laws, which said petitions are referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

A petition from the traveling men of North Carolina for allowing two hundred pounds baggage free from excess charges with all regular fares.

Referred to Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Hankins, a petition from merchants of Thomasville, relative to express companies and railroad rates.

Referred to Committee on Public Service Corporations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES,

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. McRacken, for Committee on Public Service Corporations, H. B. 127, a bill to be entitled an act relative to reciprocal demurrage, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Bickett, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to allow jurors to be drawn from other counties in certain cases, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 255, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the trials of criminal actions in the Superior Court of Hertford County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 234, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 419, subsection (4) of the Revisal of 1905, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 220, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent delay in settling statement of cases on appeal from Superior to Supreme Court, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 983 of the Revisal of 1905, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 250, S. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to indictments being quashed for non-payment of taxes and suits at issue by members of grand jury, with a favorable report.

H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to make a married woman who engages in business with the knowledge of her husband, responsible for her debts contracted in the course of such business, with a favorable report.

H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled an act to make the prosecution bond in civil actions responsible for all costs which may be awarded against the plaintiff, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent ticket scalping in criminal actions, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the running of automobiles
and other vehicles, unfavorable as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Douglass, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 46, a substitute for a bill to be entitled an act to amend sub-chapter 5 of chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report as to substitute, unfavorable as to bill.

By Mr. Midyette, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of M. P. Baughan of Rockingham County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gibbs, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 258, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 426 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the assessment of real estate of railroad companies in stock-law territory for local benefit, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 301, S. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act ceding to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over certain lands acquired for public purposes within this State, and authorizing the acquisition thereof, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gordon, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3264 of the Revisal of 1905, increasing the peremptory challenges by the State in all criminal cases less than capital, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 293, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 66, section 2763 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to laborers, waiters and messengers in and about public buildings for leave of absence for 15 days each year, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Murphy, for Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 107, a bill to be entitled an act to create the 17th Judicial District out of the county of New Hanover.

Recommitted to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of commissioners of Harnett County, and to appoint W. H. Turlington and D. P. McDonald commissioners, with a favorable report.

H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled an act to provide separate public schools for Creole Indians and Creoles in Cumberland County.

Recommitted to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 193, Private Laws of 1903, entitled an act to incorporate Dell School, at Delway, Sampson County.

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the felling of trees in and the damming up of Sandy River, in Onslow County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Kitchin, for Committee on Public Service Corporations, H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of the
Attorney-General, so as to control certain corporations, destroy trusts, and to put the solicitors of the State on salaries, and require them to act as assistants to the Attorney-General under certain circumstances, with a favorable report.

Mr. McDaniel for the Committee on the Expenditures of the House reports as follows:

"At a meeting of the committee on the 18th, after examining the list of pages and laborers, we most respectfully recommend that there be no more pages or laborers appointed except to fill any vacancy that may occur."

At the request of the Speaker the House takes action upon the report, and the same is adopted.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4475 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the powers of the Board of Pharmacy.

H. B. 101, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1002, chapter 18 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the probate of deeds and other conveyances.

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 273, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint trustees to take over and loan the Coddle Creek Railroad bond funds of Iredell County until the said bonds become due.

H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in Union County, and punish frauds committed thereat.

H. B. 284, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 295 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with reference to bond of the Clerk of Superior Court of Carteret County.

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Moore County.

H. B. 297, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint court stenographers for Warren County.

H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2001 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled an act to amend charter of Piedmont Trust Company.

Mr. Candler, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. R. 278, S. R. 202, joint resolution relating to the election of a United States Senator.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Gallert, H. R. 303, joint resolution to ascertain the value of the State’s stock in the North Carolina and Atlantic and North Carolina Railroads.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gallert, H. R. 304, joint resolution to provide for the investigation and examination of the business and condition of all insurance companies in the State of North Carolina, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 305, a bill to be entitled an act to make the provisions of section 3366 and 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, apply to the counties of Rowan and Rutherford, “Landlord and Tenant” act.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gillam, H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Windsor.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Gillam, H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Windsor Graded-School District, in Bertie County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Zebulon.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint cotton-weighers for the town of Benson, Johnston County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Candler, H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent making false and pretended titles to real property.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to divorce, making ten years’ absolute separation cause for divorce.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Douglass, by request, H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to divorce.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hyde County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the oyster interest of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Oyster Interests.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 315, a bill to be entitled an act to elect
the County Board of Education and County Superintendent of Public Instruction, in Macon County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Macon County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the South and Western Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Bolton, H. B. 318, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the liability of common carriers to their employers.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State to condemn property for the use of the penal and charitable institutions of the State when unable to agree on price with owner.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 320, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 778, Public Laws of 1905, in reference to trial of real action in Hertford County, where the records have been destroyed.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 321, a bill to be entitled an act to guard against and prevent obstruction to the passage of fish in Albemarle Sound to their spawning grounds by the building of bridges across said sound, and to prevent the setting of nets at the openings of such bridge.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require the establishment of railroad depots within a shorter distance than five miles of another depot in certain cases.

Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act to create a State Board of Arbitration for settling claims against counties, cities, towns and townships in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2798 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, providing for the payment of special veniremen in Columbus and Onslow counties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 325, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the appropriation for indigent Confederate soldiers and widows.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 326, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Claude R. McCauley a justice of the peace in Alamance County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. John, H. B. 327, a bill to be entitled an act to amend Public Laws of 1903, chapter 153, entitled "An act to prohibit hunting game on the lands of another without written permission of the owner in Robeson County."

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 328, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to pay of certain witnesses summoned before the grand jury, special veniremen and road overseers.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of Revisal of 1905, defining place of sale of spirituous liquors in the State of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, by request, H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act to place Mariah Holloway on pension roll.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Roper, in Washington County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 332, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 141, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1903, entitled an act to provide a dispensary for the town of Creswell, and township of Scuppernong, in the county of Washington.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 334, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Watts, H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 440, Public Laws 1903, entitled "An act to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina."

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Baley, H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale and manufacture of spirituous liquors in Madison County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the pay of jurors in Rutherford County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate railroad companies and prescribe rates for transporting passengers in the State of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 339, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Marlboro Graded-School District, in Randolph County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. Wood, by request, H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled an act
to amend section 2632 of the Revisal of 1905, as to penalty for
failure to transport within reasonable time, and limiting the amount
of penalty and liability of transportation company.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Cor-
porations.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 5088 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the extension of the
time to commute, compromise and settle the public debt.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 2, chapter 248, Private Laws 1905, enlarging the boundaries
of the town of Highland, Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Edgerton, H. B. 343, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
chapter 426, Public Laws 1905, in regard to assessment of real estate
of railroad companies in stock-law territory, to apply to Wayne
County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 347, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing
and directing the Treasurer of Bladen County to pay M. N. McIver
for services rendered as school teacher.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
chapter 305 of the Private Laws of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following
bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 136, H. B. 344, a bill to be entitled an act for working the
public roads of Gates County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 118, H. B. 81, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the
March Term of Onslow Superior Court.

Placed on Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 48, H. B. 345, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section
2081 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 27, H. B. 346, a bill to be entitled an act to secure to pen-
sioners the amount allowed them by pension boards.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

The morning hour having expired, the Speaker lays before the
House the special order, it being H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled an
act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk and prevent fraud in such
sale.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment.

Mr. McRae offers an amendment.
Mr. Yount offers an amendment.
Mr. Mangum offers an amendment.
Mr. Kitchin offers an amendment.
Mr. Bickett offers an amendment.
Mr. Sharp offers an amendment.
The amendment of Mr. Sharp is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Bickett is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Kitchin is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Mangum is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Yount is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. McRae is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Winborne is adopted.
As amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

The hour of twelve having arrived, the Speaker announces that the hour for the special order has arrived, it being the election of a United States Senator for a term of six years from the 4th day of March next.

Nominations being in order, Mr. Douglass nominates Hon. Furnifold Simmons of Wake County.

Mr. Morton seconds the nomination of Mr. Simmons.
Mr. Harshaw nominates Hon. Spencer B. Adams of Guilford County.

Mr. Parker seconds the nomination of Mr. Simmons.
Mr. Cowles seconds the nomination of Mr. Adams.
Mr. Boyd seconds the nomination of Mr. Simmons.
Mr. Dowd seconds the nomination of Mr. Simmons.
Mr. Wood seconds the nomination of Mr. Simmons.
The Speaker appoints Messrs. Stickley and Taylor of Brunswick as tellers on the part of the House.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote for Hon. Furnifold M. Simmons:

The following gentlemen vote for Hon. Spencer B. Adams:
The following gentlemen vote for Hon. J. J. Britt:
Messrs. Owen and Rector—2.

REPORT OF TELLERS.

We, the undersigned tellers on the part of the House to take the vote for United States Senator, report as follows:
F. M. Simmons received 83 votes.
Spencer B. Adams received 21 votes.
J. J. Britt received 2 votes.

M. B. Stickley,
C. Ed. Taylor,

Tellers.

The House then resumes consideration of the following bills on the Calendar:
H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to allow jurors to be drawn from other counties in certain cases.
As amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to make a married woman who engages in business with the knowledge of her husband responsible for her debts contracted in the course of such business.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
Substitute for H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the running of automobiles and other vehicles.
As amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
The original bill is laid on the table.
Substitute for H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subchapter 5 of chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 50, S. B. 109, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the trial Judge in cases for rape, and of assault with intent to commit rape, to exclude from the court-room those not directly interested.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill, as amended, is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. R. 128, a resolution relating to the message of Governor Elrod of South Dakota to the General Assembly of that State.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent ticket scalping in criminal actions.

Mr. Mangum offers an amendment, which is adopted.

As amended by the committee, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of the Attorney-General to control certain corporations, destroy trusts, and to put the solicitors of the State on salaries and require them to act as assistants to the Attorney-General under certain circumstances.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the bill is made a special order for next Thursday at 12 o'clock, and 300 copies are ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Wood, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

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TWELFTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

January 23, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. DuBose.

Mr. London, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct and the same stands approved.

On motion of Mr. Clifford, the courtesies of the House are extended to ex-Representative W. A. Stewart of Harnett County.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, the same courtesies are extended to ex-Representative W. C. Newland of Caldwell County.

On motion of Mr. Gordon, the same courtesies are extended to ex-Senator Wilson of Guilford County.

The Speaker announces that the same courtesies are extended to ex-Lieutenant Governor Turner of Iredell County.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, petition from citizens of Carteret County in regard to repeal of homestead law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Royster, a petition from 43 citizens of Creedmore for the establishment of a dispensary at Creedmore, in Granville County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Watts, a petition from citizens of Alexander County asking the appointment of P. F. Somers as a justice of the peace.

A petition from citizens of Alexander County asking the appointment of H. W. Fox as a justice of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Stickley, a petition from the citizens of Guilford County relative to express companies.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Laughinghouse, for Committee on ........., H. B. 269, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the running and marking the State line between this State and the State of Virginia, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Lockhart, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 235, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1627 of the Revisal of 1905, and make the annuity tables competent evidence in civil actions for death or permanent personal injury, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 52, a bill to be entitled an act to punish for simple assault when the charge is assault with intent to rape, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Harris, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 259 of the Revisal of 1905, by abolishing the fine in bastardy cases, and increasing the allowance to the mother to $60, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Lockhart, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent making false and pretended titles to real property, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to divorce, making 10 years' absolute separation cause for divorce, with a favorable report.

H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to divorce, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 320, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 773, Public Laws 1905, in reference to trials of real actions in Hertford County where the records have been destroyed, with a favorable report.

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 295 of the Revisal of 1905, so far as applicable to the bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Currituck County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grant, for Committee on the Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 440, Public Laws 1905, entitled "An act to define the place of sale of in-
toxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina," with a favorable report as to substitute.

By Mr. Dowd, for the Committee on the Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, defining place of sale of spirituous liquors in the State of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled an act restoring to the people of Johnston County the right to manufacture and sell wine and cider, with a favorable report as to substitute.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 345, S. B. 48, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2081 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122 of the Private Laws of 1901, relative to graded schools in the town of Hendersonville, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 239, S. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4, chapter 359, Laws of 1903, authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brunswick County to issue bonds, etc., with a favorable report.

H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Roper, in Washington County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

H. B. 298, S. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax, with a favorable report.

H. B. 238, S. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to establish a market-house, etc., in said town, and giving the board of aldermen power to issue bonds for the erection of same, with a favorable report.

H. B. 300, S. B. 99, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 53, Private Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 389, Laws of 1891, relating to the charter of the town of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 109, an act to incorporate the town of Whittier, in Swain and Jackson counties, North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Jones County to issue bonds to construct bridges over Trent River, in Jones County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 248, Private Laws of 1905, enlarging the boundaries of the town of Highland, Catawba County, with a favorable report.
H. B. 282, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Board of Commissioners of Vance County by a vote of the people, with a favorable report.

H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the dogs of Franklin County their ancient immunity from taxation, with a favorable report.

H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Zebulon, with a favorable report.

H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Mortimer, with a favorable report.

H. B. 272, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Saluda, in the county of Polk, with a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to divorce, is taken from its unfavorable Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

Mr. Harris rises to a question of personal privilege relating to a newspaper article charging him with appearing before a committee, representing the Druggists' Association of North Carolina, and he affirms that such report is incorrect, and that he appeared before said committee to represent a resolution from the Wake County Druggists' Association by request, and as a member of the House of Representatives from the county of Wake.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 185, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek, in Davie County.

H. R. 128, a resolution relating to the message of Governor Ethod of South Dakota to the General Assembly of that State.

H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk and to prevent frauds in such sale.

Substitute H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the running of automobiles and other vehicles.

H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act for the betterment of the public roads of Catawba County and to authorize the commissioners to work convicts upon the public roads of said county.

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to allow jurors to be drawn from other counties in certain cases.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 50, S. B. 109, an act authorizing the trial Judge in the trial of cases for rape, and of assault with intent to commit rape, to exclude from the court-room all persons except the court officers, the defendant, and those engaged in the trial of the case during the taking of the evidence of the prosecutrix.
H. B. 199, S. B. 183, an act to validate a deed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Southport.
H. B. 126, S. B. 170, an act to permit benevolent societies to receive, purchase, hold or sell real and personal estate.
H. B. 111, S. B. 173, an act to provide for the election of cotton-weighers for Union County, North Carolina.
H. B. 89, S. B. 176, an act to permit benevolent societies to receive, purchase, hold or sell real and personal estate.
H. B. 138, S. B. 35, an act to prohibit sawdust from being thrown into streams in Mitchell County.
H. B. 151, S. B. 189, an act to allow the town of Shelby to issue bonds for water-works and electric lights.
H. B. 152, S. B. 188, an act to authorize the town of Shelby to issue bonds for a graded-school building.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled an act to promote safety of travel on railroads and to prohibit the moving of ordinary freight trains on Sunday.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 350, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary at Creedmore, in the county of Granville.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Oxford to establish a sewerage system and issue bonds therefor.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 352, a bill to be entitled an act to make indictable the violation of certain written contracts by tenants.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Williams, H. B. 353, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 287, Private Laws of 1905, incorporating the Grove Academy, in Duplin County.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the road known as the Kenansville and Magnolia Sand Clay Road, in Duplin County.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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H. B. 355, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1409 of the
Revisal of 1905, relative to the election of justices of the peace.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
H. B. 356, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment
of jurors allotting dowers or widows' year's allowance.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 357, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain defective
probates.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 358, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the earnings
of public service corporations.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Cor-
porations.
By Mr. Harris, H. B. 359, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint
J. D. Johnson a justice of the peace for Wake County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. Morton, H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled an act to empower
the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds
and levy a special tax for public school purposes.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 361, a bill to be entitled an act appointing
John B. Trader a justice of the peace in Hertford County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled an act permitting
cities and towns to condemn lands for use as a cemetery under
certain conditions.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Keener, H. B. 363, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 2696 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to building bridges.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 364, a bill to be entitled an
act to repeal chapter 210 of the Public Laws of North Carolina for
1905, it being an act to improve the public roads in Valley Town
Township, Cherokee County, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No.
3120, Cherokee County, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of county
officers in Cherokee County, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act
to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special
tax.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 368, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the time for hunting deer in Northampton County.
Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 369, a bill to be entitled an act appointing Walter F. Long a justice of the peace for Richmond County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 370, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Mount Pleasant Methodist Episcopal Church, in Catawba County.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 60, H. B. 371, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit public drunkenness in certain counties of North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
S. B. 23, H. B. 372, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3731 of the Revisal of 1905.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 138, H. B. 373, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Yadkin County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of High Point to substitute 5 per cent. for 6 per cent. municipal bonds, the bonds not yet having been issued, and vested rights not yet having been acquired in the 6 per cent. bonds.
Passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to grant to Carolina, Glenanna and Pee Dee Railway and Development Company the right to suspend operations as a common carrier.
On motion of Mr. Hankins, is recommitted to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.
H. B. 81, S. B. 118, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the March Term of Onslow Superior Court.
House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Harnett County and to appoint W. H. Turlington and D. P. McDonald commissioners.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the felling of trees in and the damming up of Sandy River, in Onslow County. (Petition accompanying).

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 220, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent delay in settling statements of cases on appeal from Superior to Supreme Court.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 193, Private Laws of 1903, entitled an act to incorporate Dell School, at Delway, Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 203, Public Laws of 1905, providing for the payment of one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Watauga County when "not a true bill" is found.

On motion of Mr. Grant, is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 250, S. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to indictments being quashed for non-payment of taxes and suits at issue by members of grand jury.

Mr. Grant offers an amendment which is lost.

Mr. Harris offers an amendment which is lost.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Grady Township, Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 255, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the trials of criminal actions in the Superior Court of Hertford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 258, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 426 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the assessments of real estate of railroad companies in the stock-law territory for local benefit.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled an act to provide separate public schools for Croatian Indians and Creoles, in Cumberland County.

Is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 293, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 66, section 2763 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to laborers, waiters and messengers about the public buildings for leave of absence for 15 days each year.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3264 of the Revisal of 1905, increasing the peremptory challenges by giving the State in all criminal causes less than capital.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H. B. 301, S. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act ceding to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over certain lands acquired for public purposes within this State and authorizing the acquisition thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. R. 302, S. R. 159, resolution authorizing and empowering the Senate Committee on Railroads and the House Committee on Public Service Corporations to send for persons and papers pertaining to traffic and freight rates.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. R. 303, joint resolution to ascertain the value of the State's stock in the North Carolina and Atlantic and North Carolina Railroads.

On motion of Mr. Gordon, is laid on the table.

At 12 o'clock M., the Speaker announces that the hour for the special order has arrived, it being the comparing of the vote and declaring the result of the ballot for United States Senator made on yesterday.

At the time the Sergeant-at-Arms announces that the Senate approaches, and that body enters the hall, preceded by its officers.

The House, its members standing, receives the Senate, and the President of the Senate, Lieutenant-Governor Winston, takes his seat on the right of the Speaker of the House.

The General Assembly goes into joint session.

JOINT SESSION.

The Joint Assembly is called to order by President Winston.

The Principal Clerk of the Senate and the Principal Clerk of the House read so much of their respective Journals as relate to the election of a Senator to represent this State in the Senate of the United States for six years, beginning March 4, 1907, and ending March 3, 1913.

MR. PRESIDENT:—We, the undersigned tellers, appointed upon the part of the Senate and the House of Representatives to supervise and ascertain the vote cast for a United States Senator to represent North Carolina in the United States Senate for the term beginning on the 4th day of March, 1907, respectfully report that there was
cast for Furnifold M. Simmons on the part of the Senate 33 votes, and on the part of the House of Representatives 83 votes, making a total of 116 votes; and there were cast for Spencer B. Adams on the part of the Senate 3 votes, and on the part of the House of Representatives 21 votes, making a total of 24; and there were cast for J. J. Britt on the part of the House of Representatives 2 votes.

Respectfully submitted,

Guy Carter,
John C. Drewry,
Tellers on the part of the Senate.

C. Ed. Taylor,
M. B. Stickley,
Tellers on the part of the House.

Senators and Members of the House of Representatives:

It appearing from the report of the tellers and the Journals of the Senate and House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, compared in joint session, that the House composing the General Assembly did on Tuesday the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1907, in conformity with law, proceed to elect a Senator to represent the State of North Carolina in the Senate of the Congress of the United States for the term commencing on the 4th day of March 1907, and ending on the 4th day of March, 1913, and it also appearing from said tellers' report and the Journals aforesaid that the Honorable Furnifold M. Simmons, did, in said election, receive a majority of all the votes in each house of the General Assembly.

Now, therefore, we, Francis D. Winston, Lieutenant-Governor and President of the Senate, and E. J. Justice, Speaker of the House of Representatives, do hereby declare that the said Furnifold M. Simmons is duly elected Senator as aforesaid to represent the State of North Carolina in the Congress of the United States for the term aforesaid.

This the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1907.

Francis D. Winston,
Lieut.-Gov. and President of the Senate.

E. J. Justice,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Senator Buxton, the joint assembly adjourns. The Senate returns to its chamber and the House resumes consideration of its Calendar.

H. B. 269, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the running and marking the State line between this State and the State of Virginia. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 235, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1627 of the
Revisal of 1905, and make the annuity tables competent evidence in civil actions for death or permanent personal injury.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 320, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 773, Public Laws of 1905, in reference to trials of real actions in Hertford County where the records have been destroyed.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 257, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Welch's Creek Township, Columbus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 295 of the Revisal of 1905, so far as applicable to the bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Currituck County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to divorce, making 10 years' absolute separation cause for divorce.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 305, a bill to be entitled an act to make the provisions of sections 3366 and 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, apply to the counties of Rowan and Rutherford, "Landlord and Tenant" act.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hyde County.

Mr. Grant offers a substitute.

And the bill, with its substitute, is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 328, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to pay of certain witnesses summoned before the grand jury, special veniremen and road overseers.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 259 of the Revisal of 1905, by abolishing the fine in cases of bastardy and increasing the allowance to the mother to $90.

Passes its second reading and is recommitted to Committee on the Judiciary No 2.

Substitute H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 440, Public Laws of 1905, entitled an act to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Mortimer.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Johnson of Johnston, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock.

THIRTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

January 24, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Marshall of Raleigh.

Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, petition from citizens of Brunswick County asking for an extension of open season for hunting deer.

Referred to the Committee on Game.
A petition from citizens of Southport for repeal of the law protecting diamond back terrapin in Cape Fear River. 

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Pickett, a petition from citizens of Graham, North Carolina relative to Mormonism.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 241, S. B. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Forsyth Savings and Trust Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305 of the Private Laws of 1905.

Recommitted to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 353, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 285, Private Laws 1905, incorporating the Grove Academy, in Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Williams, for the Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to redeem passenger fare on railroads in North Carolina.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 80, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 45, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Swain County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davis, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, H. B. 202, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in parts of Black River and Six Runs River in Sampson County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2798 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, providing for the payment of special veniremen in Cabarrus and Onslow Counties, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 294, a bill to be entitled an act requiring household servants to keep their contracts, applying to New Hanover County only, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 357, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain defective probates, with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Swain County to make disposition of the convict force in said county, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 203, Public Laws of 1905, providing for the payment of one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Watauga County when "not a true bill" is found, with a favorable report as to substitute, unfavorable as to bill.

H. B. 77, a bill to be entitled an act to make municipal corporations liable for torts of certain officers, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 356, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of jurors allotting dowers or widows' year's allowance, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harshaw, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 363, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2696 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to building bridges, with a favorable report.

H. B. 372. S. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3731 of the Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Lockhart, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5038 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the extension of the time to commute, compromise and settle the public debt, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harshaw, for the Committee on Proposals and Grievances. H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the sale of soft drinks, with an unfavorable report.

Messrs. Douglass, Taylor of Brunswick, Park and Coleman, submit a minority report in favor of the passage of the bill.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on the Regulation of the Liquor Traffic. H. B. 371. S. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit public drunkenness in certain counties of North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Dowd, for the same committee, H. B. 256, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of the Kilkenny School-house, in Tyrrell County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Public Service Corporations, H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hyde County, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the South and Western Railroad Company, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.
Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of High Point to substitute 5 per cent. for 6 per cent municipal bonds; the bonds not yet having been issued and vested rights not yet having been acquired in the 6 per cent. bonds.

H. B. 305, a bill to be entitled an act to make the provisions of sections 3366 and 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, apply to the counties of Rowan and Rutherford, landlord and tenant act.

H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Grady Township, Pender County.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 193, Private Laws of 1903, an act to incorporate Dell School, at Delway, Sampson County.

H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Harnett County, and to appoint W. H. Turlington and D. P. McDonald commissioners.

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 295 of the Revisal of 1905, as far as applicable to the bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Currituck County.

H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent ticket scalping in criminal actions.

H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3264 of the Revisal of 1905, increasing the peremptory challenges by the State in all criminal causes less than capital.

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the felling of trees in and the damming up of Sandy Run, in Onslow County.

H. B. 220, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent delay in settling statement of cases on appeal from the Superior to the Supreme Court.

H. B. 257, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Welch's Creek Township, Columbus County.

H. B. 235, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1627 of the Revisal of 1905, and make the annuity tables competent evidence in civil actions for death or permanent personal injury.

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to revise, amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Lexington.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 156, S. B. 165, an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal
of 1905, and except Anson County from the provisions of the law prohibiting sawdust from being thrown into streams.

H. B. 149, S. B. 166, an act to legalize the official acts of John T. Hoggard, a justice of the peace of Bertie County.

H. B. 168, S. B. 219, an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors.

H. B. 301, S. B. 123, an act ceding to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over certain lands acquired for public purposes within this State, and authorizing the acquisition thereof.

H. B. 81, S. B. 118, an act to abolish the March Term of Onslow Superior Court.

H. R. 302, S. R. 159, joint resolution authorizing and empowering the Senate Committee on Railroads and House Committee on Public Service Corporations to send for persons and papers pertaining to traffic and freight rates.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Murphy, by request, H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Eddins, H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. W. Bostian a justice of the peace in Stanly County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the liquor traffic.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Gillam, H. B. 377, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer in Bertie County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent trespass on the lands of another in Bertie County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Neal, H. B. 379, a bill to be entitled an act to furnish protection from fire at the Soldiers' Home.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, by request, H. B. 380, a bill to be entitled an act to create a shell-fish commission.

Referred to the Committee on Oyster Interests.

By Mr. Hampton, H. B. 381, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Poplar Branch Township, Currituck County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 749, Public Laws of 1903, relative to shooting wild fowl in Currituck County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.
H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revisal of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound.
Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of deer and other game in Cherokee County.
Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Douglass, by request, H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to the compensation of janitor, watchman and other employees in State building and grounds.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special tax school district in Caswell County to be known as School District Number Seven.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 387, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2798 of the Revisal of 1905, so as to increase the pay of jurors in Jones County.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Dilling, H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year, between the ages of eight and fourteen.
Referred to the Committee on Education, and 200 copies ordered printed.

By Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3351 of the Revisal of 1905, extending the operation of the same to all persons standing in loco parentis.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Coleman, H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 354, of the Public Laws of 1891, which is an act to provide for working the roads and highways of Clay County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 391, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3708 of the Revisal of 1905 for North Carolina, relative to carrying concealed weapons.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the killing of pheasants or game in Ashe County.
Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 393, a bill to be entitled an act requiring transportation companies to furnish cars upon demand made by a shipper.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 394, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Brunswick County to deposit certain funds to be a sinking fund.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Douglass, by request, H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act in reference to public printing.
Referred to the Committee on Printing.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 396, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Sumner Township, Guilford County, to Gorrell Township.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 402, a bill to be entitled an act to amend Article VI, section 4, of the Constitution, by striking out in line 11 of said section the word "1908," and insert in place thereof "1918."
Referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 230, H. B. 397, a bill to be entitled an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company, and authorize it to arrange for and carry insurance on the lives of certain of its members; also to issue "paid up stock" bearing interest.
Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 75, H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act regulating insurance companies and prohibiting the diversion of funds for political purposes.
Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 139, H. B. 399, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit misrepresentation by life insurance companies.
Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 175, H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1018 of the Revisal of 1905, so that our consuls in foreign countries may take acknowledgments of deeds.
Amendment concurred in and bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 130, H. B. 400, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 703 of the Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to fix the salaries of the officers of Buncombe County.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 53, H. B. 401, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in certain specific territory in Moore County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. R. 307, H. R. 403, joint resolution to authorize the Senate Committee on Railroads and the House Committee on Public Service Corporations to administer oaths necessary to secure information, etc.
Placed on the Calendar.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the dogs of Franklin County their ancient immunity from taxation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled an act restoring to the people of Johnston County the right to manufacture and sell wine and cider.

The original bill lies on the table.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 99, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Lula Swindell, a public-school teacher of Hyde County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 282, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Board of Commissioners of Vance County by a vote of the people.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 300, S. B. 99, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 53, Private Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 389, Laws of 1891, relating to the charter of the town of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, defining the place of sale of spirituous liquors in North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 248, Private Laws 1905, enlarging the boundaries of the town of Highland, Catawba County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. W. Bostian a justice of the peace in Stanly County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit trespass on the lands of another in Bertie County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H, B. 377, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer in Bertie County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H, B. 356, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of jurors allotting dowers or widows' year's allowance.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H, B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2798 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, providing for the payment of special veniremen in Columbus and Onslow Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H, B. 202, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in parts of Black River and Six Runs River in Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is placed on the calendar.

H, B. 80, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Mr. Mangum offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Morton, the bill and amendment is made a special order for next Saturday, January 26th, at 12 o'clock M., and two hundred copies are ordered printed.

H, B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Mortimer.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H, B. 272, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Saluda, in the county of Polk.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122 of the Private Laws of 1901, relative to graded schools in the town of Hendersonville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 298, S. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 239, S. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4, chapter 363, Laws of 1903, authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brunswick County to issue bonds, etc.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Jones County to issue bonds to construct bridges over Trent River, in Jones County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bow-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 238. S. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to establish a market-house, etc., in said town, and giving the board of aldermen power to issue bonds for the erection of same.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for public school purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Car-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Zebulon.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 109, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Whittier, in Swain and Jackson Counties, N. C.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kitchin,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Roper, in Washington County, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of the Attorney-General, so as to control certain corporations, destroy trusts, and to put the Solicitors of the State on salaries and require them to act as assistants to the Attorney-General, under certain circumstances.

During the consideration of this bill Mr. Koonce offers an amendment.

Mr. Justice sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Doughton sends forward two amendments.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment.

Mr. Washington offers an amendment.

Mr. Dowd offers an amendment.

Mr. Williams offers an amendment.

Mr. Morton moves to refer the bill and amendments to the Judiciary Committee No. 1.

The motion is lost.
Mr. Julian offers an amendment.
Mr. Cowles offers an amendment.
Mr. Mull offers an amendment.
Mr. Clifford offers an amendment.
Mr. Galloway of Greene offers an amendment.
The amendment of Mr. Galloway of Greene is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Clifford is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Mull is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Cowles is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Julian is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Williams is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Dowd is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Washington is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Winborne is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Doughton is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Doughton is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Justice is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Koonce is lost.
Mr. Justice calls the previous question.
Call sustained.
The bill passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. R. 403, S. R. 307, a joint resolution to authorize the Senate Committee on Railroads and the House Committee on Public Service Corporations to administer oaths necessary to secure information, etc.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
On motion of Mr. Baley, the courtesies of the House are extended to ex-Senator Murray.
On motion of Mr. Wood, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o’clock.

FOURTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

January 25, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Pope, of Raleigh.
Mr. London, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.
Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Helsebeck, Ed-
gerton, until Monday; Mangum, until Monday; Price of Union, Cox and Hampton, until Monday.

On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 238, S. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to establish a market-house, etc., in said town, and giving the board of aldermen power to issue bonds for the erection of the same, is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

On motion of Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 228, a bill to be entitled an act to pension certain ex-Confederate soldiers, is withdrawn from the Committee on Pensions and from further consideration.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

- By Mr. McRae, petition from citizens of Robeson County in regard to fire insurance legislation.
  Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

- By Mr. Harshaw, petition from citizens of Wilson Creek Township, Caldwell County, asking to be exempt from operation of stock-law.
  Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

- By Mr. Yount, petition from citizens of Catawba County asking for the appointment of S. Wilkerson a justice of the peace.
  Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

A petition from certain citizens of Hickory condemning Mormonism.
  Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

- By Mr. Baley, a petition to prohibit polygamy and Mormonism, from citizens of Madison County.
  Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

- By Mr. Griffin, petition from Fire Company of Rocky Mount asking for legislation to cause insurance companies to put aside a certain part of their premiums for the protection of the firemen.
  Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

- By Mr. Royster, petition from thirty-eight citizens of Creedmore and Granville against the establishment of a dispensary at Creedmore, in Granville County.
  Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

- By Mr. McLean, for Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Concord to issue bonds, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Clifford, for Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require the establishment of railroad depots within a shorter distance than five miles of another depot in certain cases, with a favorable report.

By Mr. John, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Oxford to establish a sewerage system and to issue bonds therefor, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Washington, for Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled an act permitting cities and towns to condemn land for use as a cemetery under certain conditions, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, for Committee on Pensions, H. B. 249, S. B. 82, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4991 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to pensions, so as to make this section to apply to a Confederate pensioner who has lost one arm and a leg, with a favorable report.

H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act to place Mariah Holloway on pension roll, with an unfavorable report.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 99, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Lula Swindell, a public school-teacher of Hyde County.

H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 248, Private Laws of 1905, enlarging the boundaries of the town of Highland, Catawba County.

H. B. 282, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Board of Commissioners of Vance County by a vote of the people.

H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, entitled an act to define the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. W. Bostian a justice of the peace in Stanly County.

H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, defining the place of sale of spirituous liquors in the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2793 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, providing for the payment of special veniremen in Columbus and Onslow counties.

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent trespassing on the lands of another in Bertie County.

Mr. Stickley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:
H. B. 257, S. B. 298, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Welch's Creek Township, Columbus County.

H. B. 70, S. B. 220, an act to regulate the fees of jurors in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 254, S. B. 299, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Grady Township, Pender County.

H. B. 175, S. B. 216, an act to amend section 1018 of the Revival of 1905.


H. B. 250, S. B. 92, an act in regard to indictments.

H. B. 191, S. B. 190, an act to validate the appointment of W. H. Patrick a justice of the peace for Beaufort County.

H. B. 155, S. B. 168, an act to repeal chapter 706 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1905, protecting fish in Lower Creek, in Anson County.

H. B. 46, S. B. 275, an act to amend sub-chapter 5 of chapter 61 of the Revival of 1905.

H. B. 328, S. B. 289, an act in regard to pay of certain witnesses summoned before the grand jury, special veniremen and road overseers.


H. B. 94, S. B. 175, an act to amend section 3299 of the Revival of 1905, relating to the cruelty of animals.

H. B. 300, S. B. 99, an act to amend chapter 53, Private Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 389, Private Laws of 1901, the same being entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Roanoke Rapids, in Halifax County."

H. R. 403, S. R. 307, a joint resolution to authorize the Senate Committee on Railroads, and the House Committee on Public Service Corporations, to administer oaths necessary to secure information, etc.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 192, H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the fees and emoluments of county officials of Johnston County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 29, H. B. 405, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit non-residents of the State from gathering oysters, clams and terrapins within the limits of the county of Brunswick.

Referred to the Committee on Oyster Interests.

S. B. 125, H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 173, Laws of 1901, relating to the passage of fish in the Cape Fear and North East Rivers.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
S. B. 169, H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to empower town constables to execute any process or notice directed to any constable or lawful officer in the same manner as township constables.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 407, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the salaries of certain State officials.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 408, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing J. M. Edwards, Treasurer of Pigeon Township, Haywood County Graded School, to pay out funds now in his hands belonging to said school.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a criminal court for the county of Pasquotank.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Brinson, H. B. 410, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the use of drag or haul nets in the waters of Goose Creek and its tributaries.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Whitley, H. B. 411, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint N. F. Brown, Ebb. Turner justices of the peace for Martin County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 412, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Mechanicsville, in Guilford County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hours of labor in cotton mills.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 414, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the raising of revenue to pay pensions to ex-Confederate soldiers.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

H. B. 415, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pound charges in Murphy, Cherokee County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the conduct of dispensary commissioners, managers, clerks and employees.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 417, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within two miles of Bullock Baptist Church, in Granville County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Harshaw, by request, H. B. 418, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent trespass upon roadbeds of railroad companies.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 419, a bill to be entitled an act to except Wilson Creek Township, Caldwell County, from the operation of the stock-law.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 420, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Young Men's Christian Association of Wilmington to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 421, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the efficiency of the James Walker Memorial Hospital at Wilmington.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 422, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the comfort of travelers on street railways, cars and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 423, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of the customers of barber shops.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 737, Public Laws of 1903, to prevent depredations of domestic fowl in Thomasville, Davidson County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 425, a bill to be entitled an act to give the State and the defendant an equal chance in the selection of the jury.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of Old Fort and to increase the tax rate for said town of Old Fort.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 427, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. C. Sanderlin a justice of the peace for Big, McDowell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 428, an act to be entitled an act to amend chapter 426, Public Laws of 1905; stock-law McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Julian, H. B. 429, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace of Rowan County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 430, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 2617 of the Revisal, so as not to allow railroads to confiscate coal of private parties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 431, a bill to be entitled an act concerning the hunting of certain game in Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.
By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 432, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the office of Treasurer of Elkin Township, in Surry County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 433, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Yancey County.

Placed on the Calendar.

**The Calendar.**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 109, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Whittier, in Swain and Jackson Counties, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122 of the Private Laws of 1901, relative to graded schools in the town of Hendersonville.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Laughinghouse, Liverman, McDaniel, Mc-
Lean, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Mial, Midyette, Morgan, 
Morton, Mull, Murphy, Neal, Owen, Parker, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, 
Preston, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, 
Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Stevens, Stickley, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, 
Turlington, Vann, Vestal, Washington, Watts, Wells, White, Whit-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to allow County Commis-
sioners of Jones County to issue bonds to construct bridges over 
Trent River, in Jones County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent 
to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, 
Brewer, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, 
Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis 
of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, 
Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of 
Transylvania, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hanes, 
Hankins, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, 
Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones 
of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Laughinghouse, Liverman, 
McDaniel, McLean, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Mial, Midyette, Morgan, 
Morton, Mull, Murphy, Neal, Owen, Parker, 
Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Preston, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, 
Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Stevens, Stickley, Taylor of 
Vance, Tillett, Turlington, Vann, Vestal, Washington, Watts, Wells, 
White, Whitley, Williams, Wood, Yount—97.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 272, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of 
the town of Saluda, in the county of Polk.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent 
to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, 
Brewer, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, 
Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of 
Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, 
Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of 
Transylvania, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hanes, 
Hankins, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, 
Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones 
of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Laughinghouse, Liverman, 
McDaniel, McLean, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Mial, Midyette, Morgan, 
Morton, Mull, Murphy, Neal, Owen, Parker, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, 
Preston, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritch-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 298, S. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Zebulon.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Roper, in Washington County, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for public school purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Oxford to establish a sewerage system and issue bonds therefor.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Concord to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the South and Western Railroad Company.

The substitute is adopted and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the sale of soft drinks.
A minority report signed by the following members is submitted:

The undersigned members of the Committee on Propositions and Grievances of the House of Representatives file their minority report.

W. C. Douglass,
C. Ed. Taylor,
G. L. Park,
R. T. Coleman.

Mr. McNeill offers an amendment.
Mr. Park offers two amendments.
Mr. Bickett offers an amendment.
Mr. Jacobson offers an amendment.
Mr. Kitchin offers an amendment.
Mr. Murphy offers an amendment.
Mr. Harshaw offers an amendment.
Mr. Whitley offers an amendment.
Mr. Gallert moves to table the bill and all amendments.

The motion is carried and the bill is laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

FIFTEENTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

January 26, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Tyree of Raleigh.

Mr. London, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Royster and Parsons.

Petitions and memorials.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

Petition from firemen for appropriation for benefit of North Carolina Association of Firemen.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 229, S. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4, chapter 369, Laws of 1903, authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brunswick County to issue bonds, etc., with a favorable report.

H. B. 396, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Sumner, Township, Guilford County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 394, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Brunswick County to deposit certain funds to be known as a sinking fund, with a favorable report.

H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the killing of pheasant and grouse in Ashe County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 431, a bill to be entitled an act concerning the hunting of certain game in Catawba County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3481 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to hunting in Randolph County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in Henderson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 334, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Henderson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of deer and other game in Cherokee County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Printing, H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to advertising the sale of real property, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act in reference to public printing, with an unfavorable report.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Printing.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 3120, Cherokee County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 37, a bill to incorporate the Roxboro Real Estate and Trust Company, with an unfavorable report as to bill, with favorable report as to substitute.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 737, Public Laws of 1903, to prevent depredations of domestic fowls in Thomasville, Davidson County, with a favorable report.
ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 169, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Whittier, in Swain and Jackson Counties, North Carolina.

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for public school purposes.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 252, S. B. 264, an act to amend section 2601 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 375, S. B. 338, an act to appoint J. W. Bostian a justice of the peace in Stanly County.

H. B. 377, S. B. 318, an act to protect game in Bertie County.

H. B. 298, S. B. 37, an act to allow the Commissioners of Mitchell County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 317, S. B. 341, an act to amend the charter of the South and Western Railroad Company.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Gordon, H. R. 434, a resolution to appropriate $20,000 additional to the Jamestown Exposition.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 435, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 2078 and 5167 of the Revisal, and to appropriate the revenue derived from the liquor traffic to the public schools of the State.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Julian, H. B. 436, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Joseph A. Pool a justice of the peace for Rowan County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hooker, H. B. 437, an act to incorporate the Washington Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 438, an act entitled an act for bond issue for Maxton, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Clarendon, in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Julian, H. B. 440, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the People's Bank and Trust Company of Salisbury, N. C. 
Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.
By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3334 of the Revisal of 1905, defining intent to commit burglary.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled an act to put the State and defendant on an equality in the selection of the jury.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 1881 and 1884 of the Revisal, prescribing the time for hunting deer and quail in Richmond County.
Referred to the Committee on Game.
By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the hours of labor in factories and to prevent child-labor at night.
Referred to the Committee on Manufacturing and Labor.
By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Caswell County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled an act to provide instruction in public schools as to the nature and effect of alcoholic drinks and narcotics.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 447, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1377 of the Revisal relating to the duties of justices of the peace.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 448, a bill to be entitled an act to divide the net proceeds of the Vanceboro dispensary in Craven County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Peele, by request, H. B. 450, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate, consolidate and reimburse the Moore's Creek Battle Ground Association.
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the throwing acids and other deleterious substances in water-courses in North Carolina, destroying trees and other vegetables.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Mr. Bruton, H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of jurors in Montgomery County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Yount, H. B. 453, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded public schools in the town of Highland, Catawba County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. Yount, H. B. 454, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 287 of the Private Laws of 1895, enlarging the corporate limits of the town of West Hickory.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 455, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to levy a special tax to pay off outstanding indebtedness incurred on account of the maintenance of a chain-gang and the erection of iron bridges.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hanes, by request, H. B. 456, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1432 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to paying jurors in justices' trials.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Hanes, by request, H. B. 457, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2773 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fees of the Clerk of the Court in Yadkin County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 458, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the punishment of pools, trusts and conspiracies to control prices, etc.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Winborne, by request, H. B. 459, a bill to be entitled an act to confer additional powers on boards of county commissioners and to aid the enforcement of the criminal laws.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Winborne, by request, H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled an act to create a Fish Commissioner for the State.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 238, H. B. 461, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the separation of prisoners suffering with tuberculosis from other prisoners.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

S. B. 54, H. B. 462, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Mutual Trust Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 40, H. B. 463, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 2442, chapter 58, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the setting of pound-nets in Pasquotank River.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries,

S. B. 128, H. B. 464, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the trees in Capitol Square, in Raleigh.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 68, H. B. 465, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Siler City Loan and Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 100, H. B. 466, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1709 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to land entries, requiring both parties to give bond when protest is filed.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 26, H. B. 467, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent usury and extortion.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Parsons, H. B. 425, a bill to be entitled an act to give the State and the defendant an equal chance in the selection of a jury, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 352, a bill to be entitled an act to make indictable the violation of certain written contracts by tenants, is withdrawn from further consideration.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the pay of jurors in Rutherford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of the Attorney-General, so as to control certain corporations, destroy trusts and to put Solicitors of the State on salaries and requiring them to act as assistants to the Attorney-General under certain circumstances.

The following gentlemen send forward amendments:

Messrs. Turlington, Harshaw, Peele, Ehringhaus, Harris, Douglass, Williams.

Mr. Justice calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

The amendment of Mr. Williams is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Douglass is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Harris is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Ehringhaus is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Peele is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Harshaw is lost.

The question recurs upon the amendment of Mr. Turlington.

Upon this Mr. Dowd calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The following gentlemen give notice of a desire to explain their votes:

Messrs. Justice, Dowd, Harshaw, Baley, Bickett, Douglass, Harris, Mial, Weaver and Winborne.
Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:


The following gentlemen vote in the negative:

Mr. Speaker; Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blount, Brewer, Bryant, Buchan, Carter, Clifford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Gordon, Grant, Hankins, Jones of Pitt, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Lockhart, London, McNell, McRacken, McRae, Midyette, Neal, Parker, Parsons, Pickett, Pitt, Rodwell, Stevens, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Vaun, Weaver, Wells, Williams, Winborne, Yount—12.

The amendment of Mr. Turlington is adopted.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Dowd, the special order for to-day, it being H. B. 80, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, is postponed until next Wednesday at 12 o'clock M.

H. B. 45, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Swain County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Vance, Tillett, Turlington, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Winborne, Wood, Yount—93.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Marlboro Graded School District, in Randolph County.

As amended the bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 239. S. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4, chapter 369, Laws of 1903, authorizing the County Commissioners of Brunswick County to issue bonds, etc.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Concord to issue bonds.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Oxford to establish a sewerage system and issue bonds therefor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Yount, 200 copies of H. B. 358, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the earnings of public service corporations, ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Harris, the same orders are made as to H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled an act to promote safety of travel on railroads and to prohibit the moving of freight trains on Sunday, and H. B. 269, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the safety of the traveling public.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House adjourns to meet on Monday morning at 10 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Bumpas of Raleigh.

Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

The Speaker announces the following Committee on the Journal for the present week:

Messrs. Ebringhaus, Watts and Coleman.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Dilling, Koonce, Davidson of Cherokee, Simpson and McDaniel.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 248, S. B. 79, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 207 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to licensing attorneys-at-law, with a favorable report.

H. B. 459, a bill to be entitled an act to confer additional powers on boards of county commissioners, and to aid the enforcement of the criminal law, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3740 of the Revisal of 1905, against vagrancy, with a favorable report.

H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the crime of vagrancy and to provide for the enforcement thereof, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, H. B. 321, a bill to be entitled an act to guard against and prevent obstruction to the passage of fish in Albemarle Sound to their spawning grounds by the building of bridges across said sound, and to prevent the setting of nets at the openings of such bridges is, on motion of Mr. Winborne, withdrawn from further consideration.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Concord to issue bonds.
H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Oxford to establish a sewerage system and issue bonds therefor.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 65, S. B. 208, an act for the relief of Irvin Nall.

H. B. 112, S. B. 204, an act to make lawful the entering, for certain purposes by the owners of stock, upon the lands of other persons in Graham County.

H. B. 239, S. B. 31, an act to amend section 4, chapter 369, Public Laws of 1903, authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brunswick County to issue bonds, etc.

H. B. 255, S. B. 295, an act to regulate the trial of criminal actions in the Superior Courts of Hertford County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 468, a bill to be entitled an act to require banks holding deposits of State moneys to pay interest on the same.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 469, a bill to be entitled an act to provide suitable compensation for jurors in Washington County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 470, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2697, chapter 65, Volume I, of the Revisal of 1905, providing for the maintenance of bridges across public roads in certain instances.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 471, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2785, chapter 66, Volume I, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, regulating the compensation of County Commissioners in Washington County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 472, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of justices of the peace in Washington County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 473, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Murfreesboro.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Charles C. Sessoms a justice of the peace in Hertford County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 475, an act to amend chapter 764,
Acts of 1905, as to disposition of dispensary fund from the town of Falkland.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pritchard, H. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County to levy a special tax to pay the outstanding indebtedness of the county, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H.B. 477, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Orange County to apply the surplus of the money collected under provisions of chapter 606 of Public Laws of 1899, to general county purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Koonee, H. B. 478, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve the people from unreasonable restrictions in fire insurance policies.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled an act to secure a reduction in fire insurance rates where the danger from fire is decreased.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 480, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Brinson, H. B. 481, a bill to be entitled an act to protect wild ducks and geese in certain portions of Neuse River.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 482, a bill to be entitled an act for the preservation of certain public records of Cherokee County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 483, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3205 of the Revisal, relating to returns by justices of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 484, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Rocky Point Township, Pender County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 485, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 351, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1905, entitled an act to establish graded schools in Lake Landing Township, Hyde County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 486, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 68, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1903, entitled an act to establish graded schools in the village and township of Swan Quarter, N. C., in the county of Hyde.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Harris, H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled an act to create a firemen's relief fund and to increase the efficiency of the fire departments in the several towns and cities of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 113, Volume II, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, in relation to State boundaries.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Williams, H. B. 489, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 67, Private Laws of 1895, in regard to amending the charter of the Dover and Southbound Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 490, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for certain townships in Tyrrell County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled an act to separate the races in jails, convict camps and other places of imprisonment.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 492, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe prison food in jails and convict camps.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Morgan, H. B. 493, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Polk County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Eddins, H. B. 494, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, relative to the killing of deer in certain counties.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Cowles, H. B. 495, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4994 of chapter 105, of the Revisal of 1905, increasing the amount of property that may be owned by applicants for pensions from $500 to $750.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 496, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1891 of the Revisal of 1905, and section 4609 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to appointment of guardian on certificate from the hospitals for the insane.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 497, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905, authorizing the Governor to appoint special policemen for electric or water-power companies and construction companies.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 504, an act to be entitled an act for reciprocal demurrage.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.
By Mr. Washington, H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1311 of the Revisal of 1905, to increase the number of Commissioners of Wilson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Owen, H. B. 506, an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads in Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 199, H. B. 498, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and make the official bond of the Register of Deeds of Dare County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 198, H. B. 499, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Register of Deeds of Dare County to appoint a deputy.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 86, H. B. 500, a bill to be entitled an act to compel water companies to supply good, potable drinking water.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 351, H. B. 501, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Henrietta Robertson and George T. Walker.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. R. 354, H. R. 502, resolution to appropriate $20,000 additional for the Jamestown Exposition.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 140, H. B. 503, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for surveying lands in Mitchell County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 60, S. B. 179, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 465, Public Laws 1905, to prevent the manufacture and sale of wine in the town of Littleton, N. C.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 163, S. B. 169, a bill to be entitled an act to empower town constables to execute any process or notice, directed to any constable or lawful officer in the same manner as township constables.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing with pound nets in the water of Neuse, Pamlico, Tar and Roanoke Rivers.

With a minority report.
Mr. Winborne moves to recommit to the committee on Fish and Fisheries.

Mr. Jacobson moves to lay on the table.

Motion is lost.

The motion of Mr. Winborne is lost.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill, the minority report being adopted.

The bill passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5038 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the extension of the time to commute, compromise and settle the public debt.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 502, S. R. 354, resolution to appropriate $20,000 additional for the Jamestown Exposition.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 45, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Swain County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 39, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Marlboro Graded School District in Randolph County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker; Messrs. Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler,

Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Owen, H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Sampson County, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Neal, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

SEVENTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

January 29, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Vann, of Raleigh.

Mr. Watts, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted to Messrs. Washington and Pitt.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Winborne, petition asking appropriate legislation to protect railroad passengers against accidents and untimely deaths.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Mangum, petition from citizens of Gaston County regarding the killing of game birds in such county.

Referred to the Committee on Game.
By Mr. Watts, petition from citizens of Alexander County for the repeal of the homestead law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Julian, petition from the Rowan County Medical Society for an election on the repeal of the homestead law, and the enactment of a garnishment law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Royster, petition of 40 citizens of Granville County for the establishment of a dispensary at Creedmore, in Granville County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES,

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 430, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 2617 of the Revisal, so as not to allow railroads to confiscate coal of private parties, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 456, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1432 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to pay of jurors in justices trials, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 497, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905, authorizing the Governor to appoint special policemen for electric or water-power companies, and construction companies, with a favorable report.

H. B. 391, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3708 of the Revisal of 1905 for North Carolina, relative to carrying concealed weapons, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act to make it necessary in real actions to prove title out of the State, unless the State is a necessary party to the action and claiming an interest therein, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to exclude minors from barrooms, pool rooms and certain places, with an unfavorable report, and a minority report favoring the bill.

H. B. 503, S. B. 140, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for surveying lands in Mitchell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stevens, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 447, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1377 of the Revisal, relating to the duties of justices of the peace, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B.

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318, a bill to be entitled an act relating to liability of common carriers to their employees, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 472, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of justices of the peace in Washington County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2697, chapter 65, volume 1 of the Revisal of 1905, providing for the maintenance of bridges across public roads in certain instances, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the conduct of dispensary commissioners, managers, clerks and employees, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, for Committee on Oyster Interests, H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the oyster interests of North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on the Oyster Interests, H. B. 405. S. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit non-residents of the State from gathering oysters, clams and terrapins within the limits of the county of Brunswick, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3351 of the Revisal of 1905, extending the operation of same to all persons standing in loco parentis, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Midyette, for the Committee on Regulation of the Public Service Corporations, H. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to compel telephone companies to maintain joint receiving and transmitting stations, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 466. S. B. 100, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1709 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to land entries, requiring both parties to give bond when protest is filed, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hooker, for the Committee on Justices of the Peace, H. B. 355, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1409 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the election of justices of the peace, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pugh, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage the writing of county histories of counties established prior to 1861, with a favorable report as amended.

Mr. Carter, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of
the Attorney-General, so as to control certain corporations, destroy trusts, and to put the Solicitors of the State on salaries and require them to act as assistants to the Attorney-General under certain circumstances.

H. B. 339, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Marlboro Graded School District in Randolph County.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Stickley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 92, S. B. 147, an act to amend section 1882 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the close season for hunting squirrel in Pender County.

H. B. 123, S. B. 171, an act to prohibit hunting birds in Clay County.

H. B. 163, S. B. 169, an act to empower town constables to execute any process or notice directed to any constable or other lawful officer, in the same manner as township constables.

H. B. 181, S. B. 213, an act to encourage the killing of certain wild animals in Graham County.

H. B. 44, S. B. 149, an act to modify section 1884, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the killing of quail and partridges in the county of Swain.

H. B. 217, S. B. 306, an act to increase the number of Commissioners of Harnett County, and to appoint W. H. Turlington and D. P. McDonald commissioners.

H. B. 60, S. B. 179, an act to amend chapter 465, Public Laws of 1905.

H. B. 337, S. B. 375, an act prescribing the pay of jurors in Rutherford County.

H. B. 159, S. B. 186, an act to protect pheasants in Anson County.

H. R. 502, S. R. 354, resolution to appropriate $20,000 additional to the Jamestown Exposition.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Savings Bank and Trust Company of Elizabeth City.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 508, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Granville County to establish a special school district in Oak Hill Township.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 509, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between Lee's Township and Whiteville Township, in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Kennedy, H. B. 510, an act to incorporate the town of Garland, in Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Clifford, H. B. 511, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Dunn, in Harnett County, upon a majority vote of its citizens to establish a dispensary.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

H. B. 512, a bill to be entitled an act to make the general election law for towns and cities applicable to the county of Harnett.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 513, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of High Point to substitute bonds bearing 5 per cent, interest per annum, for bonds of said city which bear 6 per cent, interest per annum.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, H. B. 514, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in Vance County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 515, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cove City, in Craven County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 516, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subsection 4 of section 2001 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to contract with cropper and tenant.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hooker, H. B. 517, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 245 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of the Session of 1903.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 518, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of James Thomas.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 519, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1283 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to costs.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 520, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to stock-law in Ashe County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 521, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a stock-law election held in and for Ashe County on May 26, 1903.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Manning, by request, H. B. 522, a bill to be entitled an act to compromise, adjust and settle the indebtedness of the University to the estate of the late Governor David L. Swain.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 523, a bill to be entitled an act to require insurance companies to deposit cost or securities with the Insurance Commissioner of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the game law of Durham County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 525, a bill to be entitled an act to confer power on Deputy Clerks of the Superior Court to take proofs of wills and grant letters testamentary and of administrators.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 63, Public Laws of 1905, and to amend the charter of the town of Scotland Neck.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled an act to furnish and maintain a woman's annex to the State Hospital at Raleigh, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Insane Asylums.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 532, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Caldwell County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, by request, H. B. 533, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, and enlarge the powers of the Corporation Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 301, H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to revise, amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Lexington.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence, and on motion of Mr. Hankins, the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 283, H. B. 526, a bill to be entitled an act relating to hunting deer in Nash County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. B. 294, H. B. 527, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer in McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 94, H. B. 528, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the squirrel law so far as it relates to Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. B. 133, H. B. 529, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1882 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to hunting, killing, etc., of squirrels in Lenoir County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 34, S. B. 247, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal of 1905.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the same is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 35, S. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to correct the calls in State Grant No. 1278, in Macon County (now Jackson County), issued to William J. Stewart, assignee.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3740 of the Revisal of 1905, against vagrancy.

Passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 202, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in parts of Black River and Six Runs River in Sampson County.

Passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Substitute for H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 203, Public Laws of 1905, providing for the pay of one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Watauga County, when "not a true bill" is found.

The original bill is laid on the table.

The following gentlemen send forward amendments:

Messrs. Harshaw and Byrd, and as amended, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 248, S. B. 79, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 207 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to licensing attorneys-at-law.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 249, S. B. 82, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4991 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to pensions, so as to make this section apply to a Confederate pensioner who has lost an arm and a leg.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3481 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to hunting in Randolph County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Substitute for H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors.

The substitute is adopted and passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require the establishment of railroad depots within a shorter distance than five miles.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in Henderson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 334, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Henderson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled an act permitting cities and towns to condemn lands for use as a cemetery under certain conditions.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 363, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2696 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to building bridges.

Passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 3120, Cherokee County, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 368, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the time for hunting deer in Northampton County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 371, S. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit public drunkenness in certain counties of North Carolina.

Mr. Peele offers an amendment, which is adopted.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

H. B. 373, S. B. 138, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Yadkin County.

On motion of Mr. Hanes, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the liquor traffic.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of deer and other game in Cherokee County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to the advertising of the sale of real property.

The amendment is adopted and the bill takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the killing of pheasants or grouse in Ashe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 396, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Summer Township, Guilford County, to Gorrell Township.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 475, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 764, Acts of 1905, as to disposition of district fund from town of Falkland.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 501, S. B. 351, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Henrietta Robertson and George T. Walker.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1311 of the Revisal of 1905, to increase the number of Commissioners of Wilson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 256, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Kilkenny School-house in Tyrrell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 516, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subsection 4 of section 2001 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to contracts.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 519, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1283 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to costs.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the conduct of dispensary commissioners, managers, clerks and employees.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 503, S. B. 140, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for surveying lands in Mitchell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 472, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of justices of the peace in Washington County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 512, a bill to be entitled an act to make the general election law for towns and cities applicable to the county of Harnett.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 355, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1409 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the election of justices of the peace.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 466, S. B. 100, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1709 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to land entries, requiring both parties to give bond when protest is filed.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 410, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the use of drag or haul nets in the waters of Goose Creek and its tributaries.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 417, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within two miles of Bullock Baptist Church, in Granville County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 737, Public Laws of 1903, to prevent depredations of domestic fowls in Thomasville, Davidson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 427, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. C. Sanderlin a justice of the peace for McDowell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 428, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 426, Public Laws of 1905, stock-law, McDowell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 431, a bill to be entitled an act concerning the hunting of
certain game in Catawba County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and
sent to the Senate.

H. B. 433, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the
peace for Yancey County.
Passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. R. 434, resolution to appropriate $20,000 additional to James-
town Exposition.
On motion of Mr. Doughton, is laid on the table.

H. B. 436, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Joseph A. Poole a
justice of the peace for Rowan County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and
sent to the Senate.

H. B. 448, a bill to be entitled an act to divide the net proceeds
of the Vanceboro dispensary in Craven County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of jurors in
Montgomery County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and
sent to the Senate.

H. B. 464, S. B. 128, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the trees
in the Capitol Square in Raleigh.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for
ratification.

H. B. 497, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the
Revisal of 1905, authorizing the Governor to appoint special police-
men for electric or water-power companies and construction com-
panies.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 485, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 351, Private-
Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1903, entitled an act to establish
graded schools in Lake Landing Township, Hyde County, N. C.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 486, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 68, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1903, entitled an act to establish graded schools in the village and township of Swan Quarter, N. C., in the county of Hyde.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing with pound-nets in the waters of Neuse, Pamlico, Tar and Roanoke Rivers.

On motion of Mr. Douglass the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the oyster interests of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Oyster Interests, and 300 copies are ordered printed.

Substitute for H. B. 37, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Roxboro Real Estate and Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 240, S. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company.

Substitute adopted, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 241, S. B. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Forsyth Savings and Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 353, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 285, Private Laws of 1905, incorporating the Grove Academy, Duplin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 420, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Young Men's Christian Association of Wilmington to issue bonds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 421, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the efficiency of the James Walker Memorial Hospital at Wilmington.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 462, S. B. 84, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Mutual Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to exclude minors from bar-rooms, pool rooms and certain other places.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unnecessary in real action to prove title out of the State, unless the State is a necessary party to the action and claiming interest therein, is committed to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Vann, H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled an act to create a Fish Commission for the State, and 300 copies are ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Manning, the same order is made as to H. B. 27,
a bill to be entitled an act to compel telephone companies to maintain joint receiving and transmitting stations.

On motion of Mr. Midyette, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 A. M.

EIGHTEENTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

January 30, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Starling, of Raleigh.

Mr. Ehringhaus, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Hooker, until Monday.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Parsons, petition of citizens of Hamlet, North Carolina, urging legislation to protect the traveling public.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Watts, petition from citizens of Alexander County asking that Charlie Lackey, Jacob Goble and Miles Lentz be appointed justices of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Julian, petition from Rev. J. H. Fesperman of Rowan County, setting forth cause why he should receive a pension, in which is incorporated an autobiography.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, petition to investigate the official contract of Shell Fish Commissioner.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 533, a bill to be entitled an act to amend Revisal of
1905, and enlarge the powers of the Corporation Commission, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Price of Union, for same committee, H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroad companies to install and operate additional passenger trains and to require them to make certain connections, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of 1903, and to limit the time for the completion of the Carolina and Tennessee Southern Railroad, with a favorable report.

H. B. 131, S. B. 6, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tryor Electric Light, Water and Power Company, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute.

By Mr. Parsons, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize deposits standing in the name of a minor in any savings bank, or National bank having a savings department, to be paid directly to such minor, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Savings Bank and Trust Company of Elizabeth City, with a favorable report.

H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Macon County Bank, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Parsons, for the Committee on Immigration, H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage immigration, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Ehrlinghaus, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 399, S. B. 139, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit misrepresentation by life insurance companies, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 398, S. B. 75, a bill to be entitled an act regulating insurance companies and prohibiting the diversion of funds for political purposes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 467, S. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent usury and extortion, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State to condemn property for the use of the penal and charitable institutions of the State when unable to agree on price with owner, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 283, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve persons from working the public roads of Vance County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 354 of the Public Laws of 1891, which is an act to provide for working
the roads and highways of Clay County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 387, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2708 of the Revisal of 1905, so as to increase the pay of jurors in Jones County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wells, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 498, S. B. 199, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and make the official bond of the Register of Deeds of Dare County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the road known as the Kenansville and Magnolia Sand Clay Road, in Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton-weigher for the town of Benson, Johnston County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 515, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cove City, in Craven County, with a favorable report as amended by the Committee.

H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Clarendon, in Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. John, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 513, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of High Point to substitute bonds bearing 5 per cent. interest per annum for bonds of said city which bear 6 per cent. interest per annum, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 509, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between Lee's Township and Whiteville Township, in Columbus County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 477, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Orange County to apply the surplus of the money collected under provisions of chapter 606, Public Laws of 1889, to general county purposes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bryant, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 510, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Garland, in Sampson County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gordon, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 491, S. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in certain specific territory in Moore County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Blount, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 453, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded public schools in the town of Highland, Catawba County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.
Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 3120, Cherokee County, North Carolina.

H. B. 427, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. C. Sanderlin a justice of the peace for McDowell County.

H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 737, Public Laws of 1905, to prevent depredation of domestic fowls in Thomasville, Davidson County.

H. B. 431, a bill to be entitled an act concerning the hunting of certain game in Catawba County.

H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to liquor traffic.

H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1283, chapter 22, Revisal of 1905, providing one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Watauga, Caldwell and Yancey Counties, where "not a true bill" is found.

H. B. 368, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the time for hunting deer in Northampton County.

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage the writing of county histories of counties established prior to 1861.

H. B. 436, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Joseph A. Poole a justice of the peace for Rowan County.

H. B. 202, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in parts of Black River and Six Run River, in Sampson County.

H. B. 519, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1283 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to costs.

H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing of pheasants or grouse in Ashe County.

H. B. 315, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors.

H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled an act permitting cities and towns to condemn lands for use as cemetery under certain conditions.

H. B. 417, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within two miles of Bullock Baptist Church, in Granville County.

H. B. 396, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Sumner Township, Guilford County.

H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of jurors in Montgomery County.

H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3481, Revisal of 1905, in reference to hunting in Randolph County.

H. B. 256, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Kilkenny School-house.

Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the
following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly
ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 186, S. B. 301, an act to revise, amend and consolidate the
charter of the town of Lexington.

H. B. 35, S. B. 150, an act to correct the calls in State Grant No.
1272, in Macon County, now Jackson County, issued to William J.
Stewart, assignee.

H. B. 240, S. B. 82, an act to amend section 4991 of the Revisal
of 1905, relating to pensions, so as to make this section apply to a
Confederate pensioner who has lost an arm and a leg.

H. B. 282, S. B. 333, an act to provide for the election of the
Board of Commissioners of Vance County by a vote of the people.

H. B. 55, S. B. 110, an act to repeal chapter 151 of the Public
Laws of 1905, relative to impounding hogs in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 11, S. B. 315, an act to restore to the dogs of Franklin
County their ancient immunity from taxation.

H. B. 503, S. B. 140, an act to survey lands in Mitchell County.

H. B. 99, S. B. 334, an act for the relief of Miss Lula Swindell,
a public-school teacher of Hyde County.

H. B. 273, S. B. 245, an act to appoint trustees to take over and
loan the Coddle Creek Railroad bond funds of Iredell County until
the said bonds become due.

H. B. 466, S. B. 100, an act to amend section 1700 of the Revisal
of 1905, relating to land entries requiring both parties to give bond
when protest is filed.

H. B. 501, S. B. 351, an act for the relief of Mrs. Henrietta Robert-
son and George T. Walker.

H. B. 464, S. B. 123, an act to protect the trees in the Capitol
Square, in Raleigh.

H. B. 405, S. B. 29, an act to prohibit non-residents from gather-
ing oysters, clams and terrapins within the limits of the county of
Brunswick.

H. B. 259, S. B. 360, an act to allow the County Commissioners of
Jones County to issue bonds to build bridges across Trent River, in
Jones County.

H. B. 248, S. B. 79, an act to amend section 207 of the Revisal of
1905 of North Carolina, relating to licensing attorneys-at-law.

H. B. 74, S. B. 217, an act to amend chapter 23 of the Private Laws
of 1905.

H. B. 216, S. B. 211, an act to prohibit the waiving of bills of
indictment in certain cases.

H. B. 297, S. B. 246, an act to provide for the appointment of
court stenographers for Warren County.
Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 535, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. E. Searcy and Zeb V. Taylor as justices of the peace in Chimney Rock Township, in Rutherford County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 536, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain a normal school in Eastern Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 537, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Mechanics Dime Savings Bank, chapter 279 of the Private Laws of 1905.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 538, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the citizens of Lenoir, in Caldwell County, to vote on a bond issue.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 539, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 57, Private Laws of 1905, relating to charter of Red Springs, Robeson County.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Preston, H. B. 540, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unjust discriminations in freight and passenger rates.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Nantahala Railroad Flume and Transportation Company, incorporated by chapter 341, Private Laws of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 542, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the crop lien law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. White, H. B. 543, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Person County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 544, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Plymouth to issue bonds and levy a special tax.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act relating to certain lands belonging to the State Board of Education.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 96 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the State Historical Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
H. B. 537, a bill to be entitled an act to perfect the title to certain lands.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, H. B. 548, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2026 of the Revisal, as to filing liens.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 549, a bill to be entitled an act to make the fellow servant law apply to express companies.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 550, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 439 of the Laws of 1901, relative to straightening certain portions of stock-law fence in Lenoir County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 552, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the support and maintenance of the University of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Hertford County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Mangum, by request, H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint David P. DeLLinger a justice of the peace and allow him to practice law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 556, a bill to be entitled an act to require the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Rockingham County to keep an itemized statement of fees, and Sheriff to render to commissioners a verified statement.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 557, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Luna Phillips.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Bolton, by request, H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 54 of the Public Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 438 of the Public Laws of 1903, and to place insurance companies in competition like other citizens of North Carolina in whatever they offer for sale.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887, entitled an act relating to the public schools in the town of Durham.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. Baley, H. B. 560, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate courts so that both civil and criminal causes may be tried at February and August Terms in Madison County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 561, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the Commissioners of New Hanover County to work their convicts beyond the limits of said county.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Watts, by request, H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the farmers of Alexander County against sawdust.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 563, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the New Bern Graded Schools.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Grant, H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working and improvement of the roads and public highways in the county of Davie.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Morton, H. R. 565, resolution.

Placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, is laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 161, H. B. 566, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Burlington, chapter 294, Private Laws of 1903.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 370, H. B. 567, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a new school district in Watauga County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 332, H. B. 568, a bill to be entitled an act appointing R. Hicks, T. V. Avent and I. F. Finch members of the County Board of Education of Nash County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 313, H. B. 569, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Ashpole, in Robeson County, to Fairmount.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 321, H. B. 570, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 130, Public Laws of 1905, in relation to killing squirrels in Bertie and Martin Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. B. 345, H. B. 571, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3052 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to water supplies.

Referred to the Committee on Health.
S. B. 194, H. B. 572, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of fish in North Pacolet River and Baugh's Creek and their tributaries in Polk County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. B. 367, H. B. 573, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale and importation of liquors in Lincoln and Catawba Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 348, H. B. 574, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale and importation of liquors in Lincoln and Catawba Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 330, H. B. 575, a bill to be entitled an act relating to court stenographers for Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 387, H. B. 576, a bill to be entitled an act to correct the spelling of the county seat of Cherokee County, in this State.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 221, H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to make valid the registration of certain deeds and the proofs and acknowledgments thereof.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

**THE CALENDAR.**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 498, S. B. 199, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and make the official bond of the Register of Deeds of Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 243, S. B. 97, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Algernon S. Barbee a justice of the peace for Chapel Hill Township, in Orange County.

On motion of Mr. Pritchard, is taken from the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

Placed on the Calendar and passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the road known as the Kenansville and Magnolia Sand Clay Road, in Duplin County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton-weigher for the town of Benson, Johnston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 515, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cove City, in Craven County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Substitute for H. B. 131, S. B. 6, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tryon Electric Light and Water Power Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 485, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 351, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1905, entitled an act to establish graded schools in Lake Landing Township, Hyde County, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 486, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 68, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1903, entitled an act to establish graded schools in the village and township of Swan Quarter, N. C., in the county of Hyde.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Eldins, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gibbs, Gillam, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, John, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Liverman, Lockhart, London, McDaniel, McLean, McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Mangum, Mial, Midyette, Morgan, Mull, Neal, Park, Parker, Parsons, Peele, Pickett,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 453, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded public schools in the town of Highland, Catawba County.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 401, S. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in certain specific territory in Moore County.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Blount, this bill is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of 1903, and to limit the time for the completion of the Carolina and Tennessee Southern Railroad.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to advertising the sale of real property.

On motion of Mr. Mangum, is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the chair lays before the House H. B. 80, an act to extend and enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, together with committee amendments.

Messrs. Lockhart and Ehringhaus offer amendments.
Mr. Morton offers amendments.
Mr. Douglass offers the following motion:
"That this bill, together with all other bills and resolutions which are now before this house touching or affecting public corporations and the Corporation Commission, be referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations, with the request that they draw a bill embodying all such features contained in such resolutions and bills as in their opinion would be advisable to enact into a law."

Mr. Clifford offers an amendment.
Mr. Parsons offers an amendment.
Mr. Harris offers an amendment.
Mr. Manning offers an amendment.
The motion of Mr. Douglass is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Manning is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Harris is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Parsons is withdrawn.
The amendment of Mr. Clifford is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Morton is lost.
The second amendment of Mr. Morton is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Ehringhaus is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Lockhart is adopted.
The amendment of the committee, as offered through Mr. Lockhart for the committee, is adopted.
The further amendment of the committee is also adopted.
The question then recurs upon the passage of the bill as amended, and passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Vann, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. J. C. Massee of Raleigh.

Mr. Ehringhaus, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Washington, Cowles, Sharp and Vann.

The courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-member Hon. Judge Graham of Granville, also to Hon. T. W. Mason of Northampton.

On motion of Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 80, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, with all amendments, is ordered printed; 300 copies thereof.

An amendment is offered by Mr. Lockhart, and consideration of the same is made a special order for Friday, February 1st, at 12 o'clock M.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Winborne, an address from the National Congress on uniform divorce laws to the President and the Congress of the United States, the Governors and Legislatures of the several States, and resolutions adopted by the Divorce Congress at Washington, February 19-23, 1906.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Preston, resolution from the Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, held at Rocky Mount in November, 1906, favoring the establishment of a reformatory for youthful criminals in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Blount, petition of citizens of Washington County asking that certain nets in Roanoke River be not interfered with.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Hankins, petition from retail merchants of Lexington relative to the homestead law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Buchan, petition from the citizens of Aberdeen, N. C., to the General Assembly to abate the evils of Mormonism.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.
Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Public Service Corporations, H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to grant to the Carolina, Glenanna and Pee Dee Railway and Development Company the right to suspend operations as a common carrier, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Proposition and Grievances, H. B. 289, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent mischievous stock running at large in Pitt County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gordon, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act to repay a loan for sewerage at the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Blount, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year between the ages of eight and fourteen, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 547, a bill to be entitled an act to perfect the title to certain lands, with a favorable report.

H. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act relating to certain lands belonging to the State Board of Education, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Tillett, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 508, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Granville County to establish a special school district in Oak Hill Township, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pugh, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 567, S. B. 370, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a new school district in Watauga County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887, entitled an act relating to the public schools in the town of Durham, with a favorable report.

H. B. 563, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the New Bern Graded Schools, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled an act to provide instruction in public schools as to the nature and effects of alcoholic drinks and narcotics, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Lockhart, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a short form of land mort-
gage or deed in trust, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Winborne, H. R. 253, a resolution to pay certain claims against the State growing out of the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Company, with an unfavorable report, and upon request, is placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to codify the law in regard to the negligence of telegraph companies in mental anguish cases, with an unfavorable report, and a minority report, and is placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale and manufacture of spirituous liquors in Madison County, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute ordered by the committee.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Creedmore, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 485, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 351, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1905, entitled an act to establish graded schools in Lake Landing Township, Hyde County, North Carolina.

H. B. 515, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cove City, in Craven County.

H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the road known as the Kenansville and Magnolia Sand-clay road in Duplin County.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Stickley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 23, S. B. 144, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to issue bonds in the sum of $300,000 to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county.

H. B. 34, S. B. 247, an act to amend section 1573 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 462, S. B. 84, an act to incorporate the Mutual Trust Company.
H. B. 144, S. B. 182, an act to authorize the city of High Point to issue bonds.

H. B. 498, S. B. 199, an act to fix and make the official bond of the Register of Deeds of Dare County.

H. B. 243, S. B. 97, an act to appoint Algernon S. Barbee a justice of the peace for Chapel Hill Township, in Orange County.

H. B. 241, S. B. 55, an act to incorporate the Forsyth Savings and Trust Company.

H. B. 272, S. B. 359, an act to correct a defect in an act passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina, as is shown in the Private Acts of 1903, chapter 93, page 158, and to further amend the same.

H. B. 203, S. B. 209, an act to provide against the evils resulting from the traffic in certain narcotic drugs, and to regulate the sale thereof.

H. B. 436, S. B. 427, an act to appoint Joseph A. Pool a justice of the peace for Rowan County.

H. B. 26, S. B. 143, an act to abolish compulsory labor upon the public roads of Durham County.

H. B. 240, S. B. 47, an act to amend the charter of the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway.

H. B. 329, S. B. 336, an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, defining the place of sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 131, S. B. 6, an act to incorporate the Tryon Electric Light, Water and Power Company.

H. B. 351, S. B. 373, an act to authorize the town of Oxford to establish a sewerage system and to issue bonds therefor.

H. B. 360, S. B. 363, an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds and to levy a special tax for public school purposes.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 312, H. B. 305, a bill to be entitled an act to make the provisions of sections 3366 and 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, apply to the counties of Rowan and Rutherford, landlord and tenant act.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 357, H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Roper, in Washington County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 310, H. B. 577, a bill to be entitled an act to require certain high schools and colleges to have a night watchman.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 413, H. B. 578, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to work the convicts
of said county upon works other than the county roads when, in
their opinion, it is not practicable to work them on the roads.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Substitute for S. B. 266, H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled an act to
incorporate the town of Spruce Pine, in Mitchell County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 308, H. B. 580, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the
Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the
capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad
Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and dis-
posed of as follows:

By Mr. Bolton, H. B. 581, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 2784 of the Revisal relative to the pay of election officers.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 582, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for
the support, maintenance and equipment of the North Carolina Col-
lege of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 583, a bill to be entitled an act to stimulate high school
instruction in the public schools of the State.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 584, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for
the registration of conditional sales of railroad equipment and rolling
stock.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 585, a bill to be entitled an
act to provide for the building of a fence between Clay and Cherokee
Counties and other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 586, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the
procedure of condemning lands.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to provide
for holding the courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the
escape of dangerous criminals.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing
the Commissioners of New Hanover County to call an election upon
the question of issuing bonds for road purposes.

Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 590, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to employ a duly licensed auditor.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, H. B. 591, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 821, chapter 12, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to return of summons in special cases.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 26 of Private Laws of 1905, relative to the Bryson City Graded School, in Swain County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 593, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2G31 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, pertaining to the tender and receiving of freight for shipment.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 594, a bill to be entitled an act to change the jurisdiction of April Term of the Superior Court of Richmond County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pritchard, H. B. 595, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Orange County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 596, a bill to be entitled an act exempting the graded schools of the town of Rockingham from using only textbooks adopted by the State Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 597, a bill to be entitled an act amending the Revisal as to railway police.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 297 of the Public Laws of 1899, in regard to the County Commissioners of Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 600, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to the Board of Education of Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 601, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the State's interest in public lands, and to protect the forests in Western North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.
By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 602, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Board of Commissioners of McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 603, a bill to be entitled an act to create a free school district in McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 604, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unlawful to fell trees in Broad River and its tributaries in McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 605, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to chapter 448, Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 131, Public Laws of 1895, in relation to railroad subscriptions by certain townships of Stokes County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 606, a bill to be entitled an act to protect purchasers and dealers from short weights, and to prevent fraudulent packing and sale of flour.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 607, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Randolph County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Cox, H. B. 608, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Forsyth County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Coleman, H. B. 609, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the stock-law in Hayesville Township, Clay County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Morgan, by request, H. B. 610, a bill to be entitled an act to adjust, define and establish the boundary line between Polk and Henderson Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 611, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the Water and Light Commission for the City of New Bern.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 612, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 82, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the city of New Bern.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 613, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the boundaries of the city of New Bern.

Placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. McNell, H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the hours of labor in cotton mills, is withdrawn from the Committee on Health and recommitted to the Committee on Manufacturing and Labor.

On motion of Mr. Peele, H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage immigration, is made a special order for next Tuesday, February 5th, at 12 M.
Mr. Lockhart rises to a question of personal privilege concerning some newspaper statement as to his actions in regard to the reformatory bill.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 578, S. B. 413, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pitt County to work the convicts of said county upon works other than the county roads, when in their opinion it is not practicable to work them on the roads, is taken from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 536, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain a normal school in Eastern Carolina, is re-committed to the Committee on Education.

The Speaker announces the following additions to the standing committees:

Salaries and Fees—Messrs. Koonce, Avery Williams and Bickett.

Insurance—Mr. Koonce.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 253, resolution to pay certain claims against the State growing out of the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Company, is laid on the table.

Mr. Douglass moves to reconsider the vote by which the bill was tabled, and moves to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

Motion carried.

H. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act relating to certain lands belonging to the State Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year between the ages of eight and fourteen.

Mr. Peele offers amendments.

The following gentlemen offer amendments:

Messrs. Winborne, Midyette and Turlington.

On motion of Mr. Blount, further consideration of the bill is deferred, and is made a special order for Thursday, February 7, 1907, at the expiration of the morning hour.

H. B. 305, S. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to make the provisions of sections 3366 and 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, apply to the counties of Rowan and Rutherford, landlord and tenant act.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 547, a bill to be entitled an act to perfect the title to certain lands.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 331, S. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Roper, in Washington County, North Carolina.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 354 of the Public Laws of 1891, which is an act to provide for working the roads and highways of Clay County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Clarendon, in Columbus County.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 453, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded public schools in the town of Highland, in Catawba County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 510, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Garland, in Sampson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 544, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Plymouth to issue bonds and levy a special tax.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act to repay a loan for sewerage at the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to grant to the Carolina, Glenanna and Pee Dee Railway and Development Company the right to suspend operations as a common carrier.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 550, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 439 of the Laws of 1901, relative to straightening certain portions of the stock-law fence in Lenoir County.

On motion of Mr. McDaniel, the bill is taken from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1 and placed on the Calendar, and upon its immediate passage, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3740 of the Revisal of 1905, against vagrancy.

Passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Macon County Bank.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 230, S. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to make valid
the registration of certain deeds and the proofs and acknowledgments thereof.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 283, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve persons from working the public roads of Vance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize deposits standing in the name of a minor in any savings bank, or National bank having a savings department, to be paid directly to such minor.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 578, S. B. 413, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to work the convicts of said county upon works other than the county roads when in their opinion it is not practicable to work on the roads.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State to condemn property for the use of the penal and charitable institutions of the State when unable to agree on price with owner.

As amended, passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 363, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2636 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to building bridges.

Passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 387, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2798 of the Revisal of 1905, so as to increase the pay of jurors in Jones County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 398, S. B. 75, a bill to be entitled an act regulating insurance companies and prohibiting the diversion of funds for political purposes.

Mr. Stevens offers an amendment.
Mr. Peele offers an amendment.
Mr. Mangum moves to table the bill.
The motion is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Peele is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Stevens is lost.
The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

On motion of Mr. McRae, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Tyree, of Raleigh.

Mr. Ehringhaus, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Griffin, Mull, Carter, Hollowell, Royster, Laughinghouse, Johnson of Johnston.

Mr. Ehringhaus is added to the Committee on Oyster and Oyster Interests.

Messrs. McDaniel, McNeill, Gillam and Clifford are added to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Whitley, petition from citizens of Martin County to abolish the homestead law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt, petition asking for a dispensary in the town of Bethel, Pitt County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Yount, petition from certain citizens of Catawba County asking to be annexed to the corporation of the town of Newton.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

A petition from certain citizens of Catawba County asking for the incorporation of the town of Motive, Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 489, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 67, Private Laws of 1905, in regard to amending charter of the Dover and Southbound Railroad Company, with a favorable report.
H. B. 539, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 57, Private Laws of 1903, relating to charter of Red Springs, Robeson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 517, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 245 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, at the Session of 1903, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Lockhart, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 438, a bill to be entitled an act for bond issue for Maxton, North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 454, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 287 of the Private Laws of 1895, enlarging the corporate limits of the town of West Hickory, with a favorable report.

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of Old Fort and to increase the tax rate for said town of Old Fort, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 602, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Board of Commissioners of McDowell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. John, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 569, S. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Ashpole, in Robeson County, to Fairmount, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bryant, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 509, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 297 of the Public Laws of 1899, in regard to the County Commissioners of Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Buchan, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 566, S. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Burlington, chapter 204, Private Laws of 1903, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Macon County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. McLean, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County to levy a special tax to pay the outstanding indebtedness of the county and for other purposes, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Wells, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and
Townships, H. B. 579, S. B. 266, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Spruce Pine, in Mitchell County, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Nantahala Railroad, Flume and Transportation Company, incorporated by chapter 341, Private Laws of 1905, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Thomas S. Wright, ex-Sheriff of Richmond County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wood, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 468, a bill to be entitled an act to require banks holding deposits of the State to pay interest on the same, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 576, S. B. 387, a bill to be entitled an act to correct the spelling of the county seat of Cherokee County, in this State, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax, with a favorable report.

H. B. 455, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to levy a special tax to pay off outstanding indebtedness incurred on account of the maintenance of chain gang and the erection of iron bridges, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute ordered by the committee.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 525, a bill to be entitled an act to confer power on Deputy Clerks of Superior Court to take proofs of wills and grant letters testamentary of administration, with a favorable report, with a minority report attached.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 373, S. B. 138, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Yadkin County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 482, a bill to be entitled an act for the preservation of certain public records of Cherokee County, with a favorable report as amended by the Committee.

H. B. 483, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3205 of the Revisal, relating to returns by justices of the peace, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 496, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1891 of the Revisal of 1905, and section 4059 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to appointment of guardians on certificate from hospitals for insane, with a favorable report.

H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the escape of dangerous criminals, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the State to take the depositions of witnesses whenever the defend-
ant in any criminal action avails himself of the statute allowing him to take the deposition of witnesses to be used as evidence on the trial, with a favorable report, and a minority report attached.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 573, S. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the manufacture, sale and importation of liquor in Lincoln and Catawba Counties, with a favorable report.

H. B. 224, S. B. 72, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 349, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale and importation of liquors in Cleveland and other counties by adding thereto Lincoln and Catawba Counties, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Hertford County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working and improvement of the roads and public highways in the county of Davie, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Byrd, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Caswell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 364, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 210 of the Public Laws of North Carolina for 1905, it being an act to improve the public roads in Valley Township, Cherokee County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

H. B. 506, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Sampson County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 344, S. B. 136, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Gates County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McNeill, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 572, S. B. 345, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3052 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to water supplies, with an unfavorable report.

And on motion of Dr. Gordon, is recommitted to the Committee on Health.

H. B. 423, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of customers of barber shops, with a favorable report.

H. B. 461, S. B. 238, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the separation of prisoners suffering with tuberculosis from other prisoners, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 332, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 141, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1903, entitled an act to
provide a dispensary for the town of Creswell and township of Scuppernong, in the county of Washington, with a favorable report.

H. B. 511, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Dunn, in Harnett County, upon a majority vote of its citizens, to establish a dispensary, with a favorable report.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3740 of the Revisal of 1905, against vagrancy.

H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2696 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to building bridges.

H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize deposits standing in the name of a minor in any savings bank, or National bank having a savings department, to be paid directly to such minors.

H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to grant to Carolina, Glenanna and Pee Dee Railway and Development Company the right to suspend operations as a common carrier.

H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Macon County Bank.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 305, S. B. 312, an act to make sections 3366 and 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, apply to the counties of Rowan and Rutherford.

H. B. 230, S. B. 221, an act to make valid the registration of certain deeds and the proofs and acknowledgments thereof.

H. B. 183, S. B. 351, an act to amend chapter 122 of the Private Laws of 1901, relative to graded schools in the town of Hendersonville.

H. B. 185, S. B. 271, an act to provide for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek, in the county of Davie.

H. B. 154, S. B. 167, an act to provide pay for special veniremen in Anson County.

H. B. 324, S. B. 337, an act to amend section 2798 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

H. B. 331, S. B. 357, an act to incorporate the town of Roper, in Washington County, North Carolina.

H. B. 573, S. B. 413, an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to work the convicts of said county upon works other than the county roads, when, in their opinion, it is not practicable to work them on the roads.

H. B. 311, S. B. 291, an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to divorce.

H. B. 256, S. B. 437, an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating
liquors within three miles of the Kilkenny School-house, in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 417, S. B. 441, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within two miles of Bullock Baptist Church, in Granville County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, H. R. 614, resolution relating to the payment of P. C. Gaston for services as messenger to the Engrossing Clerk and for the employment of an additional stenographer.

Referred to the Committee on Expenditures of the House.

By Mr. Douglass, H. R. 615, a joint resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, by request, H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 15, Private Laws of 1905, being the charter of Elizabeth City, and to authorize the Board of Aldermen of said city to issue bonds and levy a tax for street improvements.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 617, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy a tax to pay the floating indebtedness of said city.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Neal, H. B. 618, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Enfield Township, Halifax County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County to appoint a deputy.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt, H. B. 620, a bill relative to establishing a dispensary in the town of Bethel, Pitt County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 621, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, transferring Yadkin County to the 13th Judicial District and for changing the time of holding the courts of Rowan and Davidson Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 622, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2707 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the regulation of tolls of ferries.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 623, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Rockingham County three and one-half dollars per day and mileage.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 624, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge
Mount Mourne Special School Tax District, in Iredell County, N. C.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Washington, H. B. 625, a bill to be entitled an act to sup-
ply the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wilson County with certain
volumes of the reports of the Supreme Court of North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Library.

By Mr. Grant, H. B. 626, a bill to be entitled an act to provide
for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek, in Davie
County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 627, a bill to be entitled an act to
amend chapter 81 of the Revisal of North Carolina, by adding
a section thereto immediately following section 3367, to make in-
dictable the violation of certain written contracts by tenants.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 628, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sec-
tion 2788, Revisal of 1905, relating to costs in justices of the peace's
courts.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Mangum, H. B. 636, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sec-
tion 2788 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the fees of justices
of the peace.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 637, a bill to be entitled an act for the
separate accommodation of white and colored passengers upon street
cars and for other purposes.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Cor-
porations.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following
bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 378, H. B. 629, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent live-
stock from running at large in Grassy Creek Township, in Mitchell
County, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 459, H. B. 630, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the
charter of the graded school of the town of Albemarle.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 344, H. B. 631, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section
1283 of the Revisal of 1905, so as to allow half-fees in Lincoln County
when "not a true bill" is found.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 350, H. B. 632, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter
22 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to Sampson County.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 323, H. B. 633, a bill to be entitled an act relating to payment of the indebtedness of the stock-law territory in Nash County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 156, H. B. 634, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the stock-law in Montgomery County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 287, H. B. 635, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the stock-law in Montgomery County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 156, H. B. 634, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the stock-law in Montgomery County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 287, H. B. 635, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the stock-law in Montgomery County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 119, H. B. 84, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Guilford County in discretion of County Commissioners. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 178, H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pay of jurors in Beaufort County. Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.
S. B. 203, H. B. 145, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Nash County. Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a short form of land mortgage or deed in trust.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 350, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary at Creedmore, in the county of Granville.
As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, it being consideration of H. B. 80, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.
Mr. Stickley offers an amendment.
Mr. Bickett offers an amendment.
Mr. Grant offers an amendment.
Mr. Manning sends forward two amendments.
Mr. Manning's second amendment is adopted.
Mr. Manning's first amendment is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Grant is lost.
Mr. Bickett withdraws his amendment.
Mr. Parsons offers an amendment.
The amendment of Mr. Stickley is withdrawn.
Mr. Lockhart offers an amendment to his former amendment. The amendment of Mr. Parsons is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Lockhart is adopted, and the bill as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Royster, 300 copies of H. B. 523, a bill to be entitled an act to require insurance companies to deposit cash or securities with the Insurance Commissioner of North Carolina, are ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Royster, H. B. 398, S. B. 75, a bill to be entitled an act regulating insurance companies, and prohibiting the diversion of funds for political purposes, is recalled from the Enrolling Clerk's office and the vote by which the bill passed its third reading in reconsidered.

The amendment is adopted, and as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Harshaw, 300 copies of H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled an act for reciprocal demurrage, are ordered printed.

The same order is made as to H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled an act to create a firemen's relief fund and increase the efficiency of the fire department in the several towns and cities of North Carolina.

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 354 of the Public Laws of 1891, which is an act to provide for working the roads and highways of Clay County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Clarendon, in Columbus County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 510, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Garland, in Sampson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 544, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Plymouth to issue bonds and levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 580, S. B. 368, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 580, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of New Hanover County to call an election upon the question to issue bonds for road purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Edger-
H. B. 612, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 82, Private Laws of 1890, being an act to incorporate the city of New Bern.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 613, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the boundaries of the city of New Bern.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liver-

Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow morning at 10.30 o'clock.

TWENTY-FIRST DAY.

House of Representatives,

February 2, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Jones.

Mr. Coleman, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Johnston of Caswell, Turlington, Albright, Buchan, London, Wells, Jones of Johnston, Grant, Dowd, Pickett, Weaver, Preston, Gallert, Pritchard, Keener and Tillet.

On motion of Mr. Keener, the courtesies of the House are extended to ex-member Major Graham of Lincoln County.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. McNeill, petition from certain citizens of Cumberland County in reference to the regulation of the hours of labor in cotton mills.

Referred to the Committee on Manufacturing and Labor.

A communication in reference to colored normal school at Fayetteville, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Wood, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and House—14
Townships, H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 63, Public Laws of 1905, and to amend the charter of the town of Scotland Neck, with an unfavorable report, with a minority report attached.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Windsor, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 521, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a stock-law election held in and for Ashe County on May 26, 1903, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Dilling, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 529, S. B. 133, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1882 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to hunting, killing, etc., of squirrels in Lincoln County.

H. B. 494, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, relative to the killing of deer in certain counties.

H. B. 514, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in Vance County.

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the game law of Durham County.

H. B. 528, S. B. 94, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the squirrel law so far as it relates to Wake County.

H. B. 527, S. B. 234, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer in McDowell County.

H. B. 526, S. B. 283, a bill to be entitled an act relating to hunting deer in Nash County.

H. B. 572, S. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of fish in North Pacolet River and Vaughn's Creek and their tributaries in Polk County, with favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 520, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to stock-law in Ashe County.

H. B. 622, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2707 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the regulation of tolls of ferries.

H. B. 604, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unlawful to fell trees in Broad River and its tributaries in McDowell County, with favorable report.
ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as properly engrossed, and the same is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 453, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded public schools in the town of Highland, Catawba County.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 346, H. B. 638, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 100, section 4761, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fire insurance policies and losses thereunder.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 325, H. B. 639, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2798 of the Revisal, relating to the pay of jurors.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 25, H. B. 640, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the assessment of real estate of railroad companies in the stock-law territory for local benefit.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 343, H. B. 641, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 100, section 4759, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fire insurance policies and losses thereunder.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 259, H. B. 642, a bill to be entitled an act to revise, consolidate and amend the road law of Lenoir County for the better maintenance and more permanent construction of the public roads of said county.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 420, H. B. 643, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the Superior Courts in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 206, H. B. 645, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Madison County, for concurrence in amendment.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 262, H. B. 644, a bill to be entitled an act for the larceny or the temporary use of an automobile or electric car.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 394, H. B. 645, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the Commissioners of the town of Hillsboro to sell the old Academy lot.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 320, H. B. 646, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police
powers on sheriffs and constables at Eno Cotton Mills, Orange County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 329, H. B. 663, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Hendersonville Lake Land and Power Company.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 647, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 87, Revisal of 1905, entitled Department of Agriculture.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 648, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3533 of the Revisal of 1905, allowing fees to officers for seizure of illicit distilleries.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 649, a bill to be entitled an act to levy special tax to pay the public road indebtedness of Macon County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Buchan, by request. H. B. 650, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate practice of osteopathy in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 651, a bill to be entitled an act for the support and maintenance and also for the improvement of the Soldier's Home.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 652, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the use of indecent or profane language on passenger trains.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Kennedy, H. B. 653, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Mt. Gilead Church, in Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 654, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the safety of the traveling public.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 655, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Harrellsville in Hertford County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 656, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain citizens of Hertford County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 657, a bill to be entitled an act to locate and settle the boundary line between Hertford and Bertie Counties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 658, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Mattie Potillo and Mrs. Mattie Jennings, school teachers of Caswell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 659, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the citizens of Tyrrell County to ship certain game birds out of the State.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, H. B. 660, a bill to be entitled an act appointing justices of the peace for Transylvania County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Eddins, H. B. 661, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the road funds of Stanly County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 662, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the working of the public roads of the First Judicial District by convict force.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Wells, by request, H. B. 664, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 435, Laws of 1903, relative to the public school law.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Avery, H. B. 665, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Glen Alpine Graded School District, in Burke County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 666, a bill to be entitled an act to resubmit to the qualified voters of Macon County the question of compulsory education.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Stickley, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 416, S. B. 401, an act to regulate the conduct of dispensary commissioners, managers, clerks and employees.

H. B. 206, S. B. 488, an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to grant to the Carolina, Glenanna and Pee Dee Railway and Development Company the right to suspend operations as a common carrier.

H. B. 205, S. B. 250, an act to amend the charter of the Piedmont Trust Company.

H. B. 519, S. B. 430, an act to amend section 1283 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to costs in Alleghany and Alexander Counties.

H. B. 214, S. B. 305, an act to prevent the felling of trees in and damming up of Sandy Run, in Onslow County.

H. B. 341, S. B. 389, an act to amend section 5038 of the Revisal
of 1905, relating to the extension of the time to commute, compromise and settle the public debt.

H. B. 174, S. B. 374, an act to authorize the city of Concord to issue bonds.

H. B. 231, S. B. 248, an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Moore County.

H. B. 130, S. B. 181, an act to regulate the statistics of leaf tobacco sold upon the floors of the leaf tobacco warehouses of North Carolina.

H. B. 269, S. B. 293, an act to authorize the running and marking the State line between this State and the State of Virginia.

H. B. 580, S. B. 368, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Windsor.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to compel telephone companies to maintain joint receiving and transmitting stations.

On motion of Mr. Manning, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Public Service Corporations, and 300 copies are ordered printed.

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroad companies to install and operate additional passenger trains, and to require them to make certain connections, is recommitted to the Committee on Corporation Commission.

H. B. 580, S. B. 368, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railway Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehrihaus, Farthing, Gallott, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Hampton, Hanes, Harshaw, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of New Hanover County to call an election upon the question to issue bonds for road purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 612, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 82, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the city of New Bern.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 613, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the boundaries of the city of New Bern.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Macon County.

Passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 344. S. B. 136, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Gates County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Hessrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Greene,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of Old Fort, and to increase the tax vote for said town of Old Fort.

As amended passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 438, a bill to be entitled an act for bond issue for Maxton, North Carolina,

As amended passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads and highways of Caswell County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 454, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 287 of the Private Laws 1895, enlarging the corporate limits of the town of West Hickory.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson,

Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 455, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to levy a special tax to pay off outstanding indebtedness incurred on account of the maintenance of chain-gang and the erection of iron bridges.

The substitute is adopted and passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County to levy a special tax to pay the outstanding indebtedness of the County and for other purposes.

As amended passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 506, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Sampson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working and improvement of the roads and public highways in the county of Davie.

As amended, passes it second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 566, S. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Burlington, chapter 204, Private Laws of 1903.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 579, S. B. 266, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Spruce Pine, in Mitchell County.

Substitute passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Brinson, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, David-
son, of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Gallert, Gal-
loway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Hampton, Hanes, Harshaw, Jacobson, John, John-
ston of Caswell, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Liverman, London, McDaniel, McLean, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Mial, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Neal, Park, Parker, Peele, Preston, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rec-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 626, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek, in Davie County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Brewer, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, David-
son of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Gallert, Gal-
loway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Hampton, Hanes, Harshaw, Jacobson, John, John-
ston of Caswell, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Liverman, London, McNeil, McRacken, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Mial, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Neal, Park, Parker, Peele, Preston, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rec-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 514, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in Vance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the game law of Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 528, S. B. 94, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the squirrel law so far as it relates to Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 658, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Mattie Potillo and Mrs. Mattie Jennings, school teachers of Caswell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 529, S. B. 133, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1882 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to hunting, killing, etc., of squirrels in Lenoir County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 494, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, relative to the killing of deer in certain counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the escape of dangerous criminals.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 594, a bill to be entitled an act to change the jurisdiction of April Term of the Superior Court of Richmond County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 195, S. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Madison County.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 423, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of customers of barber shops.

Mr. Douglass offers an amendment.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment.

Mr. Stevens offers an amendment.

Mr. Bowman offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Douglass the bill and amendments are recommitted to the Committee on Health.

H. B. 433, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Yancey County.

Passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 535, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Paul F. Searcy and Zeb V. Taylor as justices of the peace for Chimney Rock Township, in Rutherford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 560, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate courts, so that both civil and criminal cases may be tried at February and August terms, in Madison County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 573, S. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale and importation of liquors in Lincoln and Catawba Counties.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 467, S. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent usury and extortion.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 509, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between Lee's Township and Whiteville Township, in Columbus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 461, S. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent usury and extortion.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 509, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between Lee's Township and Whiteville Township, in Columbus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 461, S. B. 238, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the separation of prisoners suffering with tuberculosis from other prisoners.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment.

Mr. Wood offers an amendment.

The following gentlemen offer amendments:

Messrs. Jacobson, Wells, Davidson of Iredell, Crawford and others.

On motion of Mr. Manning, the bill with the amendments is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled an act to provide instructions in public schools as to the nature and effects of alcoholic drinks and narcotics.

On motion of Mr. Manning, 300 copies are ordered printed, together with the amendment offered by Mr. Douglass.

H. B. 526, S. B. 283, a bill to be entitled an act relating to hunting deer in Nash County, North Carolina.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 572, S. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of fish in North Pacolet River and Vaughn's Creek and their tributaries in Polk County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 520, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to stock-law in Ashe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 527, S. B. 234, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer in McDowell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons.

Committee amendment adopted.

Mr. Douglass sends forward an amendment.

The same is adopted, and as amended the bill passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 521, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a stock-law election held in and for Ashe County on May 26, 1903.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 622, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2707 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the regulation of tolls of ferries.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Bolton, H. B. 318, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the liability of common carriers to their employees, is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

On motion of Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 542, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the crop lien law, is withdrawn from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, and recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion of Mr. John, H. B. 327, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Laws of 1903, chapter 153, an act entitled an act to prohibit hunting game on the lands of another without written permission of the owner in Robeson County, is withdrawn from the Committee on Game.

On motion of Mr. London, H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to codify the law in regard to the negligence of telegraph companies in mental anguish cases, is made a special order for February 6th, at the expiration of the morning hour.

On motion of Mr. Koonce, H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled an act for
the relief of the people in the matter of insurance, is withdrawn from the Committee on Insurance and 300 copies are ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House adjourns to meet Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY.

House of Representatives,

February, 4, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. J. C. Massee, of Raleigh.

Mr. Watts, for the Committee on the Journal, reports the Journal of Saturday as having been examined, found correct, and the same stands approved.

The Speaker appoints the following gentlemen on the Journal Committee: Messrs. Julian, Park and Rector to act during the present week.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Simpson, indefinitely; also to Mr. Blount, indefinitely.

On motion of Mr. Boyd, the courtesies of the House are extended to ex-Representative Lee of Haywood.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 643, S. B. 420, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the Superior Courts of Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in this State and to punish frauds committed thereat, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

And 300 copies are ordered printed.

H. B. 591, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 824, chapter 12 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to return of summons in special cases, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1013 of the Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report.

H. B. 657, a bill to be entitled an act to locate and settle the
boundary line between Hertford and Bertie Counties, with a favorable report.

H. B. 656, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain citizens of Hertford County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 548, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2026 of the Revisal, as to filing liens, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

Mr. Cox, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 482, a bill to be entitled an act for the preservation of certain public records of Cherokee County.

H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Clarendon, in Columbus County.

H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County to appoint a deputy.

H. B. 535, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Paul F. Searcy and Zeb V. Taylor as justices of the peace for Chimney Rock Township, Rutherford County.

H. B. 494, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, relative to the hunting of deer in certain counties.

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 354 of the Public Laws of 1881, which is an act to provide for working the roads and highways of Clay County.

H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the escape of dangerous criminals.

H. B. 514, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in Vance County.

H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Windsor.

Mr. Candler, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 396, S. B. 434, an act to change the name of Sumner Township, Guilford County.

H. B. 392, S. B. 438, an act to prohibit the killing of pheasant or grouse in Ashe County.

H. B. 173, S. B. 207, an act to allow Dare County to levy special taxes for county indebtedness.

H. B. 170, S. B. 486, an act to incorporate Macon County Bank.

H. B. 284, S. B. 243, an act to amend section 295 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with reference to the bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Carteret County.

H. B. 195, S. B. 206, an act to regulate the killing of quail and other game birds in Madison County.

H. B. 528, S. B. 94, an act to repeal the squirrel law so far as it relates to Wake County.
H. B. 45, S. B. 388, an act to levy a special tax in Swain County to pay off certain judgments, and for other purposes.

H. B. 550, S. B. 451, an act to amend chapter 439 of the Laws of 1901, relative to straightening certain portions of stock-lawn fences in Lenoir County.

H. B. 527, S. B. 234, an act to protect deer in McDowell County.

H. B. 529, S. B. 283, an act relating to hunting deer in Nash County.

H. B. 529, S. B. 133, an act to amend chapter 1882 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to hunting, killing, etc., of squirrels in Lenoir County.

H. B. 109, S. B. 364, an act to incorporate the town of Whittier, in Swain and Jackson Counties, North Carolina.

H. B. 210, S. B. 242, an act to amend section 4475 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the powers of the board of pharmacy.

H. B. 467, S. B. 26, an act to prevent usury and extortion.

H. B. 573, S. B. 307, an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale and importation of liquors in Lincoln and Catawba Counties.

H. B. 87, S. B. 273, an act for the betterment of the public roads of Catawba County, and to authorize the Commissioners to work convicts upon the public roads of said county.

H. R. 138, S. R. 272, Joint resolution relating to the message of Governor Elrod of South Dakota to the General Assembly of that State.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 667, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of regular jurors in Haywood County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 608, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Canton, Haywood County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 609, a bill entitled an act to enable citizens of the State engaged in fishing shad and other migratory fishes, to sue for and recover damages resultant from the building by any corporation, firm or persons of any bridge in the navigable waters of this State.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Dilling, H. B. 670, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3471 of the Revisal of North Carolina, relative to shipping wild fowls out of the State.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Davidson of Iredell, by request, H. B. 671, a bill to be entitled an act to provide an adequate heating power, light and water plant and a building for instruction in the mechanic arts and
engineering at the A. & M. College, and for its support for the years 1907-1908.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 672, a bill to be entitled an act to provide dormitories at the A. & M. College.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 673, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Newton, Catawba County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 674, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Virginia and Eastern Carolina Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 675, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Union County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 676, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Hendersonville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 677, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public highways of McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Avery, H. B. 678, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness and profanity on the public highways and lands of another.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bowman, H. B. 679, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate primary and other elections in Mitchell County.

Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.

By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 680, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the payment to Miss Myrtle Pope of Craven County the sum of six hundred and seventy-five dollars, the balance due her late father for services as Deputy Oyster Inspector for the port of New Bern, and to make proper appropriations for the same.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 681, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina by striking out 1908 in line 11 of article 6, section 4, and insert in its stead 1920.

Referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 682, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Rockingham to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 683, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Elizabeth City.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 57, H. B. 684, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1639 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time for summoning witnesses to appear before the grand jury.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 251, H. B. 685, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1957 of the Revisal of 1905, changing manner of selecting juries in Johnston County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 257, H. B. 686, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1958 of the Revisal of 1905, changing manner of selecting juries in Johnston County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 281, H. B. 687, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2903 of the Revisal of 1905, as to publication of notices in sale of real estate for taxes.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 304, H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent ticket scalping in criminal actions.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 369, H. B. 688, a bill to be entitled an act to provide uniform stamping of gold and silver articles of merchandise.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 381, H. B. 689, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Mt. Airy Township, in Surry County, to pay off and fund its bonded indebtedness.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 393, H. B. 690, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 1448 of the Revisal of 1905, regarding process served on foreign corporations.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.


Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 423, H. B. 691, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of the town of Tarboro to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 424, H. B. 692 a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in the town of Tarboro, Edgecombe County, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 467, H. B. 693, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
77. Private Laws of 1883, allowing the Board of Commissioners, in the town of Mt. Pleasant, to levy certain special taxes.
   Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 643, S. B. 420, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the Superior Court in Columbus County.
   Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. S4, S. B. 119, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Union, Rowan and Onslow Counties.
   House concurs in Senate amendment and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 88, S. B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Beaufort County.
   House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 88, S. B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Beaufort County.
   House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 145, S. B. 203, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Nash County.
   House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 332, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 141, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1903, entitled an act to provide a dispensary for the town of Creswell and township of Scuppernong, in the County of Washington.
   Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 364, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 210 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1905, it being an act to improve the public roads in Valley Town Township, Cherokee County, N. C.
   Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Thomas S. Wright, ex-Sheriff of Richmond County.
   Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 477, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Orange County to apply the surplus of the money collected under provisions of chapter 606, Public Laws of 1899, to general county purposes.
   Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 489, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 67, Private Laws of 1905, in regard to amending charter of the Dover and Southbound Railroad Company.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 517, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 245 of the Private Laws of North Carolina at the Session of 1903.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 537, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Mechanics Dime Savings Bank, chapter 279 of the Private Laws of 1895.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 539, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 57, Private Laws of 1903, relating to charter of Red Springs, Robeson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Nantahala Railroad, Flume and Transportation Company, incorporated by chapter 341, Private Laws of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Hertford County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887, entitled an act relating to the public schools in the town of Durham.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 563, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the New Bern Graded Schools.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 567, S. B. 370, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a new school district in Watauga County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 590, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to employ a duly licensed auditor.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 297 of the Public Laws of 1899, in regard to the County Commissioners of Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 602, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Board of Commissioners of McDowell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 604, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unlawful to fell trees in Broad River and its tributaries in McDowell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 611, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the Water and Light Commission for the City of New Bern.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 513, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of High Point to substitute bonds bearing 5 per cent. interest per annum for bonds of said city which bear 6 per cent. interest per annum.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 675, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Union County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 623, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Rockingham County three and one-half dollars per day and mileage.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 657, a bill to be entitled an act to locate and settle the boundary line between Hertford and Bertie Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 656, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain citizens of Hertford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 548, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2026 of the Revisal as to filing liens.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Macon County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bur-
H. B. 344, S. B. 136, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Gates County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of Old Fort and to increase the tax rate for said town of Old Fort.
As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 438, a bill to be entitled an act for bond issue for Maxton, North Carolina.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads and highways of Caswell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 454, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 287 of the
Private Laws of 1895, enlarging the corporate limits of the town of West Hickory.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 455, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to levy a special tax to pay off outstanding indebtedness, incurred on account of the maintenance of chain-gang and the erection of iron bridges.

The original bill is laid on the table.

The substitute passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County to levy a special tax to pay the outstanding indebtedness of the county and for other purposes.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Douglass, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Galloway of Greene, Gaston, Gillam, Gibbs, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, John, Julian, Kennedy, Kitchin, Liverman, McDaniel, McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Mial, Morgan, Morton, Murphy,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 506, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Sampson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working and improvement of the roads and public highways in the county of Davie.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Douglass, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Galloway of Greene, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 566, S. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Burlington, chapter 204, Private Laws of 1903.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 579, S. B. 266, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Spruce Pine, Mitchell County, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 626, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage and straightening of Leonard's Creek, in Davie County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Douglass, Galloway of Greene, Gaston, Gibbs, Gilliam,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Savings Bank and Trust Company of Elizabeth City.

Passes its second and their readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 508, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Granville County to establish a special school district in Oak Hill Township.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 511, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Dunn, in Harnett County, upon a majority of its citizens to establish a dispensary.

Passes its second reading, and upon the third reading Mr. Douglass calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The following gentlemen give notice of a desire to explain their votes:

Messrs. Harris, Douglass, Yount, Harshaw, Morton, Kitchin, Bowman, Bryant, Galloway of Greene, Gillam, John, Kennedy, McNeill, McRae, Peele and Wood.

Messrs. Mangum, Mial and Gibbs are excused from voting.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:


The following gentlemen vote in the negative:


The bill passes its third reading and ordered sent to the Senate.

H. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the State to take the depositions of witnesses whenever the defendant in any criminal action avails himself of the statute allowing him to take the deposition of witnesses to be used as evidence on the trial.
Mr. Harris calls the previous question upon the minority report which is sustained, and the bill is placed on the unfavorable Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Harris, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

February 5, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. DuBose.

Mr. Rector, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and it stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Hampton, for one week; Messrs. Clifford and Keener.

On motion of Mr. Bryant, the courtesies of the floor are extended to Hon. W. W. Barber, ex-Senator from Wilkes County, and on motion of Mr. Whitley, the same courtesies are extended ex-Representative Coffield of Martin County.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Julian, a petition from Faith Council Junior Order United American Mechanics, praying the enactment of a compulsory education law.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Judge of the Superior Court to give any prisoner or defendant the benefit of any time such prisoner or defendant has been confined awaiting the appeal of such prisoner or defendant to the Supreme Court, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.
H. B. 318, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the liability of common carriers to their employees, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 375, S. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act relating to court stenographer for Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled an act to put the State and the defendant on an equality in the selection of the jury, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 635, S. B. 287, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of jurors in Guilford County at the discretion of the county commissioners, with a favorable report.

H. B. 584, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the registration of conditional sales of railroad equipment and rolling stock, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Parsons, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 678, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness and profanity on the public highways and lands of another, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 644, S. B. 262, a bill to be entitled an act for the larceny or temporary use of an automobile or electrical car, with a favorable report.

H. B. 561, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the Commissioners of New Hanover County to work their convicts beyond the limits of said county, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint David P. Dellinger a justice of the peace and allow him to practice law, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 686, S. B. 257, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1958 of the Revised of 1905, changing the manner of selecting juries in Johnston County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 685, S. B. 251, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1951 of the Revised of 1905, changing the manner of selecting juries in Johnston County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 631, S. B. 344, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1283 of the Revised of 1905, so as to allow half fees in Lincoln County when "not a true bill" is found, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 632, S. B. 350, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 22 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to Sampson County.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 646, S. B. 320, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and constables at Eno Cotton Mills, Orange County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there, with a favorable report.

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ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 623, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Rockingham County $3.50 per day and mileage.

H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 489, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 67 of the Private Laws of 1905, in regard to amending the charter of the Dover and Southbound Railroad Company.

H. B. 675, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Union County.

H. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County to levy a special tax to pay the outstanding indebtedness of the county and for other purposes.

H. B. 548, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2026 of the Revital as to filing liens.

H. B. 611, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the Water and Light Commission of New Bern.

H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Savings Bank and Trust Company of Elizabeth City.

H. B. 626, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage and cleaning of Leonard’s Creek, in Davie County.

H. B. 438, a bill to be entitled an act for bond issue for Maxton, N. C.

H. B. 508, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Granville County to establish a special school district in Oak Hill Township.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Candler, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 566, S. B. 161, an act to amend the charter of the city of Burlington, chapter 204, Private Laws of 1903.

H. B. 145, S. B. 203, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Nash County.

H. B. 121, S. B. 249, an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in Union County, and to punish frauds committed thereat.

H. B. 293, S. B. 292, an act to amend chapter 66, section 2763, of the Revital of 1905.

H. B. 88, S. B. 178, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Beaufort County.
H. B. 643, S. B. 420, an act to regulate the Superior Courts in Columbus County.

H. B. 579, S. B. 266, an act to incorporate the town of Spruce Pine, Mitchell County.

H. B. 194, S. B. 304, an act to prevent ticket-shaving in criminal actions.

H. B. 398 S. B. 75, an act regulating insurance companies and prohibiting the diversion of funds for political purposes.

H. B. 53, S. B. 180, an act to repeal chapter 370, of the Private Laws of 1905 of North Carolina.

H. B. 306, S. B. 522, an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Windsor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Douglass, H. R. 694, joint resolution appropriating $500 for examining partition walls in cells of the State's Prison.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 695, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 244, Public Laws of 1905, to allow the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 696, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Yancey County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 697, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 115, section 5, Private Laws of 1899, that whenever any town alderman elected in any ward moves from said ward it shall be the duty of the town aldermen to declare his office vacant and proceed to elect some one from said ward.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 698, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Brinson, H. B. 699, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 746, Acts of 1905, so as to substitute "Smith's Creek" for "Spring Creek," in Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 700, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Eugene C. Ross a justice of the peace in and for Township No. 2, in Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
H. B. 701, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 58 of the
Revisal of 1905, to apply to Pamlico County only.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 702, a bill to be entitled an act to extend
the police jurisdiction of the city of High Point.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 703, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of
Aldermen of High Point to appropriate $1,500 for the maintenance
of a Carnegie Library, and providing for a site therefor.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 704, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint N. E.
Parlier a justice of the peace for Wilkes County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
the Revisal, section 5361.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 706, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the Judges of
the Superior Courts their compensation for holding special terms of
court, as allowed from 1875 to 1901.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. Rector, H. B. 707, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief
of W. J. Davis, ex-Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Hen-
derson County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 708, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commission-
ers of Henderson County to place the money received from the sale
of certain real estate in the general county fund.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 709, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 3066, chapter 77, of the Revisal, making forty-six pounds of
corn meal a bushel.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following
bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 541, H. B. 710, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain
magistrates in Cumberland County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 455, H. B. 711, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the
charter of Clinton.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 197, H. B. 712, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
72, section 2882, of the Revisal for the relief of the Sheriff of Dare
County.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State to condemn property for the use of the penal and charitable institutions in the State when unable to agree on the price with the owner.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled an act to provide instruction in public schools as to the nature and effects of alcoholic drinks and narcotics.

The following gentlemen offer amendments:


Mr. Dowd calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

The amendments of Messrs. Taylor of Brunswick, Yount, Morton, Ehringhaus, Whitley, McRae, Peele and Parsons are adopted.

And as amended the bill passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

By unanimous consent Mr. Gillam introduces H. B. 714, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a charter for the town of Kelford and appointing officers for said town, which is placed on the Calendar.

And Mr. Manning introduces H. R. 715, joint resolution of the Senate and House of Representatives to pay Mrs. M. S. Calvert for services as stenographer to the Committee on Railroads and Public Service Corporations.

The rules are suspended and the resolution passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House, H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage immigration.

Mr. Bickett introduces H. B. 713, a bill to be entitled an act to create a Bureau of Immigration.

Referred to the Committee on Immigration.

And he moves that the bill under consideration, together with the bill thus introduced, be referred to the Committee on Immigration for the purpose of drafting a new bill.

The motion prevails, and it is so ordered.

THE CALENDAR.

The House resumes consideration of the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Parsons, H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled an act to put the State and the defendant on an equality in the selection of
the Jury, is made a special order for Friday, February 8th, at the expiration of the morning hour.

H. B. 673, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Newton, Catawba County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons.

Mr. Murphy offers a substitute, which is adopted, and the bill as amended by the substitute, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 569, S. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Ashpole, in Robeson County, to Fairmount.

On motion of Mr. McRae the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

On motion of Mr. Crawford, H. B. 677, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public highways of McDowell County, is withdrawn from the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, and from further consideration.

The Speaker announces the following additions to committees:


Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on Rules, reports and asks the adoption of the following:

"That five members shall constitute a quorum of the Committee on Propositions and Grievances."

The same is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Moment of Raleigh.

Mr. Julian, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Price of Rockingham and Gillam.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Pitt, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Senator James of Pitt.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Cox, petition of Winston-Salem Board of Trade relating to railroad passenger freight rates. Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Gordon, petition to the General Assembly of North Carolina by the Board of Aldermen of the City of High Point against the incorporation of Mechanicsville. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Eddins, petition against polygamy from citizens of Stanly County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Parsons, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Carolina Savings and Trust Company of Wilmington, N. C., with a favorable report.

By Mr. McLean, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 703, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of High Point to appropriate $1,500 for the maintenance of a Carnegie Library and providing for a site therefor, with a favorable report.

H. B. 611, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the road funds for Stanly County, with a favorable report.
H. B. 645, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the Commissioners of the town of Hillsboro to sell the old Academy lot, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Boyd, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Townships, H. B. 668, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Canton, Haywood County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bryant, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Townships, H. B. 689, S. B. 381, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Mount Airy Township, in Surry County, to pay off and retire its bonded indebtedness, with a favorable report.

H. B. 697, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 115, section 5, Private Laws of 1890, that whenever any town alderman elected in any ward moves from said ward, it shall be the duty of the town aldermen to declare his office vacant and proceed to elect some one from said ward, with a favorable report.

H. B. 691, S. B. 423, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of the town of Tarboro to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wood, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Townships, H. B. 538, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the citizens of Lenoir, in Caldwell County, to vote on a bond issue, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 682, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Rockingham to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage, with a favorable report.

H. B. 682, S. B. 424, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in the town of Tarboro, Edgecombe County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Washington, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Townships, H. B. 695, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 244, Public Laws of 1905, to allow the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax, with a favorable report.

H. B. 702, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the police jurisdiction of High Point, with a favorable report.

H. B. 473, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Murfreesboro, with a favorable report.

H. B. 639, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 746, Acts of 1905, so as to substitute "Smith's Creek" for "Spring Creek," in Pamlico County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bickett, for the Committee on Insane Asylums, H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act for the care of the mental defectives of the State, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Bickett, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 690, S. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 1448 of
the Revisal of 1905, regarding process served on foreign corporations, with a favorable report.

H. B. 652, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the use of indecent or profane language on passenger trains, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal, section 5361, in reference to republishing the Supreme Court Reports.

H. B. 663, S. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Hendersonville Lake Land and Power Company, with a favorable report.

H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled an act to separate the races in jails, convict camps and other places of imprisonment, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Harris, for the same committee.

H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to divorce, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, for the same committee, H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a criminal court to be called the Criminal Court for the county of Pasquotank, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. John, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 623, S. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the payment of the indebtedness of the stock-law territory in Nash County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 709, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3066, chapter 77, of the Revisal, making 46 pounds of corn meal a bushel, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 609, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the stock-law in Hayesville Township, Clay County, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 688, S. B. 369, a bill to be entitled an act to provide uniform stamping of gold and silver articles of merchandise, with a favorable report.

H. B. 585, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the building of a fence between Clay and Cherokee Counties, and other purposes, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pound charges in Murphy, Cherokee County, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Williams, for Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 267, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to fees of justices of the peace.

H. B. 347, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing the
Treasurer of Bladen County to pay M. N. McIver for services rendered as school-teacher, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 404, S. B. 192, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the fees and emoluments of county officials of Johnston County, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of county officers in Cherokee County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

H. B. 469, a bill to be entitled an act to provide suitable compensation for jurors in Washington County.

H. B. 471, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2785, chapter 66, volume 1, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, regulating the compensation of the County Commissioners of Washington County.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2748, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to and regulating the salary of State Librarian, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 440, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Peoples Bank and Trust Company, of Salisbury, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Davis, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 350, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary at Creedmoor, in the county of Granville.

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act for the working of the public roads in Macon County.

H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Hertford County.

H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of Old Fort and to increase the tax rate of the said town of Old Fort.

H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working and improvement of the roads and public highways in the county of Davie.

H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a short form of land mortgage or deed in trust.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Candler, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 619, S. B. 528, an act to allow the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County to appoint a deputy.

H. B. 178, S. B. 362, an act to incorporate the town of Mortimer.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 716, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the efficiency of Justices of the peace.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Pugh, H. B. 717, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3323 and 3705 of chapter 81 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stone-horses running at large in Hatteras Township, in Dare County.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 718, an act to amend section 3733 of the Revisal of 1905 of Public Laws of North Carolina, relating to drunkenness.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Whitley, H. B. 719, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Martin County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Vann, H. B. 720, a bill to be entitled an act to facilitate transfers of real property.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 721, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of a Board of Education and Superintendent of Public Instruction for Union County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 722, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for certain townships in Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 723, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Wadesboro, in Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 724, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal parts of chapter 245, Public Laws of 1903, relative to sawdust in Yancey and Mitchell Counties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 725, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for the working of the public highways of McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Owen, H. B. 726, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Clinton.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bryant, H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Ronda, Wilkes County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 728, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint
C. P. Campbell a justice of the peace in Nantahala Township, in Swain County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 729, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Ramseur Graded-school District.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, by request, H. B. 730, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Martha Bell, Mrs. Lydia Temple and Mrs. Amelia Ballance.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 740, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Joseph G. L. Crocker, of Northampton County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 741, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint T. B. Wilson a justice of the peace for Pasquotank County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 464, H. B. 731, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to the "Landlord and Tenant Act" for Lincoln County.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 422, H. B. 732, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the criminal jurisdiction of the Mayor of the town of Tarboro.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 51, H. B. 733, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a standard time throughout the State.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 419, H. B. 734, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905, as to attaching seal of Clerk of Court to deeds and other written instruments and validating same.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 421, H. B. 735, a bill to be entitled an act to complete the granolithic walks of Capitol Square, in the city of Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

S. B. 347, H. B. 736, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2598, chapter 61, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to roads.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 196, H. B. 737, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 2777 of the Revisal, relating to fees of the Sheriff of Davie County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 76, H. B. 738, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 23 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 74, H. B. 739, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2770, chapter 66, of the Revival of 1905, in regard to Supreme Court Marshal.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

On motion of Mr. Dowd, the special order, it being consideration of H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to codify the laws in regard to the negligence of telegraph companies in mental anguish cases, is deferred until the return of Mr. London, who is absent on leave.

On motion of Mr. Neal, H. B. 618, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Enfield Township, Halifax County, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

On motion of Mr. McRae, H. B. 569, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Ashpole, in Robeson County, to Fairmount, is taken from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and placed on the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care of the mental defective of the State.

Mr. Morton moves to suspend the rules and to place the bill upon its immediate passage.

The motion is lost.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Judge of the Superior Court to give any prisoner or defendant the benefit of any time such prisoner or defendant has been confined awaiting the appeal of such prisoner or defendant to the Supreme Court.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 569, S. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Ashpole, in Robeson County, to Fairmount.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 673, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Newton, Catawba County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Far-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 698, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 584, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the registration of conditional sales of railroad equipment and rolling stock.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 644, S. B. 262, a bill to be entitled an act for the larceny or temporary use of an automobile or electric car.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 678, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness and profanity on the public highways and lands of another.

Several amendments are offered, and on motion of Mr. Vann, the bill and amendments are recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 704, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint N. E. Parlier a justice of the peace of Wilkes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale and manufacture of spirituous liquors in Madison County.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted.

Mr. Morton moves to recommit the bill to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

Motion is lost.

The substitute for the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in this State, and to punish frauds committed thereat.

Messrs. Douglass, Peele, Murphy, Morton, Stevens, Royster, Jones of Johnston, Ehringhaus, Vann, Park, Taylor of Brunswick, Bruton, Taylor of Vance, Harshaw, Mangum, Burnett, Pickett, Parker, Hanes, Kennedy, Clifford, Galloway of Greene, Boyd, Neal, Coleman, Pitt, Bolton send forward amendments.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the bill is made a special order for February 19, 1907, at 12 o'clock M.


On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2748, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to and regulating the salary of the State Librarian.

Passes its second reading and is ordered referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Substitute for H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1636 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

Substitute is adopted, and passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of county officers in Cherokee County, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 404, S. B. 192, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the fees and emoluments of county officials of Johnston County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a criminal court to be called "The Criminal Court for the County of Pasquotank."

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 440, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the People's Bank and Trust Company of Salisbury, N. C.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 469, a bill to be entitled an act to provide suitable compensation for jurors in Washington County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 471, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2785, chapter 66, Volume I, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, regulating the compensation of County Commissioners in Washington County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled an act to separate the races in jails, convict camps and other places of imprisonment.
As amended, passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.
Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on Rules, makes the following report:
That seven members of the Committee on Pensions shall constitute a quorum.
The report is adopted.
On motion of Mr. Gordon, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

February 7, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Marshall, of Raleigh.
Mr. Park, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.
Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Whitley, indefinitely.
The courtesies of the floor are extended to former Representative Leigh of Pasquotank.
The Chair extends to Hon. John R. Webster the same courtesies, also to Hon. Alfred M. Scales.
On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, the same courtesies are extended to ex-Governor and ex-Senator Thomas J. Jarvis.
The same courtesies are extended to ex-Speaker S. M. Gattis of Orange County.
PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Winborne, petition from citizens of Bertie, Chowan and Washington counties, about fish laws.
Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Gallert, petition from 465 citizens of Rutherford County against the manufacture and sale of whiskey in Marion, North Carolina, and in favor of more stringent laws against the transportation or shipment of whiskey from Marion in McDowell County to and into Rutherford County.
Referred to Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Harshaw, petition from citizens of Granite Falls, Caldwell County, to change charter of graded school.
Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Pritchard, petition from citizens of Orange County for relief of Mrs. Jane Pendergrass, asking that the name be placed on Widow's Pension roll.
Referred to Committee on Pensions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from Standing Committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Vann, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 724, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal parts of chapter 245, Public Laws of 1903, relative to saw-dust in Yancey County, and add Mitchell, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Avery, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 734, S. B. 419, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1013, of the Revisal of 1905, as to attaching seal of Clerk of Court to deeds and other written instruments and validating same, with a favorable report as amended by the Committee.

By Mr. Clifford, for Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.
H. B. 617, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy a tax to pay the floating indebtedness of said city, with a favorable report.
H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 632, S. B. 350, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 22, of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to Sampson County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, for Committee on Pensions:

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H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, with a favorable report.

H. B. 160, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 358, Public Laws 1905, entitled an act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, with a favorable report.

H. B. 192, a bill to be entitled an act to increase pensions for Confederate soldiers, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Neal, for the Committee on Pensions:

H. B. 651, a bill to be entitled an act for the support and maintenance and also for improvements of the Soldiers Home, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davidson of Iredell, H. B. 495, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4994 of chapter 105 of the Revisal of 1905, increasing amount of property that may be owned by applicants for pensions from $500 to $750.

H. B. 325, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the appropriation for the indigent Confederate soldiers and widows.

By Mr. Whitley, for the Committee on Pensions:

H. B. 414, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the raising of revenue to pay pensions to ex-Confederate soldiers, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 557, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Luna Phillips, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bolton, for Committee on Pensions.

H. B. 346, S. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to secure to pensioners the amount allowed them by Pension Boards.

H. B. 379, a bill to be entitled an act to furnish protection from fire at the Soldiers' Home, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. McRacken, for Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 740, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Joseph G. L. Crocker, of Northampton County, with a favorable report, and re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 607, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of regular jurors in Haywood County.

H. B. 737 S. B. 196, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 2777 of the Revisal, relating to fees of Sheriff of Dare County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 699, S. B. 325, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2798 of the Revisal, relating to the pay of jurors, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 581, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2784 of the Revisal, relative to the pay of election officers.

H. B. 648, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3533 of the Revisal of 1905, allowing fees to officers for seizure of illicit distilleries.

H. B. 400, S. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
703 of the Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to fix the salaries of the officers of Buncombe County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 457, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2773 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fees of the Clerk of the Court in Yadkin County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 732, S. B. 422, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the criminal jurisdiction of the Mayor of the town of Tarboro, with a favorable report.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a criminal court to be called "The Criminal Court for the County of Pasquotank."

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Candler from the Committee on Enrolled Bills reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 477, S. B. 567, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Orange County to apply the surplus of the money collected under the provisions of chapter 606 of the Public Laws of 1899, to general County purposes.

H. B. 539, S. B. 576, an act to amend chapter 57, Private Laws 1903, relating to charter of Red Springs.

H. B. 505, S. B. 409, an act to amend section 1311 of the Revisal of 1905, to increase the number of Commissioners of Wilson County from three commissioners to five commissioners.

H. B. 420, S. B. 402, an act to enable the Young Men's Christian Association of Wilmington, North Carolina, to issue bonds and for other purposes.

H. B. 541, S. B. 577, an act to amend the charter of the Nantahala Railroad, Flume and Transportation Company, incorporated by chapter 341, Private Laws of 1905.

H. B. 644, S. B. 262, an act for the larceny or temporary use of an automobile.

H. B. 421, S. B. 403, an act to improve the efficiency of the James Walker Memorial Hospital of Wilmington, North Carolina.

H. B. 509, S. B. 510, an act to change the dividing line between Lee's Township and Whiteville Township in Columbus County.

H. B. 497, S. B. 408, an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905, authorizing the Governor to appoint special policemen for electric or water-power companies and construction companies.

H. B. 517, S. B. 574, an act to amend chapter 245 of the Private Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina at the session of 1903, and ratified on the 4th day of March, 1903, entitled "an act to incorporate the Washington and Vandemere Railway Company"
H. B. 84, S. B. 119, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Union, Rowan and Onslow Counties.

H. B. 387, S. B. 485, an act to amend section 2798 of the Revival of 1905, so as to increase the pay of jurors in Jones County.

H. B. 475, S. B. 407, an act to amend chapter 764, Public Laws of 1905, as to disposition of dispensary funds from town of Falkland.

H. B. 602, S. B. 583, an act for the relief of the Board of Commissioners of McDowell County.

H. B. 452, S. B. 435, an act to increase the pay of jurors in Montgomery County.

H. B. 342, S. B. 339, an act to amend section 2, chapter 248 Private Laws of 1905, enlarging the boundaries of the town of Highland, Catawba County.

H. B. 569, S. B. 313, an act to change the name of the town of Ashpole in Robeson County, to Fairmount.

H. R. 715, S. R. 603, joint resolution of the House of Representatives and Senate of North Carolina to pay Mrs. M. S. Calvert for services as stenographer to the joint Committee on Railroads and Public Service Corporations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Winborne, H. R. 742, resolution in reference to night sessions, adopted.

By Mr. Royster, by request and with petition:

H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled an act to order an election in Rockingham County to determine whether the location of the County seat shall be changed from Wentworth to Reidsville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitley, H. B. 744, an act to issue bonds for a public school in Bear Grass Township, Martin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 745, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a primary election law for Rowan County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 746, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws 1899, relating to the road law of Warren County, Nutbush Township.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 747 a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581 Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 748, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled an act to amend road law, Cabarrus County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 750, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Southern Presbyterian College and Conservatory of Music, Red Springs, N. C.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Rose, H. B. 751, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 314 of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to putting sawdust in the streams of Graham County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Hanes, H. B. 752, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the law of 1901 and 1905, relative to the East Bend Graded-School District in Yadkin County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 753, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4564 and 4565 of the Revisal, relative to the appointment and removal of certain employees of the State Hospital.
Referred to the Committee on Institutions for the Insane.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 754, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Wadesboro Graded-School District.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 755, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the Counties of New Hanover and Pender to establish and construct a highway and erect a public free bridge between the two counties across the North East River near Castle Hayne.
Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 756, a bill to be entitled an act to provide additional revenue and enhance the value of State, county and municipal bonds.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 757, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tide Water Power Company.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 758, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint members of the County Board of Education for Alamance County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 759, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John R. Ireland a justice of the peace in Burlington Township, Alamance County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 30, Public Laws of 1905, relative to Granite Falls Graded School, in Caldwell County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subdivision 20, chapter 89, Revisal of 1905, entitled Agricultural and Mechanical College, white.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
H. B. 762, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Guaranty, Realty and Security Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 763, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of manufacturers and shippers of mineral waters, soda waters and other beverages, and dealers in the same.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 764, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1089 of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, and to extend powers of Corporation Commission to receive reports from telephone companies.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 765, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the Whittier stock-law boundary in Swain County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Brinson, by request, H. B. 766, a bill to be entitled an act to create a stock-law in a portion of Pamlico County by adding additional territory to the Stonewall district, west of the Lupton bridge.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 767, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the maintenance and further equipment of the North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical College for the colored race.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 768, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Commercial and Savings Bank of Lexington, N. C.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 769, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the New Bern Banking and Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Mr. Neal, H. B. 782, a bill to be entitled an act to make stealing any dog, larceny.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 783, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 645, Public Laws of 1901, it being an act to prevent the depredations of domestic fowls.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 784, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the courts of justices of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 785, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Building and Loan Association in Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 787, a bill to be entitled an act providing for appeals in civil actions when Judges set aside verdicts.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 788, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for rebuilding, improving and repairing the home for the aged and infirm for said county.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 789, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to establish a chain-gang.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 544, H. B. 770, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county of Pitt to issue bonds to build iron bridges and to levy a special tax.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 536, H. B. 781, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the public road law of Stanly County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 545, H. B. 780, a bill to be entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 492, H. B. 779, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Forsyth Banking and Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 13, H. B. 778, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Whetstone Lodge No. 515, A. F. & A. M.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 535, H. B. 777, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint tax collectors of the several school districts in Watauga County that have levied a special tax in and of the schools in said district.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 425, H. B. 776, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the office of public works for the town of Tarboro.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 537, H. B. 775, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Conetoe, in Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 533, H. B. 774, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the trustees of West Market Street Methodist Church, Greensboro, North Carolina, to move and reinter the remains of the bodies buried on a certain lot in Greensboro, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 610, H. B. 773, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 185 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1905, changing the name of Leaksville-Spray Academy to Leaksville-Spray Institute.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 612, H. B. 772, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the trustees of the graded school in Kernersville to apply part of school fund to the erection of school building.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 319, H. B. 771, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 83, Private Laws of 1891, as amended by chapter 127, Private Laws of 1895, and chapter 63, Private Laws of 1901, relating to the charter of the town of Weldon, Halifax County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 342, H. B. 786, a bill to be entitled an act to validate marriages heretofore solemnized by unordained ministers of the Gospel.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 410, H. B. 512, a bill to be entitled an act to make the election for towns and cities applicable to the county of Harnett.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in Senate amendment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, it being consideration of H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year between the ages of eight and fourteen.

On account of the absence of Mr. Blount, consideration is deferred and the bill is made a special order for Thursday, February 14th, at the expiration of the morning hour.

On motion of Mr. Neal, H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 63, Public Laws of 1905, and to amend the charter of the town of Scotland Neck, is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to codify the laws in regard to the negligence of telegraph companies in mental anguish cases.

The consideration of the bill comes up upon the minority report. Mr. London moves the adoption of the minority report.

Mr. Manning offers an amendment.

Mr. Winborne offers two amendments.

Mr. Doughton moves to recommit the bill and amendments to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
The question recurs upon the motion of Mr. Doughton.

The motion is lost.

The question now recurs upon the adoption of the minority report.

Mr. Parsons moves to lay the motion on the table, and on this motion, Mr. London calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The motion to lay on the table is lost.

The question recurs upon the adoption of the minority report.

The report is adopted.

The question then recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading.

The amendments heretofore offered are considered as having been offered since the adoption of the minority report, and in addition thereto, Mr. Morton, sends forward an amendment.

Mr. London calls the previous question.

Before the question is put Mr. Parsons moves to adjourn.

The Speaker holds that the motion to adjourn is not in order.

Mr. Parsons appeals to the House and withdraws the motion.

The question then recurs upon the adoption of the amendment of Mr. Morton.

The amendment is lost.

The amendments of Mr. Winborne are adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Manning is lost.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading as amended.

Mr. Parsons calls for the ayes and noes upon the passage of the bill on its second reading.

Call sustained.
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The bill, as amended, passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 638, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Harris, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o’clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Morton of Marion.

Mr. Julian, for the Committee on the Journal, reports the Journal of yesterday as having been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Kennedy, Justice, Jones of Pitt, McRacken, Parker, Dilling, Bickett and Clifford.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Gaston, petition of citizens of Buncombe County relative to a reformatory.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Gallert, petition of Henrietta Council No. 61, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Henrietta, in Rutherford County, in favor of compulsory education.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Farthing, petition from certain citizens of Watauga County asking the amendment of the sawdust law of that county.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305 of the Private Laws of 1905, with a favorable report, and the bill is made the special order for Monday next at the expiration of the morning hour.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, for the Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 465, S. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Siler City Loan and Trust Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wells, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 508, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina, with a favorable report.
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The bill, as amended, passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

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Mr. Julian, for the Committee on the Journal, reports the Journal of yesterday as having been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Kennedy, Justice, Jones of Pitt, McRacken, Parker, Dilling, Bickett and Clifford.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Gaston, petition of citizens of Buncombe County relative to a reformatory.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Gallert, petition of Henrietta Council No. 61, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Henrietta, in Rutherford County, in favor of compulsory education.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Farthing, petition from certain citizens of Watauga County asking the amendment of the sawdust law of that county.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305 of the Private Laws of 1905, with a favorable report, and the bill is made the special order for Monday next at the expiration of the morning hour.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, for the Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 465, S. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Siler City Loan and Trust Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wells, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina, with a favorable report.
H. B. 649, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax to pay the public road indebtedness of Macon County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 432, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the office of Treasurer of Elkin Township, in Surry County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Wood, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 435, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 2078 and 5167 of the Revisal, and to appropriate the revenue derived from the liquor traffic to the public schools of the State, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 397, S. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company, and authorize it to arrange for and carry insurance on the lives of certain of its members, also to issue "paid up stock" bearing interest, with a favorable report.

H. B. 437, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Washington Trust Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Dare County to refund the amount overpaid of public and school taxes for the years 1904 and 1905, with a favorable report.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unnecessary in real actions to prove title out of the State, unless the State is a necessary party to the action and claiming an interest therein, with a favorable report.

H. B. 791, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 58 of the Revisal of 1905, to apply to Pamlico County only.

Recommitted to the Committee on Oyster Interests.

H. B. 712, S. B. 197, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72, section 2882, of the Revisal, for the relief of the Sheriff of Dare County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 687, S. B. 281, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2903 of the Revisal of 1905, as to the publication of notice in sale of real estate for taxes, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 786, S. B. 342, a bill to be entitled an act to validate marriages heretofore solemnized by unordained ministers of the Gospel, with a favorable report.

H. B. 782, a bill to be entitled an act to make stealing any dog, larceny, with a favorable report.

H. B. 684, S. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1639 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time for summoning witnesses to appear before the grand jury, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gordon, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 777, S. B. 523, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint tax collectors for the sev-
eral school districts in Watauga County that have levied a special tax in aid of the schools in said district, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Washington, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled an act to secure a reduction in fire insurance rates where the danger from fire is decreased, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to exclude minors from barrooms pool rooms and certain other places, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 694, a joint resolution appropriating $500 for examining the partition walls in cells of the State's Prison, with a favorable report, and recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, for the Committee on Federal Relations, H. R. 277, joint resolution endorsing the course of President Roosevelt in the summary discharge from service of certain enlisted men of the 25th Infantry, United States Army, without prejudice.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 717, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3323 and 3705 of chapter 81, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stone-horses running at large in Hatteras Township, Dare County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. R. 615, a joint resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 265, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Sandy Cross Baptist Church, in Gates County, with church resolution attached, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 237, a bill to be entitled an act to create a dispensary in the town of Bayboro, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Bolton, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 653, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Mt. Gilead Church, in Sampson County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 696, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways in Yancey County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Cabarrus County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 736, S. B. 347, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2598, chapter 61, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to roads, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Byrd, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 746, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of Warren County, Nut Bush Township, with a favorable report.

H. B. 747, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of Warren County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bruton, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 781, S. B. 536, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the public road law of Stanly County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce passenger fare on railroads in North Carolina.

H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate railroad companies and prescribe rates for transporting passengers in the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 480, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

H B. 78, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled an act relating to passenger rates on railroads in North Carolina, and providing for the sale of an interchangeable mileage-book.

H. B. 168, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the amount of baggage allowed passengers on railroads in North Carolina, with an unfavorable report, and a substitute introduced by the committee for all the bills.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled an act to separate white and colored passengers on street and inter-urban railways.

H. B. 637, a bill to be entitled an act for the separate accommodation of white and colored passengers upon street cars and for other purposes.

H. B. 422, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the comfort of travelers on street railway cars and for other purposes, with unfavorable report. A substitute is introduced by the committee for all the bills.

By Mr. Crawford, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 779, S. B. 492, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Forsyth Bank and Trust Company, with a favorable report.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Cox, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Judge of the
Superior Court to give any prisoner or defendant the benefit of any
time such prisoner or defendant has been confined awaiting the ap-
peal of such prisoner or defendant to the Supreme Court.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Candler, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the
following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly
ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 604, S. B. 584, an act to make it unlawful to fell trees in
Broad River and its tributaries in McDowell County.

H. B. 611, S. B. 555, an act to abolish the Water and Light Com-
mission for the city of New Bern.

H. B. 510, S. B. 501, an act to incorporate the town of Garland, in
Sampson County.

H. B. 399, S. B. 451, an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the
town of Benson, Johnston County.

H. B. 339, S. B. 390, an act to incorporate Marlboro Graded School
District in Randolph County.

H. B. 454, S. B. 572, an act to amend chapter 287 of the Private
Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1895.

H. B. 521, S. B. 518, an act to validate a stock-law election held in
and for Ashe County on May 26, 1903.

H. B. 567, S. B. 370, an act to establish a new school district in
Watauga County.

H. B. 520, S. B. 519, an act to amend chapter 59 of the Public
Laws of 1905, relating to stock-law in Ashe County.

H. B. 353, S. B. 397, an act to amend chapter 285, Private Laws of
1905.

H. B. 424, S. B. 431, an act to amend chapter 737, Public Laws of
1903, relative to the prevention of depredations of domestic fowls in
Thomasville, Davidson County, North Carolina.

H. B. 559, S. B. 579, an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public
Laws of 1887, entitled "An act relating to the public schools in the
town of Durham."

H. B. 658, S. B. 515, an act for the relief of Miss Mattie Potillo
and Mrs. Mattie Jennings of Caswell County.

H. B. 335, S. B. 340, an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal
of 1905, entitled an act to define the place of sale of intoxicating
liquors in the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 560, S. B. 599, an act to regulate the courts of Madison
County.

H. B. 563, S. B. 580, an act to amend the charter of the New Bern
Graded Schools.

H. B. 476, S. B. 561, an act to authorize the Board of County Com-
missioners of Orange County to levy a special tax to pay the floating
indebtedness of the county and for other purposes.
H. B. 508, S. B. 558, an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Granville County to establish a special school district in
H. B. 534, S. B. 557, an act to authorize the Commissioners of
another in Bertie County.
Oak Hill Township.
H. B. 378, S. B. 335, an act to prevent trespassing on the lands of
ing and killing of deer in Mitchell County.
Beaufort County to levy a special tax.
H. B. 439, S. B. 530, an act to incorporate the town of Clarendon,
in Columbus County.
H. B. 485, S. B. 448, an act to amend chapter 351, Private Laws
of North Carolina, Session of 1905, entitled "An act to establish
graded schools in Lake Landing Township, Hyde County, North Car-
olina."
H. B. 438, S. B. 562, an act to provide for water-works and sewer-
age and other public improvements in the town of Maxton.
H. B. 225, S. B. 297, an act to amend chapter 193, Private Laws
of 1903, to incorporate Dell School, at Delway, Sampson County.
H. B. 626, S. B. 553, an act to provide for the drainage and straight-
ening of Leonard's Creek in the county of Davie.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following
bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 449, H. B. 515, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the
town of Cove City, in Craven County.
Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.
S. B. 122, H. B. 793, a bill to be entitled an act to place the Solic-
itors of the Superior Courts upon salaries and to fix the amount of
the same.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
S. B. 470, H. B. 794, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the
town of Ore Hill, in Chatham County.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 598, H. B. 795, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section
975 of the Revisal of 1905, to provide for the increase of powers of
Cherokee Indians and others to trade, contract or barter.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 619, H. B. 796, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the hunt-
Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 502, H. B. 797, a bill to be entitled an act creating a school
district in Jackson and Ferrall's Townships, Nash County, North
Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 618, H. B. 798, a bill to be entitled an act to provide addi-
tional terms of court for Beaufort and Washington Counties.
Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
S. B. 469, H. B. 799, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for electric lights.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 590, H. B. 800, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Winston Township, in Forsyth County and other townships, cities or towns in constructing an electric or steam railway from Winston-Salem to High Point, and to vote bonds therefor.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 495, H. B. 801, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Enfield.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 478, H. B. 802, a bill to be entitled an act relating to improvements to be made in the town of Warrenton, in North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 426, H. B. 803, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town Kingsdale in the county of Robeson and State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 458, H. B. 804, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of East Lumberton in the county of Robeson, State of North Carolina, by extending the limits of said town, etc.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 476, H. B. 805, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the present charter of Boone, N. C., and to recharter the town.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 497, H. B. 806, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County to issue bonds in the sum of $200,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 540, H. B. 807, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Albemarle, Stanly County, and to allow said town to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 473, H. B. 808, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of New London.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 505, H. B. 809, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Runnymede, in Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 327, H. B. 810, a bill to be entitled an act to furnish Lincoln County with copies of Volumes 8 and 9 of the Colonial Records which have been burned.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 591, H. B. 811, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Trustees of the Methodist Church of Morganton to remove and reinter
the remains of the bodies buried on a certain lot in Morganton, N. C.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 532, H. B. 812, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the char-
ter of Greensboro Female College.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following
bill with a request for engrossment:
S. B. 602, H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway
conductors authority to arrest certain persons.
Upon motion the request is granted and the substitute, as passed
by the House, is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and dis-
posed of as follows:
By Mr. Yount, committee substitute for H. B. 790, a bill to be
entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make
for transporting passengers, with a favorable report by the Commit-
tee on Public Service Corporations.
Placed on the Calendar and made a special order for Wednesday,
February 13th, and 300 copies are ordered printed.
By Mr. Mangum, committee substitute for H. B. 791, a bill to be
entitled an act to provide for the separate accommodation of white
and colored passengers upon street cars and for other purposes, with a
favorable report from the Committee on Public Service Corporations.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 792, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe
the hours of service of employees of railroad companies engaged in
the operation of trains, with a favorable report by the Committee
on Public Service Corporations.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Manning, H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled an act to permit
railroad companies to acquire land for double-tracking.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 814, a bill to be entitled an act to encour-
age the breeding of improved live-stock in North Carolina, and to
amend section 2025 of the Revisal of 1905.
Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.
By Mr. . . . . . . . , H. B. 815, a bill to be entitled an act to ap-
point A. L. Bell a justice of the peace for Beaufort County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 816, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sec-
tion 228 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the
amount State banks may invest in lands and buildings.
Referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.
By Mr. McRacken, H. B. S17, a bill to be entitled an act to restore the profession and practice of dentistry to its former position as a branch of medicine and surgery.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. ............, H. B. S18, a bill to be entitled an act to protect wild animals, game birds and fish, and to regulate the catching of fur-bearing animals in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. S19, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the Superior Court of Cherokee County.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Julian, H. B. S20, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the trustees of Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church of Rowan County to disinter, remove and reinter the dead bodies of the old graveyard of that church.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. S21, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint V. P. Letz a justice of the peace for Rowan County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Pitt, H. B. S22, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate killing of squirrels in Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

H. B. S23, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate killing of doves in Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. S24, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Graham Collegiate Institute.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Sharp, H. B. S25, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate indexing deeds and other conveyances.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Grier, H. B. S26, a bill to be entitled an act appointing J. A. Newell a justice of the peace for Mecklenburg County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Pritchard, by request, H. B. S27, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Cedar Grove Township, Orange County, and to levy a special tax for said purpose.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. S28, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2803 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to expert witness allowance.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. S29, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cumberland and Harnett Counties to construct a steel or iron bridge and to levy a tax for the same.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. S30, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. S31, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of woodcock and quail.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Midyette, H. B. S32, a bill to be entitled an act to vacate, nullify and declare of no effect the order or judgment rendered by the Board of County Commissioners for Northampton County on or about the 11th day of December, 1905, declaring stock-law for Occoceechee Township in said county, and to provide for the return to the taxpayers of said township the taxes levied and collected from them under said order or judgment.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. S33, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 918 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to investment or deposit of trust funds by Clerks of the Court.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. S34, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors near certain school-houses in Piney Creek Township, in Alleghany County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. White, H. B. S35, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the town of Roxboro, N. C., to vote on bonds for graded school building and other improvements.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. S36, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the support and maintenance of the State Normal and Industrial College, to erect a science building and to increase the dormitory capacity.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, H. B. S37, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Smithfield, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gaston, by request, H. B. S38, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, and to create an additional cause for divorce.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Justice, H. B. S39, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unfair and unjust discrimination in freight rates, and correct abuses in freight charges by railway companies.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Avery, H. B. S40, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of John A. Correll, a disabled Confederate soldier.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.
SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled an act to put the State and the defendant on an equality in the selection of a jury, with an amendment offered by the committee.

Mr. Galloway of Greene offers an amendment.
Mr. Koonce offers an amendment.
Mr. Peele offers a substitute.
Mr. Parsons calls the previous question.
The question recurs upon the substitute of Mr. Peele.
The motion to adopt the substitute is lost.
The next question is the adoption of the amendment of Mr. Koonce.
The amendment is lost.
The next question is the adoption of the amendment of Mr. Galloway of Greene.
The amendment is lost.
The question recurs upon the adoption of the committee amendment.

Upon this question Mr. Parsons calls for the ayes and noes.
Call sustained.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:

The following gentlemen vote in the negative:

The amendment of the committee is lost.
The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading.

The bill fails to pass.
On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Manning of Durham, Mr. Speaker Justice being absent on leave.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Pittinger, of Raleigh.

Mr. Park, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Galloway of Greene, Washington, Rodwell, Yount, Douglass, Crawford and Pritchard.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Wells, petition from tax payers of Burgaw Township, asking that special road tax in said township be repealed. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Griffin, petition by Spring Hope Council No. 176, Jr. O. U. A. M., in reference to compulsory education. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Rodwell, petition from the merchants of Warrenton for a reduction of freight rates and to prevent discrimination. Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

Petition from merchants of Warrenton to repeal the homestead law. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Foushee, petition for a mild compulsory educational law. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Morton, petition from the firemen of Wilmington in regard to the firemen's relief fund. Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Stickley, petition from merchants of commerce to regulate freight rates. Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Winborne, petition from merchants from Hertford County for relief from railroad burned. Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Mangum, petition from citizens of Cherryville Township, Gaston County, regarding the shooting of birds in said county. Referred to the Committee on Game.
Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 251, S. B. 105, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 470 of the Public Laws of 1905, being an act to regulate the sale of seed-cotton in the counties of Mecklenburg, Nash and Warren, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. John, for the same committee, H. B. 647, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 87, Revisal of 1905, entitled Department of Agriculture, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 752, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the laws of 1901 and 1905, relative to the East Bend Graded School District in Yadkin County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 729, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Ramseur Graded School District, Randolph County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 785, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the building and loan associations of Cleveland County.

By Mr. Parsons, for the same committee, H. B. 828, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2806 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to expert witness allowances.

By Mr. Mull, for the same committee, H. B. 800, S. B. 590, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Winston Township, in Forsyth County, and other townships, cities or towns, to aid in constructing electric or steam railway from Winston-Salem to High Point and to vote bonds therefor, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, for the Committee on Oyster Interests, H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the oyster interests of North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Sharp, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 629, a bill to be entitled an act relative to establishing a dispensary in the town of Bethel, Pitt County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Tillet, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 776, S. B. 425, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the office of public works for the town of Tarboro.

H. B. 808, S. B. 473, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of New London.

H. B. 809, S. B. 505, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Runnymede, in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 807, S. B. 540, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Albemarle, Stanly County, and to allow said town to issue bonds, with a favorable report.
H. B. 733, S. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a standard time throughout the State, with a recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

It is so ordered.

H. R. S10, S. R. 327, resolution to furnish Lincoln County with copies of Volumes 8 and 9 of Colonial Records which have been burned, with a recommendation that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Library.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 820, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the trustees of Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church of Rowan County to disinter, remove and reinter the dead bodies in the old graveyard of that church, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 481, a bill to be entitled an act to protect wild ducks and geese in certain portions of Neuse River, with a favorable report.

H. B. 823, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate killing doves in Edgecombe County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 796, S. B. 619, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the hunting and killing of deer in Mitchell County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 822, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate killing squirrels in Edgecombe County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 831, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of woodcock and quail, with a favorable report.

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled an act to order an election in Rockingham County to determine whether the location of the county seat shall be changed from Wentworth to Reidsville, with an unfavorable report and a minority report attached.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 542, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the crop lien law.

H. B. 825, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate indexing deeds and other conveyances, with an unfavorable report.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Substitute H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 841, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of wine in three miles of certain churches in Warren County. Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
H. B. 842, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the road law in Smith Creek Township, Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 843, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relative to road law in Six Pound Township, Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 844, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 845, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of H. Sneed and Thomas Taylor.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 846, a bill to be entitled an act for the improving and macadamizing the public roads in the different townships in Cherokee County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 847, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Elkin and Alleghany Railway Company and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 848, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 275 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the fixing of salaries for the public officers of Guilford County, and to increase the road fund.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 849, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1360 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to management of houses of correction.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 850, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent hunting on land of another in Davidson County without consent of owner.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 851, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 3 of chapter 525, Public Laws, Session of 1903, relative to special tax for Burgaw Township, Pender County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Bruton, H. B. 852, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Matheson School House, Pee Dee Township, Montgomery County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hampton, H. B. 853, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Currituck County to levy a special tax to repair the county jail.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 854, a bill to be entitled an act to
authorize the Oyster Commissioner to borrow $2,000 to pay for a patrol boat.

Referred to the Committee on Oyster Interests.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 855, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stout, in Union County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 856, a bill to be entitled an act to limit admission of white deaf children to residents of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb.

H. B. 857, a bill to be entitled an act to compel white deaf children to attend school.

Referred to the Committee on Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb.

H. B. 858, a bill to be entitled an act to secure evidence to enforce the law against the sale of cigarettes to minors.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 859, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Haywood County to purchase a home for aged, infirm and poor indigents.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Farthing, H. B. 860, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Smith Hagaman and Jacob Snyder justices of the peace for Beaverdam Township, in Watanga County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Eddins, H. B. 861, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Jack Parker, colored, a public school teacher of Stanly County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 475, H. B. 875, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on Sheriffs and Constables at Altamahaw Cotton Mills, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 462, H. B. 876, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 547, H. B. 862, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads in the county of Yadkin.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 550, H. B. 863, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Elizabeth City.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 417, H. B. 864, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the
monopoly granted to a public ferry established across the Yadkin River by chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1895.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 261, H. B. 865, a bill to be entitled an act to promote public decency.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 366, H. B. 866, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Bank of Rocky Mount.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.
S. B. 529, H. B. 482, a bill to be entitled an act for the preservation of certain public records of Cherokee County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in Senate amendment.
S. B. 614, H. B. 867, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 909 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to Clerk of Court of Dare County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 129, H. B. 868, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 497, section 6, paragraph 5, Public Laws of 1901, relative to sale of fertilizer.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 496, H. B. 869, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint R. H. Smith a justice of the peace and to allow him to practice law.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 22, H. B. 870, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2750, Volume I, Revisal of 1905, fixing the salary and place of residence of the Adjutant General.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
S. R. 649, H. R. 871, resolution to pay expenses of joint sub-committee on Deaf and Dumb which visited the institution at Morganton.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.
S. B. 466, H. B. 872, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, section 1563, Revisal of 1905, relating to the filing by the wife of petition on bringing an action for divorce.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 549, H. B. 873, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 37, section 1726 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time in which surveys of land may be recorded.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 601, H. B. 874, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of deeds.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 877, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 406, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 812, Public Laws of 1905, relating to a dispensary in the town of Oxford.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 878, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington,
Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company, ratified February 2, 1907, it being H. B. 580 and S. B. 368. 
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Midgette, H. B. 879, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Isaac Carter a justice of the peace for Rich Square Township, Northampton County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Buchan, H. B. 880, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the town of Cameron, Moore County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 881, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Franklinville Graded School, Randolph County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 882, a bill to be entitled an act to permit hunting in the waters of eastern North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Game.

H. B. 883, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate insurance companies.
Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 884, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Caldwell County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 768, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Commercial and Savings Bank of Lexington, N. C.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Dare County to refund amount overpaid of public and school taxes for years 1904 and 1905.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 265, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Sandy Cross Baptist Church, in Gates County, with church resolution attached.
As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Carolina Savings and Trust Company of Wilmington, N. C.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 397, S. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company, and authorize it to arrange for and carry insurance on the
lives of certain of its members, also to issue paid-up stock bearing interest.

Passes its second reading and is ordered on the Calendar.
H. B. 400, S. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 703 of the Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to fix the salaries of the officers of Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
Substitute for H. B. 415, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pound charges in the towns of Murphy and Andrews, Cherokee County.

Substitute is adopted and original bill is laid on the table.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 432, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the office of Treasurer of Elkin Township, in Surry County.
The committee amendment is adopted, and as amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 869, S. B. 496, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint R. H. Smith a justice of the peace and to allow him to practice law.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 437, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Washington Trust Company.
As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 465, S. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Siler City Loan and Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 515, S. B. 449, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cove City, in the county of Craven.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 512, S. B. 410, a bill to be entitled an act to make the election law for towns and cities applicable to the county of Harnett.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 557, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Luna Phillips.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 561, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the Commissioners of New Hanover County to work their convicts beyond the limits of said county.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 575, S. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act relating to court stenographers for Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 631, S. B. 344, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4283 of the Revisal of 1905, so as to allow half fees in Lincoln County when not a true bill is found.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 633, S. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act relating to payment of the indebtedness of the stock-law territory in Nash County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 636, S. B. 287, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of jurors in Guilford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 645, S. B. 394, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the Commissioners of the town of Hillsboro to sell the old Academy lot.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 646, S. B. 320, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on Sheriffs and Constables at Eno Cotton Mills, Orange County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 473, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Murfreesboro.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 538, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the citizens of Lenoir, in Caldwell County, to vote on a bond issue,

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 609, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the stock-law in Hayesville Township, Clay County.

The substitute is adopted, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:

The original bill is laid on the table.
H. B. 617, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds to pay the floating indebtedness of said city.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 649, a bill to be entitled an act to levy special tax to pay the public road indebtedness of Macon County.

Passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 661, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the road funds of Stanly County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

gum, Manning, Mial, Midyette, Morton, Mull, Murphy, Park, Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Preston, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rodwell, Rose, Royster, Stevens, Stickley, Taylor of Brunswick, Tillett, Turlington, Vann, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Williams, Winborne, Wood, Yount—82.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 668, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Canton, Haywood County.

Passed its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 682, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Rockingham to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Passed its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 723, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the incorporate limits of the town of Wadesboro, Anson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Ronda, Wilkes County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled an act to issue bonds for public schools Beargrass Township, Martin County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 794, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Cabarrus County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 754 a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Wadesboro Graded School District.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Hooker, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Keener, Laughinghouse, Liverman, London, McDaniel, McLean, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Mial, Midyette, Morton, Mull, Murphy, Park, Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Preston, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rod-
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 753, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the Whittier stock-law boundary in Swain County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 781, S. B. 536, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the public road law of Stanly County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 802, S. B. 478, a bill to be entitled an act relating to improvements to be made in the town of Warrenton, North Carolina.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 807, S. B. 540, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Albemarle, Stanly County, and allow said town to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 809, S. B. 505, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Runnymede, in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Hooker, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Keener, Laughing-
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 830, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Winborne the House adjourns to meet Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

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TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

February 11, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Doughton of Alleghany, Mr. Speaker Justice being absent on leave.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Bumpas of Raleigh.

Mr. Rector, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

The Speaker appoints the following gentlemen as the Committee on the Journal for the present week:

Messrs. Peele, Midyette and Bryant.
Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. John and Davidson of Cherokee.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Candler, petition of citizens of School District No. 2, Webster Township, Jackson County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Hooker, a petition from citizens of Beaufort County in regard to hunting deer.
Referred to the Committee on Game.

A petition asking the appointment of J. M. Messick a justice of the peace for Beaufort County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

A petition asking the appointment of R. D. Adams a justice of the peace for Beaufort County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Gaston, petition from citizens of Buncombe County relative to a reformatory.
Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Avery, a petition from certain citizens of Burke County asking for an extension of the limits of the Morganton chicken law.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. McLean, petition from citizens of Bladen County asking for prohibition in three miles of Hickory Grove Baptist Church, Bladen County.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Morton, petition from the George Washington Council No. 67, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Wilmington, for a mild compulsory education law.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

Petition of the North Carolina Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, asking for the establishment of a reformatory for youthful criminals.
Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Gallert, petition of Cliffside Council No. 139, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Cliffside, in Rutherford County, in favor of compulsory education.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Eddins, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 630, S. B.
459, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the graded school of the town of Albemarle.

By Mr. Cowles, for the same committee, H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special tax school district in Caswell County to be known as School District No. 7, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 851, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 3 of chapter 525, Public Laws, Session of 1903, relative to special tax for Burgaw Township, Pender County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the same committee, H. B. 120, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 448, Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 131 of the Public Laws of 1895, regulating the disposition of taxes paid by the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad Company of Stokes County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 605, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to chapter 448, Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 131, Public Laws of 1895, in relation to railroad subscriptions by certain townships of Stokes County, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 665, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Glen Alpine Graded School District, in Burke County.

H. B. 750, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Southern Presbyterian College and Conservatory of Music, Red Springs, N. C.

H. B. 624, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge Mount Mourne Special School Tax District, in Iredell County, North Carolina.

H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 77, Private Laws of 1905, relative to the Bryson City Graded School, in Swain County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 650, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in North Carolina, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 265, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Sandy Cross Baptist Church in Gates County.

H. B. 557, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Luna Phillips of Randolph County.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. McLean, H. B. 885, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine and cider in three miles of Hickory Grove Baptist Church, in Bladen County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 886, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the voters of Winton, in Hertford County, to vote on dispensary or prohibition.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 887, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint the Board of Education for Hertford County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 888, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the town of Laurinburg to fund its outstanding indebtedness contracted for necessaries and to authorize the levy and collection of taxes to meet the same.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Carter, H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled an act amending chapter 345 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1899.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 890, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Waco, in Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 891, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Will D. Peterson, a public school teacher of Yancey County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Candler, H. B. 892, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Public School District No. 2, in Webster Township, Jackson County, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 893, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates and registrations.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Mangum, H. B. 894, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Gastonia to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 for street improvements, graded schools, water-works, sewerage, electric lights and payment of floating debt.

Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the sidewalks of the town of Gastonia.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 896, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the holding of primary elections.

Referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

H. B. 897, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2665 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to indexing deeds and other instruments made by sheriffs, trustees and commissioners.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 898, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the poll tax in Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 899, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Flat Rock Country Club to sell drinks of a stimulating nature to its bona fide guests.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 900, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled an act to ratify and make valid the noncupative will of the late Floyde Crause of Alleghany County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 902, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Elizabeth Brown, widow of a Confederate soldier.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Mangum, H. B. 903, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of Clerks of the Superior Court in pauper appeals.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 904, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3621 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to secret assault.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bruton, H. B. 905, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 150, section 1, Public Laws of 1901.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Avery, H. B. 906, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Morganton Graded School Laws.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 907, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 908, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Carteret County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 909, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3481 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with reference to hunting upon the lands of another without written permission.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Gaston, H. B. 910, a bill to be entitled an act appointing certain justices of the peace for Buncombe County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
H. B. 911, a bill to be entitled an act to place Nancy M. Wise of Buncombe County on the Confederate pension roll.
Referred to the Committee on Pensions.
By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 912, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of deeds.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 913, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1409 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to election of justices of the peace in Franklin County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 914, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of Franklin County to sell and convey a part of the county land.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 915, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of electrical power transmission lines.
Referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.
By Mr. Park, H. B. 916, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 578 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to sawdust in certain streams in Ashe County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
H. B. 917, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Ashe County.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.
By Mr. Rose, H. B. 918, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Graham County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. Harris, H. B. 927, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the presentation of a silver service to the Cruiser North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
By Mr. Manning, H. B. 928, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 729, Acts 1901, relating to public roads of Durham County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 929, a bill to be entitled an act to allow traveling expenses to the Governor.
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
H. B. 930, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 2764 and 2765 of the Revisal of 1905, to increase the allowance for traveling expenses for the Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Court.
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
By Mr. Buchan, H. B. 931, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district from parts of Moore and Montgomery Counties.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 332, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Andrew J. Barnes a justice of the peace for Nantahala Township, Macon County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

Substitute for S. B. 82, H. B. 919, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Wilmington a special court to be called the Recorder’s Court and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 142, H. B. 920, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in the counties of Cherokee and Macon.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 594, H. B. 921, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 3374 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to persons knowingly hiring or detaining a servant or employee of another who has entered into a contract for service.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 633, H. B. 922, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 111, Public Laws of 1893, in regard to weighing cotton in Albemarle, Stanly County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 657, H. B. 923, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton-weigher for the town of Faison, Duplin County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 644, H. B. 924, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1959 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to jurors in Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 622, H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Troy Township, Montgomery County, to create a special road commission for said township and work the same by taxation.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 648, H. B. 926, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal charter granted April 5, 1906, to R. D. Phillips and others, in the name of Independent A. M. E. Denominations of the United States of America.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 317, H. B. 356, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of jurors allotting dowers in widows' year's allowance.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 400, H. B. 410, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the use of drag or haul nets in the waters of Goose Creek and its tributaries.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.
SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305 of Private Laws of 1905.

Upon motion of Mr. Turlington, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Douglass rises to a question of personal privilege, touching a newspaper article published in the Lincoln County News.

On motion of Mr. Buchan, H. B. 401, S. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in certain specific territory in Moore County, is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 745, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a primary election law for Rowan County.

Mr. Tillett offers an amendment which is adopted, and as amended, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 630, S. B. 459, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the graded school of the town of Albemarle.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 851, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3 of chapter 525, Public Laws of 1903, relative to special tax for Burgaw Township, Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special tax school district in Caswell County to be known as School District No. 7.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Gallow, Gaston, Gibbs, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Han-kins, Harris, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Hooker, Jacobson, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman, McDaniel, McLean, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Mial, Midyette, Morgan, Mull, Murphy,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 473, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Murfreesboro.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 538, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the citizens of Lenoir, Caldwell County, to vote on a bond issue.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 77, Private Laws of 1905, relative to the Bryson City Graded School, in Swain County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 609, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the stock-law in Hayesville Township, Clay County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


H. B. 617, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy a tax to pay the floating indebtedness of said city.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Gaston, Gibbs, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Han-
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 624, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge Mount Mourne Special School Tax District in Iredell County, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 649, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax to pay the public road indebtedness of Macon County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 661, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the road fund of Stanly County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 665, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Glen Alpine Graded School District in Burke County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 668, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Canton, Haywood County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Gal-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 682, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Rockingham to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 691, S. B. 423, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Tarboro to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 692, S. B. 424, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in the town of Tarboro, Edgecombe County, N. C.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 695, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 244, Public Laws 1905, to allow the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 696, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Yancey County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 703, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of High Point to appropriate $1,500 for the maintenance of a Carnegie library and providing a site therefor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 723, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the incorporate limits of Wadesboro, Anson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Buchan, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Ehrlinghaus, Gallert, Gaston, Gibbs, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Hooker, Jacobson, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin,
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Ronda, Wilkes County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled an act to issue bonds for a public school in Beargrass Township, Martin County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Cabarrus County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 754, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Wadesboro Graded School District.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 765, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the Whittier stock-law boundary in Swain County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Gaston, Gibbs, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 781, S. B. 536, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the public road law of Stanly County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 800, S. B. 500, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Winston Township, in Forsyth County, and other townships, cities or towns to aid in constructing an electric or steam railway from Winston-Salem to High Point, and to vote bonds therefor.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

lor of Vance, Tillett, Turlington, Vann, Watts, Wells, Whitley, Winborne, Wood—84.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 802, S. B. 478, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the improvements to be made in the town of Warrenton, in North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 807, S. B. 540, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Albemarle, Stauyl County, and allow said town to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 809, S. B. 505, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Runnymede, in Edgecombe County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 830, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 878, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company," ratified February 2, 1907, it being H. R. 580 and S. R. 368.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert,
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 886, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the voters of Winton, in Hertford County, to vote on dispensary or prohibition.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 908, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Carteret County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the oyster interests of North Carolina.

An amendment is offered by the committee.

An amendment is offered by Mr. Morton.

The amendment of Mr. Morton is adopted.

Mr. Jacobson offers an amendment.

Mr. Vann offers an amendment.

Mr. Koonce offers an amendment.

Mr. Ehringhaus moves to make special order.

Motion lost.

The amendment of Mr. Jacobson is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Vann is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Koonce is adopted.

The question now recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading, as amended.

The bill as amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 834, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors near certain school-houses in Piney Creek Township, in Alleghany County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 774. S. B. 533, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the trustees of West Market Street Methodist Church, Greensboro, North Carolina, to remove and reinter the remains of the bodies buried on a certain lot in Greensboro, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 419, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt Wilson Creek Township, Caldwell County, from the operation of the stock law.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. R. 615, joint resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate asking for the return to the Senate of S. B. 529, H. B. 482, a bill to be entitled an act for the preservation of certain public records of Cherokee County.

The request is granted and the bill is ordered returned to the Senate.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting H. B. 933, S. B. 502, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in McDowell County and to prevent the importation thereof into said county.

On motion of Mr. Avery, the rules are suspended and the bill is placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

TWENTY-NINTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

February 12, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Vann of Raleigh.

Mr. Peele, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

On motion, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Representatives Ervin of Burke, McNeill of Scotland, and McClammy of New Hanover.
PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Pickett, memorial from the North Carolina-Virginia Conference, Christian Church, in regard to a reformatory.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

Petition from Union Council, No. 4, Jr. O. U. A. M., Altamahaw, North Carolina, in regard to compulsory education.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Petition from Jr. O. U. A. M. of Elon College in regard to compulsory education.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Park, petition to change the boundary line between Mulberry and Rock Creek Townships in Wilkes County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Cowles, petitions of citizens of Wilkes County asking that the corporate limits of Oak Forest Church, Antioch Township, Wilkes County, be reduced to one mile.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Weaver, petition from citizens of Asheville, Buncombe County, endorsing a reformatory.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Mr. Buchan, petition of 1,161 citizens of Moore County against the formation of Lee County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 804, S. B. 458, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of East Lumberton, in the county of Robeson, State of North Carolina.

H. B. 829, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cumberland and Harnett Counties to construct a steel or iron bridge and to levy a tax for the same.

H. B. 803, S. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Kingsdale, in the county of Robeson and State of North Carolina.

H. B. 799, S. B. 469, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for electric lights.

H. B. 775, S. B. 537, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Conetoe, in Edgecombe County.
H. B. 890, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Waco, in Cleveland County.

H. B. 184, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 300 of the Public Laws of 1901, and chapter 164 of the Public Laws of 1905, together with all amendments to said chapter 300, relating to the drainage of certain creeks in Henderson County.

H. B. 875, S. B. 475, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and constables at Altamaha Cotton Mills, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

H. B. 770, S. B. 544, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county of Pitt to issue bonds to build iron bridges and to levy a special tax.

H. B. 794, S. B. 470, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Ore Hill, in Chatham County.

H. B. 693, S. B. 467, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 77, Private Laws of 1883, allowing the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mt. Pleasant to levy certain special taxes.

H. B. 655, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Harrellsville, in Hertford County.

H. B. 676, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Hendersonville.

H. B. 708, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to place the money received from the sale of certain real estate in the general county fund.

H. B. 771, S. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 83, Private Laws of 1891, as amended by chapter 127, Private Laws of 1895, and chapter 63, Private Laws of 1901, relating to the charter of the town of Weldon, Halifax County, N. C.

H. B. 801, S. B. 493, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Enfield.

H. B. 805, S. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the present charter of Boone, N. C., and to recharter the town, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the same committee, H. B. 756, a bill to be entitled an act to provide additional revenue and enhance the value of State, county and municipal bonds.

Recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 863, S. B. 366, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Bank of Rocky Mount, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 811, S. B. 591, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the trustees of the Methodist Church of Morganton to remove and reinter the remains of the bodies buried on a certain lot in Morganton, N. C.

H. B. 778, S. B. 13, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Whetstone Lodge, No. 515, A. F. and A. M.
H. B. 812, S. B. 532, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Greensboro Female College, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Cowles, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 880, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Cameron, Moore County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the same committee, H. B. 603, a bill to be entitled to act to create a free school district in McDowell County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Royster, for the same committee, H. B. 577, S. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to require certain high schools and colleges to have a night watchman, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 835, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Roxboro, N. C., to vote on bonds for graded school building and other improvements, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Eddins, for the same committee, H. B. 931, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district from parts of Moore and Montgomery Counties.

H. B. 861, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Jack Parker, colored, a public school teacher of Stanly County, with favorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 907, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Pickett, for the Committee on Insane Asylums, H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care of the mental defectives of the State, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Stevens, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the punishment in cases when conviction is for carrying concealed weapons, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 924, S. B. 644, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1959 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to jurors in Buncombe County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 725, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for the working of the public highways of McDowell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 642, S. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to revise, consolidate and amend the road law of Lenoir County for the better maintenance and more permanent construction of the public roads of said county, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Washington, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 662, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the working
of the public roads of the First Judicial District by convict force, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 867, S. B. 614, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 909 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the Clerk of the Court, Dare County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 846, a bill to be entitled an act for the improving and macadamizing the public roads in the different townships in Cherokee County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 925, S. B. 622, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Troy Township, Montgomery County, to create a special road commission for said township and work the same by taxation, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 862, S. B. 547, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads in the county of Yadkin, with a favorable report.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Carter, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 617, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay the floating indebtedness of said city.

H. B. 723, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the incorporate limits of the town of Wadesboro, in Anson County.

H. B. 538, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the citizens of Lenoir, Caldwell County, to vote on a bond issue.

H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Ronda, in Wilkes County.

H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the oyster interests in North Carolina.

H. B. 908, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Carteret County.

H. B. 830, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton.

H. B. 419, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt Wilson Creek Township, in Caldwell County, from the operation of the stock law.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Candler, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 589, S. B. 517, an act to empower the Board of Commission-
ers of New Hanover County to issue bonds for road improvement, and to construct bridges.
H. B. 433, S. B. 511, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Yancey County.
H. B. 344, S. B. 136, an act for working the public roads in Gates County.
H. B. 548, S. B. 556, an act to amend section 2026 of the Revisal, as to filing liens.
H. B. 584, S. B. 627, an act to provide for the registration of conditional sales of railroad equipment and rolling stock.
H. B. 572, S. B. 194, an act for the protection of fish in North Pacolet River and Vaughn's Creek and their tributaries in Polk County.
H. B. 49, S. B. 69, an act conferring on all the courts of the Superior Court of Bertie County jurisdiction to try both criminal and civil causes, amending section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.
H. B. 146, S. B. 185, an act to provide for the payment of the bonds issued for the benefit of the State's Prison, under chapter 607, Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1899.
H. B. 516, S. B. 411, an act to amend subsection 4 of section 2001 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to contract with cropper and tenant.
H. B. 354, S. B. 446, an act to provide for the working of the public road known as the Kenansville and Magnolia Sand-clay road in Duplin County.
H. B. 554, S. B. 605, an act to amend chapter 259, Public Laws of 1905, in reference to the working of the roads of Hertford County.
H. B. 150, S. B. 222, an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Cherokee County.
H. B. 110, S. B. 214, an act to repeal chapter 47, Public Laws of North Carolina, for the year 1895.
H. B. 453, S. B. 507, an act to establish graded public schools in the town of Highland, Catawba County.
H. B. 564, S. B. 604, an act for the better working and improvement of the roads and public highways in the county of Davie.
H. B. 400, S. B. 130, an act to amend chapter 703 of the Public Laws of 1905, it being an act to fix the salaries of the officers of Buncombe County.
H. B. 390, S. B. 525, an act to amend chapter 354 of the Public
Laws of 1801, which is an act to provide for working the roads and highways in Clay County.

H. B. 575, S. B. 330, an act relating to court stenographer for Wake County.

H. B. 645, S. B. 394, an act to authorize and empower the Commissioners of the town of Hillsboro to sell the old Academy lot.

H. B. 631, S. B. 344, an act to amend section 1283 of the Revisal of 1905, so as to allow half fees in Lincoln County when “not a true bill” is found.

H. B. 635, S. B. 287, an act to increase the pay of jurors in Guilford County.

H. B. 512, S. B. 410, an act to make the general election law for towns and cities applicable to the county of Harnett.

H. B. 869, S. B. 496, an act to appoint R. H. Smith a justice of the peace and to allow him to practice law.

H. B. 313, S. B. 430, an act for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors.

H. B. 202, S. B. 428, an act to regulate fishing in parts of Black River and Six Runs River in Sampson County.

H. B. 613, S. B. 512, an act to extend the boundaries of the city of New Bern.

H. B. 455, S. B. 566, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to consolidate and refund the floating debt of the county.

H. B. 633, S. B. 323, an act in relation to the indebtedness of the stock-law territory in Nash County.

H. B. 612, S. B. 513, an act to amend chapter 82, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the city of New Bern.

H. B. 515, S. B. 449, an act to incorporate the town of Cove City.

H. B. 646, S. B. 320, an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and constables at Eno Cotton Mills, Orange County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

H. B. 362, S. B. 440, an act permitting cities and towns to condemn lands for use as a cemetery under certain conditions.

H. B. 590, S. B. 581, an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to employ a duly licensed auditor.

H. B. 482, S. B. 529, an act for the preservation of certain public records of Cherokee County, North Carolina.

H. B. 630, S. B. 459, an act to amend the charter of the graded school of the town of Albemarle.

H. B. 465, S. B. 68, an act to incorporate the Siler City Loan and Trust Company.

H. B. 809, S. B. 505, an act to incorporate the town of Runnymede, in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 594, S. B. 516, an act to change the jurisdiction of the April Term of the Superior Court of Richmond County, North Carolina.
H. B. 692, S. B. 424, an act to levy a special tax in the town of Tarboro, Edgecombe County, North Carolina.
H. B. 781, S. B. 536, an act to amend the public road law of Stanly County.
H. B. 537, S. B. 575, an act to amend the charter of the Mechanics Dime Savings Bank, chapter 279 of the Private Laws of 1895.
H. B. 933, S. B. 502, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in McDowell County, and to prevent the importation thereof into said county.
H. B. 774, S. B. 533, an act to allow the trustees of West Market Street Methodist Church, Greensboro, North Carolina, to remove and reinter the remains of the bodies buried in a certain lot in Greensboro, North Carolina.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:
By Mr. Pitt, H. B. 934, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit giving liens on crops to be grown upon the land of another.
Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.
By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 935, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the graded schools in the town of Waynesville, and to provide for the issuance of bonds to purchase land and erect and equip an additional building.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the water-works system of the town of Waynesville, and to authorize the issuance of bonds therefor.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
H. B. 937, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time of holding Superior Courts in Haywood County.
Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
By Mr. Whitley, H. B. 938, a bill to be entitled an act to build good roads in Williamston Township, in Martin County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Dowd, by request, H. B. 939, a bill to be entitled an act to protect laborers.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Baley, H. B. 940, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Hot Springs.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Jones of Johnston, H. B. 942, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of Pine Level.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 943, a bill to be entitled an act to promote loyalty and greater respect to the sovereignty of the State.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, H. B. 944, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Transylvania County to levy a special tax.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 945, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe and fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Beaufort County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 946, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. McLean, H. B. 947, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts of Bladen County.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 948, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of R. L. Mitchell, Clerk of the Superior Court of Caswell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 949, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Carolina Methodist College.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 950, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint A. M. Sorrell a justice of the peace of Oak Grove Township, Durham County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 951, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Glenola Rural Graded School, in Randolph County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 952, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the appointment of special tax collectors for the counties of Hertford and Northampton.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 953, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 2739 and 2744 of the Revisal of 1905, regulating the salaries of certain State employees.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Bolton, H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2762, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 955, a bill to be entitled an act to compel railway and telegraph companies to obey the lawful orders of the Corporation Commissioners.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.
H. B. 956, a bill to be entitled an act to require railway companies to keep their passenger cars clean and decent.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Eddins, H. B. 957, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate West Albemarle Baptist Church.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Royster, by request, H. B. 958, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 102, Revisal of 1905, relating to the militia.

Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. McRae, H. R. 959, resolution concerning artificial legs for Confederate soldiers.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 960, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2751 of the Revisal of 1905, regulating Paymaster-General's salary.

Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. B. 961, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4498 of the Revisal of 1905, enlarging the powers of the State Medical Board of Examiners to issue license.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

H. B. 962, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of Commissioners of Cabarrus County to sell the property on which is located the common jail.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Cowles, H. B. 963, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture or sale of spirituous liquors within one mile of Oak Forest Church, in Antioch Township, Wilkes County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 964, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust in certain streams of Cleveland and Rutherford Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 965, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Forney's Creek Baptist Church, in Swain County, N. C.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 966, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint E. L. Bundy and Christopher C. Sneed justices of the peace for Scotland County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 967, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Moore's Creek Monumental Association to preserve order and protect persons and premises.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 968, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal sections 2012, 2013 and 2014 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to libel and slander.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 969, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Iredell County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 970, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Craven County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Whitley, H. B. 985, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 129, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the charter of the town of Williamston.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 986, a bill to be entitled an act to give police powers to Royall Cotton Mills, in Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 20, H. B. 971, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2632 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, for failing to transport freight within a reasonable time.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

S. B. 617, H. B. 972, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Wachovia Loan and Trust Company of Winston-Salem.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 678, H. B. 973, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Stanly County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 670, H. B. 974, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of Iredell County to use the surplus court-house funds for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 656, H. B. 975, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, concerning the working of the public roads of the State and to authorize the county commissioners to let the keeping of the roads to contract in sections.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 662, H. B. 976, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 594, Public Laws of 1890, relating to schools in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 660, H. B. 977, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to primary elections in Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 677, H. B. 978, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Myer's Chapel M. E. Church, South, in Clay County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 639, H. B. 979, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Fletcher Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 641, H. B. 980, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Pleasant Hill Special Tax School District in the county of Henderson.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 640, H. B. 981, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Crab Creek Special Tax School District in the county of Henderson.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 638, H. B. 982, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Rymer Special Tax School District in Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 637, H. B. 983, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Big William Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 70, H. B. 984, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the organizing of the county of Lee from the territory of Chatham and Moore Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 205, H. B. 115, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of fees of State witnesses in the Superior Court of Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 398, H. B. 355, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1400 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to justices of the peace.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care of the mental defectives of the State.

Substitute offered by the Committee.

The substitute is adopted and passes its second reading, and on its third reading Mr. Murphy calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell,

Those voting in the negative, none.

The bill as amended by the substitute passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 746, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of Warren County, Nut Bush Township.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 747, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of Warren County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dough- ton, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Gallo-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 752, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Laws of 1901 and 1905, relating to the East Bend Graded School District, in Yadkin County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 808, S. B. 473, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and re- vise the charter of New London.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 855, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stout in Union County, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 888, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the town of Laurinburg to fund its outstanding indebtedness, contracted for necessities, and to enlarge the levy and collection of taxes to meet the same.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. S94, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Gastonia to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 for street improvement, graded schools, water-works, sewerage, electric lights and payment of floating debt.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S95, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the sidewalks of the town of Gastonia.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S86, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special tax school district in Caswell County to be known as School District No. 7.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 77, Private Laws of 1905, relative to the Bryson City Graded School, in Swain County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 624, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge Mount Mourne Special School Tax District, in Iredell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brutan, Buchan, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Doughton, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Hampton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 665, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Glen Alpine Graded School District, in Burke County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 800, S. B. 590, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Winston Township, in Forsyth County, and other townships, cities and towns to aid in constructing an electric or steam railway from Winston-Salem to High Point, and to vote bonds therefor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Midyette, Morgan, Mull, Murphy, Neal, Owen, Park, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Preston, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pugh, Rector, Rose, Royster, Simpson, Stickley, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Turlington, Vann, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Winborne, Wood—90.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 878, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company, ratified February 2, 1907, it being H. B. 580, S. B. 368.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 663, S. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Hendersonville Lake Land and Power Company.

Amendment of the committee is adopted, and as amended the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratifi-cation.

H. B. 397, S. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company, and authorize it to arrange for and carry insurance on the lives of certain of its members, also to issue paid-up stock bearing interest.

Passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 481, a bill to be entitled an act to protect wild ducks and geese in certain portions of Neuse River.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 789, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to establish a chain-gang.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled an act to order an election in Rockingham County to determine whether the location of the county seat shall be changed from Wentworth to Reidsville, with a majority report against the bill and a minority report in favor of its passage.

Mr. London moves the previous question.

Call sustained.

The minority report fails of adoption, and the bill, on motion of Mr. Sharp, is laid on the table.

Mr. Sharp moves to reconsider the vote to table and the motion to reconsider is, on motion of Mr. Sharp, tabled.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unnecessary in real action to prove title out of the State unless the State is a necessary party to the action and claiming interest therein.

Mr. Midyette offers an amendment, which he withdraws, and sends forward a second amendment.

Mr. Manning sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Davis of Hyde sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Vann sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Parsons sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Wells sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Ehringhaus sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Jacobson offers an amendment.

Mr. Tillett offers an amendment.

Mr. Griffin offers an amendment.

Mr. Bruton offers an amendment.

The amendment of Mr. Bruton is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Griffin is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Tillett is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Ehringhaus is adopted.

The amendment offered by Mr. Wells is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Midyette is adopted.

As amended the bill passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Midyette, the House adjourns to meet Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Bryant, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Avery.

The courtesies of the floor are extended to Hon. John C. Kennett, ex-member of Guilford County, and to Hon. F. A. Daniel of Wayne.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Rodwell, petition from the citizens of Warrenton for a Hall of History.

Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Jacobson, petition to appoint J. G. Channey a justice of the peace for Beaufort County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Harshaw, petition to amend the Constitution on the homestead law, from citizens of Caldwell County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Hankins, petition of Jr. O. U. A. M. of Lexington, relative to compulsory education.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 984, S. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the organizing of the county of Lee from the territory of Chatham and Moore Counties, with an unfavorable report.

Minority report filed.

By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 876, S. B. 462, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 797, S. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act creating a school district in Jackson and Ferrell’s Townships, Nash County, North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

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By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, substitute for H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing with pound nets in the waters of Neuse, Pamlico, Tar and Roanoke Rivers, with an unfavorable report.

With a minority report, favorable.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 917, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Ashe County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act to create a State Board of Arbitration for settling claims against counties, cities, towns and townships in North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 926, S. B. 648, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal charter granted April 5, 1906, to R. D. Phillips and others, in the name of Independent A. M. E. Denomination of the United States of America.

H. B. 628, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2788, Revisal of 1905, relating to costs in justices of the peace courts, with a favorable report.

H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 113, Volume 2, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, in relation to State boundaries, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 784, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the courts of justices of the peace, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the same committee, H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State to condemn property for the use of the penal and charitable institutions of the State when unable to agree on price with owner, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled an act to ratify and make valid the nuncupative will of the late Floyde Crause of Alleghany County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Midyette, for the same committee, H. B. 718, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3733 of the Revisal of 1905 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, relating to drunkenness, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Simpson, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 679, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate primary and other elections in Mitchell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rose, for the Committee on Privileges and Elections, H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to create a voting precinct at Ahoskie, in Hertford County, and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said county to make it a township and appoint justices of the peace therein, with a recommendation by the committee that the bill be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

It is so ordered.

By Mr. Harshaw, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 923, S. B. 657, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton-weigher for the town of Faison, Duplin County.
H. B. 629, S. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent live stock from running at large in Grassy Creek Township, in Mitchell County.

H. B. 922, S. B. 633, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 111, Public Laws of 1893, in regard to weighing cotton in Albemarle, Stanly County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 868, S. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 479, section 6, paragraph 5, Public Laws of 1901, relating to sales of fertilizer, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 707, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. J. Davis, ex-Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 865, S. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to promote public decency.

H. B. 885, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine and cider in 3 miles of Hickory Grove Baptist Church, in Bladen County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 858, a bill to be entitled an act to secure evidence to enforce the law against the sale of cigarettes to minors, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 968, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal sections 2012, 2013 and 2014 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to libel and slander, with a favorable report, and on motion of Mr. Julian, the bill is referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 899, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Flat Rock Country Club to sell drinks of a stimulating nature to its bona fide guests, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 610, a bill to be entitled an act to adjust, define and establish the boundary line between Polk and Henderson Counties, with an unfavorable report, and recommitted to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 751, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 214 of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to putting sawdust in the streams of Graham County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 946, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 578 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to sawdust in certain streams in Ashe County.

H. B. 853, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Currituck County to levy a special tax to repair the county jail.

H. B. 964, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust in certain streams of Cleveland and Rutherford Counties.

H. B. 978, S. B. 677, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Myer's Chapel M. E. Church, South, in Clay County.

H. B. 763, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of manufacturers and shippers of mineral waters, soda waters and other beverages, and dealers in the same.
H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the water-works system of the town of Waynesville, and to authorize the issuance of bonds therefor, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled an act to promote safety of travel on railroads and to prohibit the moving of ordinary freight trains on Sunday, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2634 of the Revisal of 1905, requiring common carriers to tender payment within the time specified in said section, and requiring payment of cost where claim is made after action brought but before trial, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroad companies to install and operate additional passenger trains, and to require them to make certain connections, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 764, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1080 of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, and to extend powers of Corporation Commission to receive reports from telephone companies, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Cowles, for the Committee on Printing, H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act in reference to public printing, reported without prejudice.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 500, S. B. 86, a bill to be entitled an act to compel water companies to supply good, potable drinking water, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, for the Committee on Privileges and Elections, H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the County Board of Education of Onslow County by the qualified voters, with a favorable report.

Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 624, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge Mount Mourne Special Tax District in Iredell County, North Carolina.

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special tax school district in Caldwell County to be known as School District Number Seven.

On motion of Mr. Stickley, H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 113, Volume 2, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, in relation to State boundaries, is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

The following bills are recalled from the Senate:

On motion of Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 830, S. B. 705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton.
And on motion of Mr. Parsons, H. B. 598, S. B. 682, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. R. 987, resolution for information from Corporation Commission.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 988, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the duties and enlarge the powers of the Attorney-General of North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 989, an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue bonds for the purpose of improving and repairing the streets and sidewalks of the city of Durham.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 990, an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue bonds for the construction and erection of a sewerage disposal plant and to improve and extend the sewerage system of the city of Durham.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 991, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Durham.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 992, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Dilling, H. B. 993, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate and restrict child labor in manufacturing establishments and to regulate the hours of labor.
Referred to the Committee on Manufacturing and Labor.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 994, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 641, Public Laws of 1905, relative to levying special tax for building new court-house for Carteret County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Whitley, H. B. 995, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit hunting and fishing without written permission in Cross Roads Township, in Martin County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City, North Carolina, relative to mayor's salary.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Vann, H. B. 997, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1311 of chapter 23 of the Revisal of 1905.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 998, a bill to be entitled an act for the recording of surveys of land heretofore made or that may hereafter be made.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 999, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1905, with reference to sawdust in Macon County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 1000, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain physicians of Cherokee, Clay and Graham Counties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Griffin, H. B. 1001, a bill to be entitled an act appointing justices of the peace in Nash County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1002, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Buncombe and Burke Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. White, H. B. 1003, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the act establishing a dispensary in Roxboro, Person County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 1004, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 48, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 1005, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of whiskey, brandy, cider and cigarettes within three miles of Boiling Springs High School, incorporated, and Boiling Springs Baptist Church, Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Parker, H. B. 1006, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 11, chapter 636 of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to the distribution of the funds derived from dispensaries in Jones County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hampton, H. B. 1007, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain parties justices of the peace for and in Currituck County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Farthing, H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a, chapter 31 of the Revisal, relative to obstructing streams in Watauga County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Tillet, H. B. 1009, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of Camden County to levy a special tax.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Vestal, H. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Rocky Mount, to be hereafter known as the city of Rocky Mount.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Eddins, H. B. 1011, a bill to be entitled an act to incorpor-
rate the Yadkin Mineral Springs Academy, and Palmerville Baptist
Church.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bryant, H. B. 1012, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 3042, chapter 75 of the Revisal of 1905, reducing tobacco
warehouse charges.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 1013, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize
the Commissioners of Swain County to provide and maintain a home
for the aged and infirm of said county.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1014, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Quati Chule-
tosky, a Confederate pensioner.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Doughton, by request, H. B. 1015, a bill to be entitled an
act ratifying certain deeds and leases in Person County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 1023, a bill to be entitled an act for the
better working of the public roads of Rowan County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Royster, H. R. 1024, resolution to pay the expenses of the
members of the House committee visiting the State Hospital at
Morganton and Goldsboro.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following
bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 158, H. B. 1016, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the
Corporation Commission to install and operate additional passenger
trains and also to require them to make certain connections.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Cor-
porations.

S. B. 623, H. B. 1017, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the
Board of Education of Orange County to pay certain claims.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 647, H. B. 1018, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate
the town of Crouse, Lincoln County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 468, H. B. 1019, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section
3844 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to railroads carrying freight.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Cor-
porations.

S. B. 634, H. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate
the town of Goldston, in Chatham County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 621, H. B. 1021, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified the 21st day of January, 1907, entitled “An act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Maple Creek Church, Nash County, N. C.”

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 520, H. B. 622, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2707 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the regulation of tolls and ferries.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 635, H. B. 1022, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Jacksonville to issue bonds for the purpose of protecting the town against fires.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 578, H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 608, H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Macon County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 623, H. B. 673, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Newton, Catawba County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

In compliance with the request from the House of Representatives, a message is received from the Senate returning H. B. 830, S. B. 705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton, and H. B. 598, S. B. 682, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, N. C., which are placed on the Calendar for reconsideration.

A further message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, and asking concurrence therein:

H. B. 15, S. B. 728, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care of the mental defectives of the State, for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Bickett, the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

Mr. Turlington offers a substitute for the pending bill.

Mr. Douglass offers an amendment to the bill.

Mr. Royster offers an amendment to the bill.
Mr. Harshaw offers an amendment to the bill.
Mr. Murphy offers an amendment to the bill.
On motion of Mr. Harris, three hundred copies of the substitute offered by Mr. Turlington are ordered printed.
Pending consideration of the bill, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

**EVENING SESSION.**

The House meets, pursuant to recess, at 8 o'clock P. M., with Mr. Doughton in the chair, and resumes consideration of H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

At the beginning of the debate on the bill, Mr. Manning gives notice that at 10 o'clock he will call the previous question and demand the ayes and noes on the bill and all amendments thereto.

Mr. Gallert offers an amendment.
Pending consideration of the bill, on motion of Mr. Grant, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 A. M.

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**THIRTY-FIRST DAY.**

**House of Representatives.**

February 14, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Vann, of Raleigh.

Mr. Peele, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Representative J. B. Little of Pitt.

The Speaker announces as an addition to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances Mr. Avery.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.**

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1017, S. B. 632, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Orange County to pay certain claims, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Wood, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 944, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the County Commissioners' of Transylvania County to levy a special tax, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Eddins, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1011, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Yadkin Mineral Springs Academy and Palmerville Baptist Church, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 847, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Elkin and Alleghany Railway Company and for other purposes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 749, Public Laws of 1903, relative to shooting wild fowl in Currituck County.

H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revisal of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 952, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the appointment of special tax collectors for the counties of Hertford and Northampton, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 903, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of Clerks of the Superior Court in pauper appeals, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 967, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Moore's Creek Monumental Association to preserve order and to protect persons and premises, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Erhringhaus, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 863, S. B. 550, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Elizabeth City, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 683, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Elizabeth City, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Williams, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305 of the Private Laws of 1905, with an unfavorable report and a minority report attached.

By Mr. Wells, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1018, S. B. 647, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Crouse, Lincoln County, North Carolina.

H. B. 788, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for rebuilding, improving and repairing the home for the aged and infirm for said county.

H. B. 1022, S. B. 635, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Jacksonville to issue bonds for the purpose of protecting the town against fires.

H. B. 957, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate West Albemarle Baptist Church, with a favorable report.
H. B. 992, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 974, S. B. 670, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of Iredell County to use the surplus court-house funds for other purposes.

H. B. 1620, S. B. 634, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Goldston, in Chatham County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 493, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Polk County.

H. B. 900, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Henderson County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 780, S. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the same committee, H. B. 1004, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 48, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Cleveland County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the same committee, H. B. 975, S. B. 656, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, concerning the working of the public roads of the State, and to authorize the County Commissioners to let the keeping of the roads to contract in sections, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 962, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of Commissioners of Cabarrus County to sell the property on which is located the common jail, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Windsor Graded School District, in Bertie County, with a favorable report as amended.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 307, S. B. 230, an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company and authorize it to arrange for and carry insurance on the lives of certain of its members; also to issue paid-up stock bearing interest.

H. B. 691, S. B. 423, an act authorizing the Commissioners of the town of Tarboro to issue bonds.
H. B. 599, S. B. 582, an act to amend chapter 297 of the Public Laws of 1899, in regard to the County Commissioners of Wake County.

H. B. 129, S. B. 480, an act to repay a loan for sewerage at the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

H. B. 800, S. B. 500, an act to authorize Winston Township and other townships, cities or towns to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point, North Carolina, to Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

H. B. 409, S. B. 624, an act to establish a criminal court, to be called the Criminal Court for the county of Pasquotank.

H. B. 807, S. B. 540, an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Albemarle, Stanly County, and to allow said town to issue bonds.

H. B. 802, S. B. 478, an act to authorize the town of Warrenton to issue bonds for public improvements and to levy a special tax.

H. B. 663, S. B. 329, an act to incorporate the Hendersonville Lake, Land and Power Company.

H. B. 367, S. B. 565, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caswell County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 886, S. B. 720, an act to authorize the voters of the town of Winton, in Hertford County, to vote on the question of dispensary or prohibition.

H. B. 851, S. B. 716, an act to repeal section 3 of chapter 525, Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1903, relative to special tax for Burgaw Township, Pender County.

H. B. 557, S. B. 690, an act for the relief of Luna Phillips of Randolph County.

H. B. 363, S. B. 490, an act to amend section 2696 of the Revival of 1905, relating to the building of bridges.

H. B. 789, S. B. 734, an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to establish a chain-gang.

H. B. 908, S. B. 702, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Carteret County.

H. B. 265, S. B. 687, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Sandy Cross Baptist Church, in Gates County.

H. B. 440, S. B. 631, an act to amend the charter of the Peoples Bank and Trust Company of Salisbury, N. C.

H. B. 834, S. B. 721, an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors near certain school-houses in Alleghany County.

H. B. 507, S. B. 559, an act to amend the charter of the Savings Bank and Trust Company, of Elizabeth City.

H. B. 426, S. B. 606, an act to extend the corporate limits of Old Fort and to increase the tax rate for said town of Old Fort.

H. B. 561, S. B. 683, an act to permit the County Commissioners of
New Hanover County to quarry rock and obtain material beyond the limits of said county to be used on the public roads of said county.

H. B. 745, S. B. 681, an act to establish a primary election law for Rowan County.

H. B. 15, S. B. 728, an act to provide for the care of the mental defectives of the State.

H. B. 33, S. B. 316, an act restoring to the people of Johnston County the right to manufacture and sell wine and cider.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, H. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled an act to create a Highway Commission in Vance County and prescribe its duties.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hanes, H. B. 1026, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the removal of certain graves in the town of Yadkinville, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a digest of decisions of the Supreme Court of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Clerk of the Court of Richmond County to turn over certain funds to the school fund of said county.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1029, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a chain-gang in the county of Richmond.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 1030, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. C. Broadhurst and L. P. Rooks justices of the peace in Columbia Township, Pender County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 1031, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a school district in Yancey County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of spirituous liquors in the city of Hickory, Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 1033, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing of deer in Caswell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Johnson of Johnston, H. B. 1034, a bill to be entitled an act to amend Chapter 109 of the Acts of 1903.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Carter, H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Salem.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1036, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 40 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1899, which was an act to amend the act incorporating the town of Graham in Alamance County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 1037, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 718, Public Laws of 1903, being an act to establish a graded school in the town of Columbia.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Grant, H. B. 1038, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of Davie County to sell the present court-house and jail property and to issue bonds for the purposes of building a new court-house and jail and to buy other property.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1045, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Guilford County to place the management and control of all schools which have voted for the same special school tax in one township under one committee.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, H. B. 1046, a bill to be entitled an act to allow J. L. Lance of Transylvania County a fourth-class Confederate pension.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Pugh, H. B. 1047, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Manteo.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 1048, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the catching of oysters in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Oysters and Oyster Interests.

By Mr. Douglass, by request, H. B. 1049, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the town of Windsor, Bertie County, the same opportunity to vote upon the question of prohibition as is granted to other towns.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 371, H. B. 1039, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the manufacture or sale of adulterated, misbranded, poisonous or deleterious foods, drugs, medicines or liquors.

Referred to the Committee on Health.
S. B. 56, H. B. 1040, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3135 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time in which a caveat to a will may be filed.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 539, H. B. 1041, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Citizens Trust and Savings Bank of Asheville, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 674, H. B. 1042, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 81, section 3758, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the intoxication of railroad employees.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 676, H. B. 1043, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school at Vandemere, Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 646, H. B. 1044, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Mitchell County Bank.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 162, H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of prisoners awaiting trial in jail.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 602, H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 585, H. B. 656, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain citizens of Hertford County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Dilling, H. B. 670, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3471 of the Revisal of North Carolina, relative to shipping wild fowls out of the State, is withdrawn from the committee and from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Mangum, H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the sidewalks of the town of Gastonia, is withdrawn from the Calendar and from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Byrd, H. B. 724, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 245, Public Laws of 1903, relative to sawdust in Yancey County, and add Mitchell, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Rodwell, the vote by which H. B. 830, S. B. 705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton, passed its third reading, is reconsidered and the bill is replaced on the Calendar, and Mr. Rodwell offers an amendment to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Parsons, the vote by which H. B. 598, S. B. 682, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina, passed its second and third readings, is reconsidered and the bill is placed on the Calendar for an aye and no vote.
At the expiration of the morning hour the Speaker lays before the House the unfinished business, it being consideration of H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

Mr. Manning moves that further debate on the bill be limited to ten minutes for each speaker.

The motion is lost.

Mr. Dowd offers an amendment to the original bill.

The following gentlemen offer amendments: Messrs. Galloway of Greene, Bickett, Gallert, Rodwell.

The amendments of Messrs. Murphy, Gallert, Galloway of Greene and Rodwell are lost.

Mr. Douglass withdraws his amendment.

Mr. Manning calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

The question recurs upon the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Royster, and upon this he demands the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:


The following gentlemen vote in the negative:


The amendment is adopted.

The question then recurs upon the passage of the amendment offered by Mr. Dowd.

Mr. Manning calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.
Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:


The following gentlemen vote in the negative:


The amendment is lost.

The question recurs upon the amendment of Mr. Harshaw. Upon this he demands the ayes and noes, and the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative: Mr. Pugh.

The following gentlemen vote in the negative:


The amendment offered by Mr. Harshaw is lost.

The question then recurs upon the adoption of the substitute offered by Mr. Turlington. Upon this he calls for the ayes and noes. Call sustained.

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Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:

Messrs. Albright, Bickett, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Burnett, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Gibbs, Gillam, Grant, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Keener, Julian, Morton, Murphy, Park, Parsons, Peeke, Pickett, Pugh, Rector, Rose, Tillett, Turlington, Vestal, White, Wood—41.

The following gentlemen vote in the negative:


The substitute as offered by Mr. Turlington is lost, and the question recurs upon the passage of the bill as amended.

Mr. Manning calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained, and upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:

Before the vote is taken the following gentlemen give notice of their desire to explain their votes: Messrs. Baley, Brewer, Bryant, Carter, Clifford, Douglass, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Grant, Harris, Jones of Pitt, McRae, Mial, Mull, Murphy, Neal, Parsons, Peeke, Pugh, Royster, Sharp, Taylor of Brunswick, Washington.

Mr. Turlington is unanimously excused from voting.


The following gentlemen vote in the negative:

Messrs. Albright, Bickett, Brinson, Candler, Coleman, Davidson of
Iredell, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Ehrlinghaus, Galloway of Transylvania, Grant, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Julian, Morton, Murphy, Neal, Peele, Pickett, Pugh, Taylor of Brunswick, White, Wood—28.

The bill as amended passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. London, H. B. 984, S. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act for the organizing of the county of Lee from the territory of Chatham and Moore Counties, is made a special order for Friday, February 15, at the expiration of the morning hour.

On motion of Mr. Hankins, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 A. M.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY.

House of Representatives,

February 15, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Johnson.

Mr. Midyette, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Mial, Carter, Price of Union, Watts, Peele, Buchan, Grier, Midyette, Neal, McDaniel, Turlington.

On motion of Mr. Julian, the courtesies of the floor are extended to Hon. John S. Henderson, ex-Representative from Rowan County.

The same courtesies are extended to ex-Senator W. G. Means from Cabarrus County.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. McRae, petition from citizens of Robeson County regulating the running of automobiles in the public roads.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:
By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts. 
H. B. 819, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28, Public 
Laws of 1901, relative to the Superior Court of Cherokee County, 
with a favorable report.

H. B. 798, S. B. 618, a bill to be entitled an act to provide addi-
tional terms of court for Beaufort and Washington Counties, with 
an unfavorable report as to the bill, but favorable as to the substi-
tute offered by the Committee.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 
980, S. B. 641, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Pleasant Hill Special Tax School District in the county of Henderson.

H. B. 979, S. B. 639, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a 
graded school in the Fletcher Special Tax School District in Hen-
derson County.

H. B. 982, S. B. 638, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a 
graded school in Rymer Special Tax School District in Henderson County.

H. B. 983, S. B. 637, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Big Willow Special Tax School District in Henderson County.

H. B. 981, S. B. 640, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Crab Creek Special Tax School District in the county of Henderson, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 30, Public 
Laws of 1905, relative to Granite Falls Graded School in Caldwell County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 881, a 
bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Franklinville Graded School, Randolph County.

H. B. 951, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Glenola Rural Graded School, in Randolph County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, H. B. 460, 
a bill to be entitled an act to create a Fish Commission for the State, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Hollowell, for the Committee on Internal Improvements, 
H. B. 915, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of electrical power transmission lines, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hanes, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 641, S. B. 343, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 100, section 4759, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fire insurance policies and losses there-
der, with a favorable report.

H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the people in the matter of insurance, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 638, S. B. 346, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 100, section 4761,
of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fire insurance policies and losses thereunder, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Peele, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 399, S. B. 139, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit misrepresentations by life insurance companies, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 478, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve the people from unreasonable restrictions in fire insurance policies, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 968, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal sections 2012, 2013 and 2014 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to libel and slander, with an unfavorable report, and a minority report attached.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled an act to permit railroad companies to acquire lands for double tracking, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Tillett, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a, chapter 81, of the Revisal, relative to obstructing streams in Watauga County.

H. B. 1062, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Buncombe and Burke Counties.

H. B. 1029, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a chain-gang in the county of Richmond.

H. B. 1005, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of whiskey, brandy, cider and cigarettes within three miles of Boiling Springs High School, Incorporated, and Boiling Springs Baptist Church, Cleveland County.

H. B. 999, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1905, with reference to sawdust in Macon County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 946, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hollowell, for the Committee on Privileges and Elections, H. B. 176, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for and regulate the holding of primary elections in Madison County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 896, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the holding of primary elections in Henderson County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Stevens, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 977, S. B. 660, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 266 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to primary elections in Buncombe County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bickett, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 883, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate insurance companies, H. B. 558, a
bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 54 of the Public Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 438 of the Public Laws of 1903, and to place insurance companies in competition like other citizens of North Carolina, in whatever they offer for sale, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 523, a bill to be entitled an act to require insurance companies to deposit cash or securities with the Insurance Commissioner of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report and a minority report attached.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 934, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit giving liens on crops to be grown upon the land of another, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Stevens, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, substitute for H. B. 606, a bill to be entitled an act to protect purchasers and dealers from short weights, to prevent fraudulent packing and sale of flour, with a favorable report for the substitute offered by the committee.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 768, S. B. 680, an act to amend the charter of the Commercial and Savings Bank of Lexington, North Carolina.

H. B. 727, S. B. 703, an act to incorporate the town of Ronda, Wilkes County.

H. B. 696, S. B. 715, an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Yancey County.

H. B. 295, S. B. 685, an act to change and amend the charter of the Carolina Savings and Trust Company.


H. B. 617, S. B. 706, an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy a tax to pay the floating indebtedness of said city.

H. B. 432, S. B. 688, an act to establish the office of Treasurer of Elkin Township in Surry County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1050, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Evergreen in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1051, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 472 of the Public Laws of 1899.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1052, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroads to erect and maintain union depots in towns of 2,000 inhabitants.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Bowman, H. B. 1053, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to prohibit sawdust from being thrown into streams of Mitchell County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1054, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain the public roads in Mitchell County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1055, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Trustees of Belhaven Graded School District to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a graded school building at Belhaven, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 1056, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Pender County to make an appropriation out of the county school fund to aid the Pender County Woman's Association for the Betterment of Public School Houses.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hanes, H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365 of the Public Laws of 1901.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Kennedy, by request, H. B. 1058, a bill to be entitled an act to put Sampson County under the State anti-jug law, and to prevent the soliciting of orders for whiskey to be shipped into the county of Sampson.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Bryant, H. B. 1059, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Wilkes County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1060, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State Board of Health to provide for the preventive treatment of hydrophobia.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

H. B. 1061, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of game in Guilford County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1062, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Thomasville to issue bonds for public improvements.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 1063, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5226 of the Revisal, so as to give justices of the peace juris-
diction of the misdemeanor of failing to list property and polls for taxation.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Griffin, H. B. 1064, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Castalia Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Bruton, H. B. 1065, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter. 81, section 33S29, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to throwing sawdust into streams.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 1066, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and regulate the times for holding the Superior Courts of Lenoir County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 1067, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for holding courts in Ashe County, amending section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 1068, a bill to be entitled an act to add the name of William H. Witherspoon of Ashe County to the present pension roll of said county.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

H. B. 1069, a bill to be entitled an act to elect and appoint additional justices of the peace in Ashe County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 1070, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Ambrose Clarke, late Sheriff of Ashe County, to collect back taxes.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1071, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 348 of the Public Laws of 1899, relating to a toll gate on the Mulberry Gap road.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1072, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize P. G. McNeill, late Sheriff of Ashe County, and T. K. Miller and others, his bondsmen, to collect back taxes.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1073, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and to fix certain fees and expenses to be incurred in the administration of the law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 1074, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Rockingham County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 1075, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brookford in Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Brewer, H. B. 1076, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lingfield in Craven County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, H. B. 1077, a bill to be entitled an act to require express companies to pay claims for loss or damage to property.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1078, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unlawful to keep liquor for sale in Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

H. B. 1079, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Harrison Cook and F. A. Cook, ex-Confederate soldiers of Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Whitley, H. B. 1080, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Joseph T. Waldo a justice of the peace and to allow him to practice law.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1081, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 690, Public Laws of 1901, relative to pulp mills in Haywood County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 1082, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to issue bonds in the sum of $300,000 to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county, ratified on the 31st day of January, 1907.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1083, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of the County Commissioners of Durham County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1084, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Durham County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1085, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to designate and purchase a new site for a court-house and to purchase additional lands for the county home and workhouse.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1086, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the American-Japanese Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Bolton, H. B. 1087, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate funds to pay the railroad fare of ex-Confederate veterans attending the Confederate Reunion at Richmond, Va., June 1 to 3, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 1088, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3777 and 3778 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to damage
to roads by hauling logs, lumber, timber and other heavy substances over the public roads.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 1089, a bill to be entitled an act to supply certain lost records of Onslow County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 1090, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1131 of Revisal of 1905, relating to mortgages by corporations.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Eddins, H. B. 1091, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 65, Public Laws of 1905, relative to sheriffs and tax collectors.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1092, a bill to be entitled an act changing the line between Wolfpit and Marks Creek Townships of Richmond County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 358, H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Zebulon.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 568, H. B. 596, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Sampson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Owen, the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 710, H. B. 695, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1. chapter 244, Public Laws of 1905, to allow the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 265, H. B. 1091, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unlawful cutting of timber and prevent the damages which may happen by firing woods.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 355, H. B. 1092, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2916 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 153, H. B. 1093, a bill to be entitled an act to construe certain penal statutes and to declare where the burden of proof is under said statutes.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 141, H. B. 1094, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the carrying of concealed weapons in Mitchell and Cherokee Counties. 
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 661, H. B. 1095, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of the Town of Tarboro to issue bonds to improve the streets after first submitting the question of bond issue to the people.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 696, H. B. 1096, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Wayne County.
Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 699, H. B. 1097, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a road commission and to improve the public roads of Wake County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 692, H. B. 1098, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stokesdale, in the county of Guilford,
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House II. B. 984, S. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the organizing of the county of Lee from the territory of Chatham and Moore Counties.

The minority report as offered is read, being signed by Messrs. Winborne, McNeill, Owen, Bruton, Boyd, Washington, Albright and Lockhart.

Mr. Koonee sends forward an amendment, changing the name of the proposed county from Lee to McIver.

Mr. Bryant sends forward an amendment changing the name from Lee to Ransom.

Mr. McRae sends forward an amendment changing the name from Lee to Chatmore.

Mr. Hanes offers an amendment.

Mr. Wells offers an amendment.

Mr. Laughinghouse offers an amendment.

Mr. Harshaw offers an amendment.

Mr. London calls the previous question.
Call sustained.

The amendments of the following gentlemen are lost:
Messrs. Koonce, Bryant, Rose and Watts.

The amendment of Mr. Laughinghouse is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Harshaw is withdrawn.

Upon a call of the roll the bill fails to pass its second reading.

Immediately before the call of the roll the bill the following gentlemen give notice of a desire to explain their votes:
Messrs. Bickett, Bolton, Harris, Hanes, Kounge, McNeill, Mangum, Manning, Peele, Preston and Clifford.

The following pairs are announced:
Mr. Byrd, no, with Mr. Simpson, aye.
Mr. Blount, aye, with Mr. Jacobson, no.
Mr. Galloway of Greene, aye, with Mr. Johnson of Johnston, no.
Mr. Neal, aye, with Mr. Julian, no.
Mr. Pritchard, aye, with Mr. Watts, no.
Mr. Stickley, aye, with Mr. Midyette, no.

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:

The bill having failed to pass its second reading, Mr. London moves to reconsider the vote by which the bill failed to pass its second reading, and moves to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

The motion is carried.

On motion of Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 63, Public Laws of 1905, and to amend the charter of the town of Scotland Neck, is made a special order for next Tuesday, February 19th, at the expiration of the morning hour.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, as amended by Mr. Doughton, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.

Evening Session.

Pursuant to recess, the House meets at 8 o'clock and considers the Calendar bills.

Leave of absence is granted to Messrs. Lockhart; Preston and Bolton.

Mr. Morton introduces H. B. 1101, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory of the legalized primary law of New Hanover County.
Placed upon the Calendar, and, upon motion of Mr. Morton, is placed upon its immediate passage.

Passed its second and third readings and ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 184, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 300 of the Public Laws of 1901 and chapter 164 of the Public Laws of 1905, together with all amendments to said chapter 300, relating to the drainage of certain creeks in Henderson County.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 749, Public Laws of 1903, relative to shooting wild fowl in Currituck County.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revisal of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound.

Passed second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 603, a bill to be entitled an act to create a free school district in McDowell County.

As amended, passed its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 605, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to chapter 448, Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 131, Public Laws of 1895, in relation to railroad subscriptions by certain townships of Stokes County.

The amendment of the committee is adopted and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 667, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of regular jurors in Haywood County.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 676, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Hendersonville.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 679, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate primary and other elections in Mitchell County.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 737, S. B. 196, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 2777 of the Revisal, relating to fees of sheriffs of Dare County.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 866, S. B. 366, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Bank of Rocky Mount.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 695, S. B. 710, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 244, Public Laws of 1905, to allow the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 707, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. J. Davis, ex-chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County.

The amendment of the committee is adopted and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 708, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Henderson County to place the money received from the sale of certain real estate in the general county fund.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 712, S. B. 197, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72, section 2882, of the Revisal, for the relief of the Sheriff of Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 620, a bill to be entitled an act relative to establishing a dispensary in the town of Bethel, Pitt County.

Mr. Julian moves to defer further action on this bill until some future time.

The motion carries, and further consideration is postponed indefinitely.

H. B. 629, S. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent live stock from running at large in Grassy Creek Township, in Mitchell County, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 662, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the working of the public roads of the First Judicial District by convict force.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 685, S. B. 251, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1951 of the Revisal of 1905, changing the manner of selecting jurors in Johnston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 686, S. B. 257, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1958 of the Revisal of 1905, changing the manner of selecting jurors in Johnston County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 689, S. B. 381, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Mount Airy Township, in Surry County, to pay off and fund its bonded indebtedness.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 697, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 115, section 5, Private Laws of 1899, that whenever any town alderman elected in any ward moves from said ward it shall be the duty of the aldermen to declare his office vacant and proceed to elect some one from said ward.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 699, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 115, section 5, Private Laws of 1899, that whenever any town alderman elected in any ward moves from said said shall be the duty of the aldermen to declare his office vacant and proceed to elect some one from said ward.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 702, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the police jurisdiction of the city of High Point.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 752, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Laws of 1901, and 1905, relative to the East Bend Graded School District, in Yadkin County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 888, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the town of Laurinburg to fund its outstanding indebtedness, contracted for necessaries, and to authorize the levy and collection of taxes to meet the same.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 747, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1890, relating to the road law of Warren County,

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 894, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Gastonia to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 for street improvements, graded schools, water-works, sewerage, electric lights and payment of floating debt,

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Liverman, London, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Parker, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector,
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 808, S. B. 473, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and amend the charter of New London.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 855, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stout, in Union County, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 746, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of Warren County, Nut Bush Township.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Boyd, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 830, S. B. 705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1018, S. B. 647, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Crouse, Lincoln County, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1013, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Swain County to provide and maintain a home for the aged and infirm of said county.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1009, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Camden County, to levy a special tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 835, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Roxboro, N. C., to vote on bonds for graded school building and other improvements.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Murphy, Parker, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Simpson, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Wells, White, Wood, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1022, S. B. 635, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Jacksonville to issue bonds for the purpose of protecting the town against fire.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1020, S. B. 634, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Goldston, in Chatham County, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled an act to create a Highway Commission in Vance County and to prescribe its duties.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, David-

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1036, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 40 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1899, which was an act to amend an act incorporating the town of Graham, in Alamance County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 925, S. B. 622, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Troy Township, Montgomery County, to create a special road commission for said township and to work the same by taxation.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnston of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Liverman, London, McNell, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Parker, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Pritch-
ard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Simpson, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Tillet, Vann, Vestal, Wells, White, Wood, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 946, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 951, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Glenola Rural Graded School, in Randolph County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 979, S. B. 639, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Fletcher Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

As amended passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Ire-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 980, S. B. 641, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Pleasant Hill Special Tax School District, in the county of Henderson.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1023, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Rowan County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the water-works system of the town of Waynesville, and to authorize the issuance of bonds therefor.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 985, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 129, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the charter of the town of Williamson.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 981, S. B. 640, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Crab Creek Special Tax School District, in the county of Henderson.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee,
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act for the improving and macadamizing the public roads in the different townships in Cherokee County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 770, S. B. 544, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county of Pitt to issue bonds to build iron bridges and to levy a special tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1043, S. B. 676, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school at Vandemere, Pamlico County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 944, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of Transylvania County to levy a special tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 938, a bill to be entitled an act to issue bonds to build good roads in Williamson Township, in Martin County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gordon, Griffin, Gillam, Grant, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Koonce, Liver-
man, London, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Parker, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Simpson, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Wells, White, Wood, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 917, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Ashe County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 967, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds.

The committee amendment is adopted.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 800, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Waco, in Cleveland County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, David-
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 876, S. B. 462, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 880, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Cameron, Moore County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 881, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Franklinville Graded School, Randolph County.

As amended passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 863, S. B. 550, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Elizabeth City.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 847, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Elkin and Alleghany Railroad Company and for other purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

don, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Parker, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Simpson, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Wells, White, Wood, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S53, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Currituck County to levy a special tax to repair the county jail.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S62, S. B. 547, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads in the county of Yadkin.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Windsor Graded School District, in Bertie County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Burnett, Cand-
Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 598, S. B. 682, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 642, S. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to revise, consolidate and amend the road law of Lenoir County, for the better maintenance and more permanent construction of the public roads of said county.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 655, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Harrellsville, in Hertford County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 693, S. B. 467, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 77, Private Laws of 1883, allowing the Board of Commissioners of the town of Mt. Pleasant to levy certain special taxes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 725, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for the working of the public highways of McDowell County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Liverman, Lon-
don, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Parker, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Simpson, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Wells, White, Wood, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 788, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for rebuilding, improving and repairing the home for the aged and infirm in said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 794, S. B. 470, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Ore Hill, in Chatham County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 797, S. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act creating a school district in Jackson and Ferrell's Townships, Nash County, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

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Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 790, S. B. 469, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for electric lights.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 801, S. B. 495, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Enfield.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 729, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Ramseur Graded School District.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 803, S. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Kingsdale, in the county of Robeson and State of North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 805, S. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the present charter of Boone, N. C., and to recharter the town.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Liverman, Lon-
don, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Manning, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Parker, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Simpson, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance. Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Wells, White, Wood, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 804. S. B. 459, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of East Lumberton, in the county of Robeson, State of North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 829, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cumberland and Harnett Counties to construct a steel or iron bridge and to levy a tax for the same.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 780. S. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Bur-

Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

THIRTY-THIRD DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

February 16, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Bryant, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. John, until Wednesday; Albright, indefinitely; Jones of Johnston, until Monday; Winborne, Mangum and White, indefinitely.

On motion of Mr. Brinson, H. B. 1043, S. B. 676, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Vandemere, Pamlico County, is withdrawn from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Education.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Hooker, a petition from citizens of Beaufort County asking the appointment of C. R. Flowers a justice of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Murphy, petition to the General Assembly of North Carolina of 1907 from certain citizens of Salisbury.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. S37, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Smithfield, N. C., with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. S14, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage the breeding of improved live-stock in North Carolina and to amend sections 2024 and 2025 of the Revisal of 1905, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 756, a bill to be entitled an act to provide additional revenue and enhance the value of State, county and municipal bonds, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Parker, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1070, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Ambrose Clark, late Sheriff of Ashe County, to collect back taxes.

H. B. 1072, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize P. G. McNeill, late Sheriff of Ashe County, and F. K. Miller and others of his bondsmen to collect back taxes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1038, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Davie County to sell the present courthouse and jail property and to issue bonds for the purpose of building a new courthouse and jail and to buy other property, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the hours of labor in factories and to prevent child labor at night.

H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the hours of labor in cotton mills, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Manufacturing and Labor, H. B. 993, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate and restrict child labor in manufacturing establishments and to regulate the hours of labor, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Baley, for the Committee on Military Affairs, H. B. 960, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2751 of the Revisal of 1905, regulating the Paymaster-General's salary, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1097, S. B. 600, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a Road Commission and to improve the public roads of Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bruton, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. S27, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the pub-
lic roads of Cedar Grove Township, Orange County, and to levy a special tax for said purpose, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Parsons, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1065, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 81, section 3282, of the Revival of 1905, relative to throwing sawdust into streams, with a favorable report.

H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the throwing of acids and other deleterious substances in water-courses in North Carolina, destroying trees and other vegetation, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1054, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain the public roads in Mitchell County, with a favorable report.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Candler, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 744, S. B. 719, an act to authorize the public school of Bear-grass Township, in Martin County, to issue bonds to build a public school house.

H. B. 538, S. B. 707, an act to allow the citizens of Lenoir, Caldwell County, to vote on a bond issue.

H. B. 196, S. B. 686, an act to authorize the Board of Education of Dare County to pay certain money to the Treasurer of said county and to correct errors in settlement.

H. B. 624, S. B. 732, an act to enlarge School District No. 1, Davidson Township, Iredell County.

H. B. 308, S. B. 358, an act to incorporate the town of Zebulon.

H. B. 473, S. B. 709, an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Murfreesboro, North Carolina.

H. B. 661, S. B. 714, an act for the relief of the road funds for Stanly County.

H. B. 649, S. B. 713, an act to levy a special tax to pay the public road indebtedness of Macon County.

H. B. 878, S. B. 737, an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick County to subscribe to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Railroad Company, ratified February 2, 1907, it being H. B. 580, S. B. 368.

H. B. 592, S. B. 735, an act to amend chapter 77 of the Private Laws of 1905.

H. B. 682, S. B. 711, an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Rockingham, Richmond County, North Carolina, to issue bonds to construct water-works and a sewerage system.

H. B. 754, S. B. 712, an act to establish the Wadesboro Graded School District.
H. B. 506, S. B. 568, an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Sampson County.
H. B. 794, S. B. 724, an act to revise the road law of Cabarrus County and provide for the levying of a special tax for road purposes.
H. B. 668, S. B. 718, an act to amend the charter of the town of Canton, Haywood County.
H. R. 615, S. R. 717, a joint resolution concerning the Jamestown Exposition.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:
By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide fire escapes and protect human life.
Referred to the Committee on Insurance.
By Mr. Avery, H. R. 1103, resolution as to work of night sessions.
Referred to the Committee on Rules.
By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 1104, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, relating to throwing sawdust in the streams of Cherokee County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Mr. Simpson, H. B. 1105, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within four miles of Kee's Fork Public School House, in Gates County.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Whitley, H. B. 1106, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Martin County to elect two additional county commissioners at the next regular election.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Hooker, H. B. 1107, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 283 of the Public Laws of 1905 in regard to fishing in South Creek, in Beaufort County.
Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
H. B. 1108, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the catching of fish in Durham Creek, Bonds Creek and their tributaries, in Beaufort County.
Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1109, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the standard keeper and public weighers for Beaufort County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
H. B. 1110, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of deer and summer duck in Beaufort County.
Referred to the Committee on Game.
H. B. 1111, a bill to be entitled an act to re-charter the town of Belhaven, Beaufort County, and to repeal former charter.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 1112, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the cultivation of the oyster and clam in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Oyster Interests.

H. B. 1113, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 506 of the Public Laws of 1905, same being an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Pasquotank County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Sharp, H. B. 1114, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Madison District, Rockingham County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Harshaw, by request, H. B. 1115, a bill to be entitled an act relative to bankrupts.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1116, a bill to be entitled an act for judgment final with verified complaint and no answer.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1117, a bill to be entitled an act relative to marking boundaries of lands.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1118, a bill to be entitled an act to require register of deeds to keep records of sales of real estate.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1119, a bill to be entitled an act relative to indexing acts of the Legislature.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1120, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pensions of Confederate soldiers and widows of such in Cumberland County and to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to levy a special tax therefor.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Owen, H. B. 1121, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the throwing of sawdust in South River, in Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1122, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in the waters of Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Mial, H. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County and to increase the road fund.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Gillam, H. B. 1124, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Bertie County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Whitley, by request, H. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled an
act to regulate fishing for shad, herring and other fish and to amend section 2440 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Brinson, H. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent tenants from leaving landlords before paying debts in Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, H. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of public roads in Transylvania County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1128, a bill to be entitled an act incorporating the Piedmont and Atlantic Railway Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1129, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of New Hanover County to pay fees to justices of the peace where the prisoner is sent to the county roads to work out the costs.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Avery, H. B. 1130, a bill to be entitled an act to establish an institute to provide Christian education and manual training for boys and girls, and to do other institutional work in the mountains of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 1131, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080, chapter 49 of the Revisal of 1905, putting the town of Mount Olive, N. C., under the provisions of the Anti-jug Law.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Vestal, H. B. 1132, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Rocky Mount Graded School District to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Weaver, by request, H. B. 1133, a bill to be entitled an act relating to cruelty to animals.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bruton, H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Mt. Gilead Township, Montgomery County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 1135, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in certain territory in Randolph County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

H. B. 1136, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness incurred in erecting a new court house.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unlawful cutting of timber.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 1138, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the killing of deer in Tyrrell County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 1139, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 147, Private Laws of 1899, relating to the charter of the town of Columbia.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1140, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Alleghany County to supplement the educational fund.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 1141, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of court stenographers for the county of Cabarrus.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 1142, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a term of court for the trial of civil cases exclusively in Brunswick County.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 1143, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to levy a special tax for the support of the Carnegie Library.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. London, H. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled an act to make husband and wife tenants in common.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1145, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Chatham County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Vann, by request, H. B. 1159, a bill to be entitled an act relative to hunting wild fowl in Currituck County.

On motion of Mr. Vann, the rules are suspended and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1160, a bill to be entitled an act making sections 3367 and 3374 apply to Richmond County.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

By Mr. Vann, H. B. 1161, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 1163, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Pasquotank County.

Placed on the Calendar.
The rules are suspended and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1164, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the obstruction of drains across the public roads of Pasquotank County.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1165, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the obstruction of the public roads in Pasquotank County.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Gordon, H. R. 1166, a concurrent resolution relating to an amendment to the United States Constitution to provide for the election of United States Senators.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 666, H. B. 1146, a bill to be entitled an act to limit admission of white deaf children to residents of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb.

S. B. 746, H. B. 1147, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Nazareth Orphan's Home, in the county of Rowan.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 764, H. B. 1148, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors or wine and cider within two miles of Friendship Church, Faison Township, Duplin County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 759, H. B. 1149, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend chapter 1882 of the Revival of North Carolina, relating to hunting, killing, etc., of squirrels in Lenoir County, which was ratified on the 4th day of February, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. R. 767, H. R. 1150, resolution of the General Assembly of North Carolina requesting the Senators and Representatives in Congress from North Carolina to use their influence to secure proper appropriations for carrying out the scheme to improve the Cape Fear River as recommended by General McKenzie, chief engineer of the army.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

S. B. 741, H. B. 1151, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize street and interurban railway companies to build and maintain water power plants.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 726, H. B. 1152, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1747 of the Revisal of North Carolina, so as to extend the time for registering grants.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 477, H. B. 1153, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3147 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the statute of limitation in criminal actions.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. R. 760, H. R. 1154, joint resolution to pay expenses of Senate Committee on Insane Asylums which visited the State Hospital at Morganton, N. C.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 672, H. B. 1155, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 89 of the Private Laws of 1905, the same being an act to incorporate the Tuckaseigee Railway Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 749, H. B. 1156, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Zimri Kistler a justice of the peace for Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 491, H. B. 1157, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and reenact chapter 109 of the Public Laws of 1905, and to establish Pinnacle Graded School District, in Stokes County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 730, H. B. 1158, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3538 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the seizure of illicit distilleries.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 625, H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors in Madison County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 569, H. B. 511, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Dunn, in Harnett County, upon a majority vote of its citizens, to establish a dispensary.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 290, H. B. 520, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 773, Public Laws of 1905, in reference to trials in real actions in Hertford County where the records have been destroyed.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 521, H. B. 496, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1891 of the Revisal of 1905, and section 4609 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to appointment of guardian on certificate from hospitals for the insane.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. R. 782, H. R. 1162, a joint resolution to pay expenses of joint subcommittee of Senate and House Committees on Education which visited the State Normal College at Greensboro, N. C.

Placed on the Calendar.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. R. 987, resolution for information from Corporation Commission.

Resolution is adopted.

H. R. 1024, joint resolution to pay the expenses of the members of the House Committee visiting the State Hospitals at Morganton and Goldsboro.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to exclude minors from barrooms, pool rooms and other public places.

The amendments are adopted, and as amended, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 339, S. B. 139, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit misrepresentations by life insurance companies.

The bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 115, S. B. 205, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of fees of State witnesses in the Superior Court of Wake County.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 229, S. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of prisoners awaiting trial in jail.

House concurs in Senate amendment, and the bill as amended is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 316, S. B. 608, a bill to be entitled an act for working the public roads in Macon County.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 622, S. B. 520, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2707 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the regulation of the tolls of ferries.

House concurs in Senate amendment and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 673, S. B. 623, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Newton, Catawba County.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 410, S. B. 400, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the use of drag or haul nets in the waters of Goose Creek and its tributaries.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled an act to separate the races in jails, convict camps, and other places of imprisonment.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 553, S. B. 578, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.
House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 790, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

On motion of Mr. Dowd, is made a special order for next Tuesday night, February 19th.

The following gentlemen send forward their amendments upon the third reading: Messrs. Morton and Clifford.

The amendments are placed with the bill for future consideration at the time named.

H. B. 353, S. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1409 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the election of justices of the peace.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 1154, S. R. 760, a joint resolution to pay the expenses of the Senate Committee on Insane Asylums which visited the State Hospital at Morganton, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to codify the law in regard to the negligence of telegraph companies in mental anguish cases.

Is made a special order for next Wednesday at the expiration of the morning hour.

H. B. 356, S. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of jurors allotting dowers or widows' year's allowance.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act in reference to public printing.

On motion of Mr. Harris, is made a special order for next Monday at the expiration of the morning hour.

Substitute for H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing with pound nets in the waters of Neuse, Pamlico, Tar and Roanoke Rivers.

The following gentlemen send amendments: Messrs. Morton, McNeill.

The substitute is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Morton is adopted.

The vote by which the amendment of Mr. Morton is adopted is reconsidered.

Upon this reconsideration the amendment of Mr. Morton is lost.

The question now recurs upon the adoption of the amendment of Mr. McNeill and the amendment is adopted.

The question now recurs upon the passage of the bill as amended by the substitute upon its third reading.

Upon the question Mr. Morton demands the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.
Upon the call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:


Those voting in the negative are:


Mr. Morton lodges a motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed.

Mr. Whitley moves to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion prevails and the motion to reconsider is laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the House adjourns to meet Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

February 18, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Massee of Raleigh.

Mr. Bryant, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined and found correct and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Royster, Washington, Burnett and Brewer.

Mr. Yount is added to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

The Speaker appoints as the Journal Committee for the present week Messrs. Jacobson, Wells and Cowles.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Lockhart, petition from certain citizens of Lilesville Township asking for re-establishment of the Fall Branch School District. Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. London, by request, petition from certain colored citizens of Chatham County asking for a compulsory school law.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Gaston, petition in favor of repeal of homestead law from citizens of Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 949, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Carolina Methodist College.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 947, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts of Bladen County, with a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1052, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroads to erect and maintain union depots in towns of two thousand inhabitants is withdrawn from the Committee on Public Service Corporations, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Cox, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 662, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the working of the public roads of the First Judicial District by convict force.

H. B. 707, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. J. Davis, ex-Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County.

H. B. 746, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relating to the road law of the township of Nutbush, Warren County.

H. B. 747, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relating to road laws of Warren County.

H. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 749, Public Laws of 1903, relative to shooting wild fowl in Currituck County.

H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revival of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound.

H. B. 603, a bill to be entitled an act to create a free school district in McDowell County.

H. B. 605, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to chapter 448, Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 131, Public Laws of 1895, in relation to railroad subscription by certain townships in Stokes County.

H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to exclude minors from bedrooms, pool rooms and certain other places.

H. B. 1159, a bill to be entitled an act relative to hunting wild fowl in Currituck County.

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H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in the waters of Pamlico, Tar, Neuse and Cape Fear Rivers, and Pamlico Sound, in the waters of Carteret County.

H. B. 1160, a bill to be entitled an act making sections 3367 and 3374 of the Revisal, apply to Richmond County.

H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled an act to separate the races in convict camps.

Mr. Byrd, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 808, S. B. 473, an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of New London.

H. B. 404, S. B. 192, an act to reduce the fees and emoluments of county officials of Johnston County.

H. B. 732, S. B. 422, an act to extend and enlarge the criminal jurisdiction of the mayor of the town of Tarboro.

H. B. 689, S. B. 381, an act to authorize Mount Airy Township, in Surry County, to pay off and retire its bonded indebtedness.

H. B. 115, S. B. 205, an act to provide for the payment of fees of State witnesses in the Superior Court of Wake County.

H. B. 737, S. B. 196, an act to amend section 2777 of the Revisal, relating to fees of Sheriff of Dare County.

H. B. 665, S. B. 736, an act to establish Glen Alpine Graded School District in the county of Burke.

H. B. 386, S. B. 257, an act amending section 1958 of the Revisal of 1905, changing manner of selecting jurors in Johnston County.

H. B. 695, S. B. 710, an act to amend chapter 214, section 1, Public Laws of 1905, to allow the County Commissioners of Tyrrell County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 227, S. B. 443, an act to amend section 1283, chapter 22, Revisal of 1905, providing one-half fees to witnesses and officers in Watauga, Caldwell and Yancey Counties where "not a true bill" is found.

H. B. 685, S. B. 251, an act to amend section 1957 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 657, S. B. 586, an act to locate and settle the boundary line between Hertford and Bertie Counties.

H. B. 629, S. B. 378, an act to prevent live stock from running at large in Grassy Creek Township, in Mitchell County.

H. B. 712, S. B. 197, an act to amend chapter 72, section 2882 of the Revisal, for the relief of the Sheriff of Dare County.

H. B. 866, S. B. 366, an act to amend the charter of the Bank of Rocky Mount.

H. B. 553, S. B. 578, an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 316, S. B. 608, an act for working the public roads in Macon County.
H. B. 350, S. B. 607, an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Creedmoor.

H. B. 622, S. B. 520, an act to amend section 2707 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the regulation of toolls of ferries.

H. B. 410, S. B. 400, an act to prevent the use of drag or haul nets in the waters of Goose Creek and its tributaries.

H. B. 356, S. B. 317, an act to provide for the payment of jurors allotting dowers or widows' year's allowance.

H. B. 355, S. B. 398, an act to amend section 1400 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the election of justices of the peace.

H. B. 229, S. B. 162, an act for the relief of prisoners in jail awaiting trial.

H. B. 366, S. B. 626, an act to regulate the pay of county officers in Cherokee County, North Carolina.

H. B. 673, S. B. 623, an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of Newton.

H. R. 1162, S. R. 782, a joint resolution to pay expenses of joint sub-committee of Senate and House Committees on Education which visited the State Normal College, Greensboro, N. C.

H. R. 1154, S. R. 760, joint resolution to pay expenses of the Senate Committee on Insane Asylums which visited the State Hospital at Morganton.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Whitley, H. R. 1167, resolution to amend the rules of the House.

Referred to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 1108, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Murphy, in Cherokee County, to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1109, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 1170, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Columbia, Private Laws of 1899, chapter 147, section 2.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of Raleigh, in the county of Wake and State of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Harris, 300 copies are ordered printed, and the bill is referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Jacobson, by request, H. B. 1172, a bill to be entitled an act
to prohibit the sale of liquor within one mile of a certain church in the county of Carteret.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, H. B. 1173, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2776 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fees for registering short form mortgages.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1174, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Wilmington so as to provide for the maintenance of a free library.

H. B. 1175, a bill to be entitled an act to require fish in packages to have the weight branded on the package.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 1176, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, relative to homestead and exemptions.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1177, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County and to prevent the transportation or delivery of intoxicating liquors into said county.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, H. B. 1178, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads in Selma Township, in Johnston County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 1179, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Insurance Commissioner by the people.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 1180, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Burnesville, in Yancey County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 1181, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. T. Bryant and Miss Olie Anderson, public school teachers of Caswell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 1182, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Hickory to issue bonds to pay off a debt contracted for sewerage extension.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Keener, H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 1184, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the duties of the Superintendent of Schools or of Education for Ashe County.

Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 1185, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Bryon Sturgill, late Sheriff of Ashe County, to collect back taxes.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1186, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Thomas K. Miller, late Sheriff of Ashe County, to collect back taxes.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1187, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Wilkesboro and Jefferson Turnpike to be amended and converted into a steam or electric railroad.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Blanchard, H. B. 1188, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 653, Public Laws of 1905, relating to the working of the public roads of Perquimans County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. London, H. B. 1189, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Bonsal.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Baley, H. B. 1190, a bill to be entitled an act to establish, construct and maintain a system of public roads in Madison County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 1191, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4795, chapter 100, Insurance Laws of North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1192, a bill to be entitled an act to secure for the people of North Carolina a square deal in the matter of insurance.
Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Bryant, H. B. 1193, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the holding of the Superior Courts of Wilkes County.
Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Bruton, H. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing the Commissioners of Montgomery County to build a bridge across Little River at Forney’s Ford.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1195, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bowman, H. B. 1196, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dr. Finley Greene to practice medicine.
Referred to the Committee on Health.

H. B. 1197, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 754, Public Laws of 1905, relative to dangerous dogs.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Morgan, H. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Cooper’s Gap Township, Polk County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1199, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 348, Public Laws of 1901, relating to stock-law in certain portions of Pitt County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Doughton, H. R. 1200, resolution in reference to Corporation Commission.
Placed on the Calendar.
Upon motion of Mr. Harris, the rules are suspended and the resolution is adopted.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the provisions of chapter 379 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to a special tax in Rowan County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1959 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to drawing jurors in Rowan County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1203, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Richmond County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Mebane.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Gillam, H. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2234 of the Revisal, relating to days of grace, etc.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and regulate the time for holding the Superior Courts of Lenoir County.
Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 191, H. B. 1205, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drinking in passenger coaches.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 543, H. B. 1206, a bill to be entitled an act to restore the profession and practice of dentistry to its former position as a branch of medicine and surgery.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 727, H. B. 1207, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1512 of the Revisal of 1905, with reference to special terms of Superior Court.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 781, H. B. 1208, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer, pheasant and grouse in certain counties in North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 750, H. B. 1209, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of commissioners for the county of Sampson and to appoint the same.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 785, H. B. 1210, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Meroney Church, in Chatham County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 260, H. B. 1211, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2335, Revisal of 1905, relating to days of grace and when allowed.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 654, H. B. 1212, a bill to be entitled an act to change the rule of evidence in certain cases.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 382, H. B. 1213, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1183 of the Revisal of 1905, to enlarge the power of minority stockholders in the election of the board of directors of corporations.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 755, H. B. 1214, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Garner.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 611, H. B. 1215, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3847 and 3849, Revisal of 1905, making injury to transmission lines punishable as in cases of injury to telephone and telegraph lines.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 748, H. B. 1216, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50, Public Laws of 1901, relating to road law of Polk County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 645, H. B. 1217, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. S. Rhodes, Treasurer of Henderson County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 298, H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent delay in settling statement of cases on appeal from Superior to Supreme Court.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 735, H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special tax school district in Caswell County to be known as School District Number Seven.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 392, H. B. 37, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Roxboro Real Estate and Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House, H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act in reference to public printing.

On motion of Mr. Harris, consideration of the bill is deferred.
On motion of Mr. Koonce, H. R. 871, S. R. 649, resolution to pay expenses of the Joint Subcommittee on Deaf and Dumb which visited the institution at Morganton, is taken from the Committee on Claims and is placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 1066, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and regulate the times for holding the Superior Courts of Lenoir County is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Pritchard, the courtesies of the floor are extended ex-Senator Cheek of Orange.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 792, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the hours of service of employees of railroad companies engaged in the operation of trains.

Mr. Douglass moves to defer action and have the bill printed. Motion lost.

Mr. Taylor of Brunswick sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Price of Rockingham offers an amendment.

Mr. Morton offers an amendment.

Mr. Julian offers an amendment.

Mr. Manning calls the previous question. Call sustained.

The amendment of Mr. Julian is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Morton is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Price of Rockingham is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Taylor of Brunswick is lost.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading.

The bill passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

Pending consideration of the Calendar, Mr. Speaker Justice, having temporarily absented himself from the Chair, and Mr. Mangum of Gaston occupying the Speaker's desk, Mr. Speaker Justice makes announcement that Miss Mary Lee, daughter of the distinguished statesman, civilian and head of the Confederate forces in the late Civil War, to-wit, the immortal Robert E. Lee, is in the Capitol, moves a recess of ten minutes for an informal reception to Miss Lee, and Mr. Speaker pro tem Mangum appoints as an escort to Miss Lee, Messrs. Galloway of Greene, Justice and Harshaw.

Miss Lee comes into the hall of the House of Representatives, accompanied by her escort, and the members receive her rising and standing until she is introduced by Hon. Swift Galloway of Greene, at which time an informal reception is held, many Senators taking part therein.
Immediately after the reception Miss Lee leaves the hall of the House with her escort, and the House resumes its business.

Mr. Doughton obtains permission to present the following:

Mr. Speaker: I am requested and commissioned by Miss Lee to express her grateful thanks for the very cordial and kindly reception rendered her by the members of the House of Representatives and the Senate of North Carolina, and to say that these Tar Heels are great people, for whose soldiers and civilians she entertains, like her father did, the profoundest admiration.

On motion of Mr. Morton, the communication of thanks from Miss Lee, as announced by Mr. Doughton, is authorized to be placed in the Journal.

The House resumes consideration of the Calendar, and Mr. Galloway of Greene introduces the following resolution:

H. R. 1220, joint resolution relative to the visit of Miss Mary Lee.

Placed on the Calendar, and upon motion passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act in reference to public printing.

On motion of Mr. Keener, the bill is laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Koonce, the following bill is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and placed on the Calendar, and by consent is considered.

H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled an act to promote safety of travel on railroads and to prohibit moving of ordinary freight trains on Sunday.

Passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 336, S. B. 650, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale and manufacture of spirituous liquors in Madison County.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 374, S. B. 602, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons.

Mr. Murphy moves that the House do not concur in the Senate amendment.

The motion is carried and a message is sent to the Senate to that effect, and appoints as a Committee of Conference on the part of the House to act with a similar committee on part of the Senate, Messrs. Mangum, Douglass and Murphy.

H. B. 525, a bill to be entitled an act to confer power on Deputy Clerks of Superior Courts to take proofs of wills and grant letters testamentary and of administration, with a minority report.

Fails to pass its second reading.

H. B. 496, S. B. 521, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1891 and section 4609 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to appointment of guardian on certificate from hospitals for the insane.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 650, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in North Carolina, is on motion of Mr. Gordon, referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, the House takes a recess until tonight at 8 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

The House meets pursuant to recess, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and resumes consideration of the Calendar.

Mr. Morton rises to a question of personal privilege in regard to an article published in the Wilmington Evening Dispatch.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 1221, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2784 of the Revisal of 1905, by increasing the pay of judges and registrars of elections the sum of $2 per day.

Placed on the Calendar and passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 750, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Southern Presbyterian College and Conservatory of Music.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 751, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 214 of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to putting sawdust in the streams of Graham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 771, S. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 83, Private Laws of 1891, as amended by chapter 127, Private Laws of 1895, and chapter 63, Private Laws of 1901, relating to the charter of the town of Weldon, Halifax County, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 772, S. B. 612, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the trustees of the graded school in Kernersville to apply part of school fund to the erection of school building.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 773, S. B. 610, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 185 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1905, changing
the name of Leaksville-Spray Academy to Leaksville-Spray Institute.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 775, S. B. 537, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Conetoe, in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 776, S. B. 425, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the office of public works for the town of Tarboro.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 777, S. B. 425, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the office of public works for the town of Tarboro.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 779, S. B. 13, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Whetstone Lodge No. 515, A. F. & A. M.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 778, S. B. 492, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Forsyth Banking and Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 785, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Building and Loan Association of Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 796, S. B. 619, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the hunting and killing of deer in Mitchell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 798, S. B. 618, a bill to be entitled an act to provide additional terms of court for Beaufort and Washington Counties.

Substitute adopted.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. S11, S. B. 591, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the trustees of the Methodist Church of Morganton to remove and reinter the remains of the bodies buried on a certain lot in Morganton, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. S12, S. B. 532, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Greensboro Female College.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 819, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the Superior Court of Cherokee County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 820, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate killing squirrels in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 822, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Trustees of Christ's Evangelical Southern Church of Rowan County to disinter, remove and reinter the dead bodies in the old graveyard of that church.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 823, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate killing doves in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 824, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Graham Collegiate Institute.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 831, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of Woodcock and quail.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 832, a bill to be entitled an act to vacate, nullify and declare of no effect the order or judgment rendered by the Board of County Commissioners for Northampton County, on or about the 11th day of December, 1905, declaring stock-law for Oconeechee Township in said county and to provide for the return to the tax payers of said township the taxes levied and collected from them under said order or judgment.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 852, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Matheson School House in Pee Dee Township, Montgomery County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 861, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Jack Parker, colored, a public school teacher of Stanly County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 867, S. B. 614, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 909 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to Clerk of Court of Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. R. 871. S. R. 649, resolution to pay expenses of Joint Subcom-
mittee on Deaf and Dumb which visited the institution at Morganton.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 875. S. B. 475, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police
powers on Sheriffs and Constables at Altamahaw Cotton Mills, Ala-
mance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 885, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine
and cider in 3 miles of Hickory Grove Baptist Church, in Bladen
County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and
sent to the Senate.

H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled an act to ratify and make valid
the nuncupative will of the late Floyde Crouse of Alleghany County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and
sent to the Senate.

H. B. 909, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3481 of the
Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with reference to hunting upon
lands of another without written permission.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and
sent to the Senate.

H. B. 913, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1409 of the
Revisal of 1905, relating to election of justices of the peace in
Franklin County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 914, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of
Commissioners of Franklin County to sell and convey a part of the
county land.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 922, S. B. 633, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
111, Public Laws of 1893, in regard to weighing cotton in Albemarle,
Stanly County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 923, S. B. 657, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton
weigher for the town of Faison, Duplin County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 924, S. B. 644, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section
1959 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to jurors in Buncombe County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 926, S. B. 648, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the charter

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 928, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 729, Acts of 1901, relating to public roads of Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 931, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district from parts of Moore and Montgomery Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 935, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe and fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 947, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the time of holding Superior Court of Bladen County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 949, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Carolina Methodist College.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 952, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the appointment of special tax collectors for the counties of Hertford and Northampton.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 957, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate West Albemarle Baptist Church.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 962, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of Commissioners of Cabarrus County to sell the property on which is located the common jail.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 964, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust in certain streams of Cleveland and Rutherford Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 965, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Forney's Creek Baptist Church, in Swain County, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 967, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Moore's Creek
Monumental Association to preserve order and to protect persons and premises.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 974, S. B. 670, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of Iredell County to use the surplus court-house funds for other purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 977, S. B. 660, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 266 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to primary elections in Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 978, S. B. 677, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Myers' Chapel M. E. Church, South, in Clay County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 994, S. B. 661, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 641, Public Laws of 1905, relative to levying a special tax for building a new court-house for Carteret County.

Mr. Park offers an amendment.

The amendment is adopted and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 948, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of R. L. Mitchell, Clerk of the Superior Court of Caswell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 905, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit hunting and fishing without written permission in Cross Roads Township, in Martin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 906, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City, North Carolina, relative to the Mayor's salary.

Passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 997, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1311 of chapter 23 of the Revisal of 1905.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 999, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1905, with reference to sawdust in Macon County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1001, a bill to be entitled an act appointing justices of the peace in Nash County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1002, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Buncombe and Burke Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1004, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 48, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1005, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of whiskey, brandy, cider and cigarettes within three miles of Boiling Springs High School (Incorporated) and Boiling Springs Baptist Church, in Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1006, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 11, chapter 636, of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to the distribution of the funds derived from dispensaries in Jones County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a, chapter 81, of the Revisal, relative to obstructing streams in Watauga County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1011, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Yadkin Mineral Springs Academy and Palmerville Baptist Church.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1017, S. B. 632, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Orange County to pay certain claims.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1029, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a chain-gang in the county of Richmond.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1033, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing of deer in Caswell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1034, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 109 of the Acts of 1903.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1051, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 472 of the Public Laws of 1899.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1056, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Pender County to make an appropriation out of the county school fund to aid the Pender County Woman's Association for the Betterment of Public School Houses.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1080, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Joseph T. Waldo a justice of the peace and to allow him to practice law.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1072, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize P. G. McNeill, late Sheriff of Ashe County, and F. K. Miller and others, his bondsmen, to collect back taxes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1106, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Martin County to elect two additional county commissioners at the next regular election.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1129, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of New Hanover County to pay fees to justices of the peace where the prisoner is sent to the county roads to work out the costs.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1081, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 690, Public Laws of 1901, relative to pulp mills in Haywood County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1082, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to issue bonds in the sum of $300,000 to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county, ratified on the 31st day of January, 1907.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

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H. B. 1084, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1140, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Alleghany County to supplement the educational fund.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1141, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of court stenographers for the county of Cabarrus.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1172, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of liquor within one mile of a certain church in the county of Carteret.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1041, S. B. 539, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Citizens Trust and Savings Bank of Asheville, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1065, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 51, section 3382a, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to throwing sawdust into streams.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1070, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Ambrose Clark, late Sheriff of Ashe County, to collect back taxes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1174, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Wilmington, so as to provide for the maintenance of a free library.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1181, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. T. Bryant and Miss Olie Anderson, public school teachers of Caswell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1188, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 653, Public Laws of 1905, relating to working of the public roads of Perquimans County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1187, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Wilkesboro and Jefferson Turnpike to be amended and converted into a steam or electric railroad.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the County Board of Education of Onslow County by the qualified voters.

On motion of Mr. Stickley, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 653, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Mt. Gilead Church, in Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1199, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 348, Public Laws of 1901, relating to stock law in certain portions of Pitt County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the provisions of chapter 379 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to a special tax in Rowan County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1959 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to drawing jurors in Rowan County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and regulate the times for holding the Superior Courts of Lenoir County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 750, S. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County.

Mr. Rector moves to lay the bill on the table.

Motion lost.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:


H. B. 527, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the public roads of Cedar Grove Township, Orange County, and to levy a special tax for said purpose.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 537, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Smithfield, N. C.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 942, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of Pine Level.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 982, S. B. 638, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Rymer Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 983, S. B. 637, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Big Willow Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Rocky Mount, to be hereafter known as the City of Rocky Mount.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1038, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Davie County to sell the present court-house and jail property and to issue bonds for the purpose of building a new court-house and jail and buy other property.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1054, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain the public roads in Mitchell County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1076, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lingfield, in Craven County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1096, S. B. 696; a bill to be entitled an act providing for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Wayne County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Byrd, Clifford, Cowles, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Griffin, Hampton, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacob-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1097, S. B. 699, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a road commission and to improve the public roads of Wake County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1132, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Rocky Mount Graded School District to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1143, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to levy a special tax for the support of the Carnegie Library.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 258, S. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to establish a market, etc., in the said town, and giving the Board of Aldermen power to issue bonds for the erection of the same.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Windsor Graded School District, in Bertie County.

Amendment adopted.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Byrd, Clifford, Cowles, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Griffin, Hampton, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 598, S. B. 682, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 642, S. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to revise, consolidate and amend the road law of Lenoir County, for the better maintenance of the public roads of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 655, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Harrellsville, in Hertford County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 693, S. B. 467, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 77, Private Laws of 1883, allowing the Board of Commissioners of the town of Mt. Pleasant to levy certain special taxes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 725, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public highways of McDowell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 729, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Ramseur Graded School District.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 770, S. B. 544, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county of Pitt to issue bonds to build iron bridges, and to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 728, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for rebuilding, improving and repairing the home for the aged and infirm for said county.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 794, S. B. 470, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Ore Hill, in Chatham County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 707, S. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act creating a school district in Jackson and Ferrell's Township, Nash County, North Carolina.

As amended passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

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Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 799, S. B. 469, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for electric lights.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S01, S. B. 495, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Enfield.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S03, S. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Kingsdale, in the county of Robeson and State of North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 804, S. B. 458, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of East Lumberton, in the county of Robeson, State of North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 805, S. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the present charter of Boone, N. C., and to re-charter the town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S29, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cumberland and Harnett Counties to construct a steel or iron bridge, and to levy special tax for the same.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S35, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Roxboro to vote on bonds for graded school building and other improvements.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S47, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Elkin and Alleghany Railway Company and for other purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S33, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Currituck County to levy a special tax to repair the county jail.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S62, S. B. 547, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads in the county of Yadkin.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 863, S. B. 550, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Elizabeth City.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 876, S. B. 462, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Roanoke Rapids.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 880, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Cameron, Moore County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 881, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Franklinville Graded School, Randolph County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 890, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Waco, in Cleveland County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 917, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Ashe County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the water-works system of the town of Waynesville, and to authorize the issuance of bonds therefor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 938, a bill to be entitled an act to issue bonds to build good roads in Williamson Township, in Martin County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruto, Bryant, Byrd, Clifford, Cowles, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 946, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 951, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Glenola Rural Graded School, Randolph County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 979, S. B. 639, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Fletcher Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 980, S. B. 641, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Pleasant Hill Special Tax School District, in the County of Henderson.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Brutton, Bryant, Byrd, Clifford, Cowles, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 981, S. B. 640, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Crab Creek Special Tax School District, in the county of Henderson.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. R. 985, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 129, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the charter of the town of Williamson, N. C.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1009, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Camden County to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1013, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Swain County to provide and maintain a home for the aged and infirm of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1018, S. B. 647, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Crouse, Lincoln County, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Brutan, Bryant, Byrd, Clifford, Cowles, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Griffin, Hampton, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1020, S. B. 634, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Goldston, in Chatham County, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1022, S. B. 635, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Jacksonville to issue bonds for the purpose of protecting the town against fire.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

 Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1023, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Rowan County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1036, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 40 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1899, which was an act to amend the act incorporating the town of Graham, in Alamance County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1206, a bill to be entitled an act to restore the profession and practice of dentistry to its former position as a branch of medicine and surgery, is withdrawn from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2 and recommitted to the Committee on Health.

On motion of Mr. Turlington, H. B. 461, S. B. 238, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the separation of prisoners suffering from tuberculosis from other prisoners, is taken from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1 and recommitted to the Committee on Health.
On motion of Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 907, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

February 19, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. DuBose, of Raleigh.

Mr. Wells, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Gillam, resolution of the Chamber of Commerce and certain citizens of Elizabeth City with reference to the Colored Normal School of Elizabeth City.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 972, S. B. 617, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Wachovia Loan and Trust Company of Winston-Salem.

H. B. 769, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the New Bern Banking and Trust Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1155, S. B. 672, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 89 of the Private Laws of 1905, the same being an act to incorporate the Tuckaseigee Railway Company, with a favorable report.

H. B. 757, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tidewater Power Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.
By Mr. Londou, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1050, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Wilkes County.

H. B. 1189, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Bonsal.

H. B. 1145, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Chatham County.

H. B. 806, S. B. 497, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County to issue bonds in the sum of two hundred thousand dollars to build and improve the public roads of said county.

H. B. 1075, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brookford, in Catawba County.

H. B. 1100, a bill to be entitled an act changing the line between Wolf Pitt and Marks Creek Townships of Richmond County.

H. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Mebane.

H. B. 1182, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Hickory to issue bonds to pay off a debt contracted for sewerage extension.

H. B. 940, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Hot Springs.

H. B. 1180, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Burnsville, in Yancey County.

H. B. 1170, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Columbia, Private Laws of 1899, chapter 147, section 2, with a favorable report.

H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City, and to authorize the Board of Aldermen of said city to issue bonds and levy a special tax for paving the streets of said town, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 32, S. B. 392, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Roxboro Real Estate and Trust Company, with a favorable report.

And the House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 976, S. B. 662, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 504, Public Laws of 1899, relating to schools in Columbus County.

H. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and revise chapter 109 of the Public Laws of 1905, and to establish Pinnacle Graded School District, in Stokes County.

H. B. 1130, a bill to be entitled an act to establish an institute to provide Christian education and manual training for boys and girls and to do other institutional work in the mountains of North Carolina.

H. B. 1055, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of
Trustees of Belhaven Graded School District to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a graded school building at Belhaven, N. C., with a favorable report.

H. B. 1031, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a school district in Yancey County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Clerk of the Court of Richmond County to turn over certain funds to the school fund of said county.

H. B. 408, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing J. M. Edwards, Treasurer of Pigeon Township, Haywood County Graded School, to pay out funds now in his hands belonging to said school.

H. B. 1114, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Madison District, Rockingham County.

H. B. 1045, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Guilford County to place the management and control of all schools who have voted for the same special school tax in one township under one committee, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1184, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the duties of the Superintendent of Schools or of Education for Ashe County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1186, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Thomas K. Miller, late Sheriff of Ashe County, to collect back taxes, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Dilling, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1185, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Byron Sturgill, late Sheriff of Ashe County, to collect back taxes, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1135, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in certain territory in Randolph County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1188, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the killing of deer in Tyrrell County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 850, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Davidson County without consent of owner.

H. B. 1061, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of game in Guilford County.

H. B. 1149, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend chapter 1882 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to hunting, killing, etc., of squirrels in Lenoir County, which was ratified on the 4th day of February, 1907.

H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 1881 and 1884 of the Revisal, prescribing the time for hunting deer and quail in Richmond County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 327, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Laws of 1903, chapter 153, entitled an act to prohibit hunting game on the
lands of another without written permission of the owner in Robeson County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1208, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer, pheasant and grouse in certain counties in North Carolina.

H. B. 1110, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of deer and summer duck in Beaufort County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Edgerton, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 650, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the practice of the system, method or science of treating diseases known as osteopathy and creating a board of examination and registration for the regulation of the same and providing for the violation of this act, reported without prejudice.

H. B. 961, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4498 of the Revisal of 1905, enlarging powers of State Medical Board of Examiners to issue license, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1196, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dr. Finley Greene to practice medicine, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1039, S. B. 371, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the manufacture or sale of adulterated, misbranded, poisonous or deleterious foods, drugs, medicine or liquors, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 943, a bill to be entitled an act to promote loyalty and greater respect for the sovereignty of the State.

H. B. 1080, a bill to be entitled an act to supply certain lost records of Onslow County.

H. B. 1215, S. B. 611, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3847 and 3849, Revisal of 1905, making injury to transmission lines punishable as in case of injury to telephone and telegraph lines, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Williams, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1042, S. B. 674, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 81, section 3758 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the intoxication of railroad employees, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a digest of the decisions of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1091, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unlawful cutting of timber and to prevent the damages which may happen by firing woods, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3334 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to burglary, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 1095, S. B. 661, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of the Town of Tarboro to issue bonds to improve the
streets after first submitting the question of the bond issue to the people, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Galler, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1212, S. B. 654, a bill to be entitled an act to change the rule of evidence in certain cases, with an unfavorable report and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 678, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness and profanity on the public highways and lands of another in certain counties, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Bruton, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1216, S. B. 748, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50, Public Laws of 1901, relative to road law of Polk County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1154, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Mt. Gilead Township, Montgomery County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1113, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 596 of the Public Laws of 1905, same being an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Pasquotank County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1190, a bill to be entitled an act to establish, construct and maintain a system of public roads in Madison County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of public roads in Transylvania County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hooker, for the Committee on Justices of the Peace, H. B. 618, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Enfield Township, Halifax County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 843, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relative to road law in Six Pound Township, Warren County.

H. B. 842, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the road law in Smith Creek Township, Warren County.

H. B. 1052, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroads to erect and maintain union depots in towns of two thousand inhabitants, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1128,
a bill to be entitled an act incorporating the Piedmont and Atlantic Railway Company.

H. B. 674, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Virginia and Eastern Carolina Railroad Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Troy Township, Montgomery County, to create a special road commission for said township and work the same by taxation.

On motion of Mr. Bruton, is recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. R. 1220, joint resolution in relation to the visit of Miss Mary Lee, daughter of the illustrious Robert E. Lee.

Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 336, S. B. 625, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors in Madison County.

H. B. 1165, S. B. 803, an act to prohibit the obstruction of the public roads of Pasquotank County.

H. B. 1164, S. B. 802, an act to prevent the obstruction of drains across the public roads of Pasquotank County.

H. B. 699, S. B. 792, an act to amend chapter 746, Acts of 1905, so as to substitute "Smith's Creek" for "Spring's Creek," in Pamlico County.

H. B. 703, S. B. 722, an act authorizing the Board of Aldermen of the City of High Point to appropriate annually fifteen hundred dollars for the maintenance of the Carnegie Public Library and for providing a suitable site therefor.

H. B. 1163, S. B. 891, an act to amend the road law of Pasquotank County.

H. B. 496, S. B. 521, an act to amend section 1891 of the Revival of 1905, and section 4600 of the Revival of 1905, in regard to appointment of guardian on certificate from hospitals for the insane.

H. B. 382, S. B. 833, an act to repeal chapter 749, Public Laws of 1903, relating to shooting wild fowl in Currituck County.

H. B. 383, S. B. 834, an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revival of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound.

H. B. 283, S. B. 484, an act to relieve persons from working the public roads in Vance County.

H. B. 662, S. B. 836, an act to regulate the working of the public roads of the First Judicial District by convict forces.

H. B. 667, S. B. 788, an act to regulate the pay of regular jurors in Haywood County.

H. B. 1160, S. B. 843, an act amending sections 3367 and 3374 of
the Revisal of 1905, by making said sections apply to Richmond County.

H. R. 1024, S. R. 800, resolution to pay the expenses of the members of the House Committee visiting the State Hospitals at Monroe and Goldsboro.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 1222, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 70, in Cherokee County, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 77, Tract No. 1312.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1224, an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Beaufort County, to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1225, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of persons whose property is insured against loss by fire.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 1226, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mary A. Watkins, a public school teacher of Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1227, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. A. Henry, a public school teacher of Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pitt, H. B. 1228, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint two justices of the peace for Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 1229, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act repealing chapter 84 of the Public Laws of 1897, entitled an act to incorporate the Auxiliary Board of Health of Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 1230, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Rock Hill Baptist Church, in Swain County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1231, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 375 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the Waynesville Township bond issue.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gillam, H. B. 1232, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent snatch-block fishing in Cashie and Middle Rivers.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the employment of flagmen by railroad companies.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 1234, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of spirituous or malt liquors in Haywood County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Preston, H. B. 1235, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2578 of the Revisal.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 1236, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 1237, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Hickory to establish and operate an electric light plant and to issue bonds therefor.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1238, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement and maintenance of the streets and sidewalks of Hickory, Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 1239, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2075 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to qualification of dispensary commissioners.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

H. B. 1240, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of adulterated cider in Mecklenburg County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Sharp, H. B. 1241, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Directors of the State Normal and Industrial College to grant the use of the President's house to the widow of the late President.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 1242, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881, chapter 40, Revisal of 1905, relating to hunting deer in Tyrrell County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Stickley, by request, H. B. 1243, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the interests of special tax in public school districts.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 1244, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the publication of the apportionment of the school funds to the school districts.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 1245, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for issue of bonds by Louisburg School District.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 1246, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the compensation of the Commissioners of Hyde County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 1247, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a Board of Education for Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 1248, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 439, Laws of 1905, extending the time for hunting to two months instead of one in certain territory of Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1249, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 322, Public Laws of 1905, so as to extend the time of hunting one month in certain territory in Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Vann, by request, H. B. 1250, a bill to be entitled an act to protect Ryland School from the sale of liquors, from drunkenness and profanity.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1251, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for the assessment of property and the collection of taxes.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 1252, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of A. B. Suttle, Sheriff of Cleveland County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 1253, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hookerton, in Greene County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Kennedy, H. B. 1254, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2017 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the sale of personal property.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 1255, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Hookerton, Greene County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 1259, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 129 of the Private Laws of 1903, relating to the charter of the town of Columbia.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, and, being reported favorably by the committee, takes its place on the Calendar.
MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. R. 928, H. R. 1256, resolution by the General Assembly of North Carolina regarding the continuance of the second Hague Conference.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

S. B. 929, H. B. 1257, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Gastonia Cotton Manufacturing Company.

Referred to the Committee on Manufacture and Labor.

S. B. 766, H. B. 1258, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Charlotte Electric Railway, Light and Power Company, being chapter 32 of the Laws of 1883.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 63, Public Laws of 1905, and to amend the charter of the town of Scotland Neck.

Mr. Kitchin calls the previous question.

The call is sustained.

Mr. Neal calls for the ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

The amendment of Mr. Kitchin is adopted.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill on its second reading.

The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their vote:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Davidson of Iredell, Ehringhaus, Kennedy, Mangum, Midyette, Murphy, Pritchard and Pugh.

Mr. Blanchard is excused from voting.

Mr. Brinson is paired with Mr. Jones of Pitt. Mr. Jones would have voted aye and Mr. Brinson no.

Mr. Jacobson is excused from voting.

Mr. Peele is excused from voting.

Mr. Tillett and Mr. Brewer are paired. Mr. Brewer would have voted aye and Mr. Tillett no.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Boyd, Byrd, Carter, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Gaston, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Lockhart, McDaniel, McRacken, Mangum, Manning, Midyette, Morgan, Morton, Murphy, Neal, Park, Parker,
Parsons, Pitt, Preston, Pritchard, Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Royster, Sharp, Simpson, Stevens, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Vann, Vestal, Washington, Weaver, Wells, Williams, Winborne—64.

Those voting in the negative are:

The bill then passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

MESSAGE SENT THROUGH SECRETARY OF STATE.

The following communication, addressed to the Secretary of State, is ordered spread upon the Journal:

CLARK, SOUTH DAKOTA, February 15, 1907.
Hon. J. Bryan Grimes,
Secretary of State,
Raleigh, North Carolina.

My Dear Sir:—Please accept my thanks for your letter of February 4th, in which you sent me a certified copy of the resolution adopted by the General Assembly of your State in the matter of certain North Carolina bonds.

Kindly extend to President Winston of the Senate and Speaker Justice of the House of Representatives my compliments, and ask them to convey the same to the members of their respective bodies.

Allow me to add that my father was born a few miles southeast of Winston-Salem, in your State.

Yours very truly,
S. H. Elrod,
Former Governor of South Dakota.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House takes a recess until to-night at 8 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

The House meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice, and resumes consideration of bills on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Pritchard of Orange County.

On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, the same courtesies are extended to ex-Representative Uzzelle of Wayne, and, on motion of Mr. Winborne, the same courtesies are extended to his Honor, Judge E. B. Jones.
The Speaker lays before the House H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

Mr. Bickett offers a substitute for the pending bill.

Mr. Doughton offers an amendment to the pending bill.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment to the pending bill.

Mr. Manning calls for the previous question.

Mr. Harris is permitted to offer an amendment pending the call.

Mr. Manning withdraws his call for the previous question, that Mr. McRae may make an argument.

Mr. Manning renews his call for the previous question. Call is sustained.

Mr. Manning calls for the ayes and noes on all amendments.

The question recurs upon the amendment of Mr. Harris.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The amendment is lost.

The question then recurs upon the amendment offered by Mr. Winborne.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Cox, Crawford, Davis of Hyde, Dill-

The amendment is lost.

The question then recurs upon the amendment offered by Mr. Doughton.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The amendment is lost.

The question recurs upon the amendment offered by Mr. Morton.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The amendment is lost.
Mr. Clifford withdraws his amendment and the question recurs upon the substitute offered by Mr. Bickett.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The substitute is lost.

The question then recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its third reading.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The bill passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Manning moves to reconsider the vote by which the bill passes its third reading, and the motion to reconsider is laid upon the table.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1257, S. B. 929, a bill to be entitled an act to change the charter of the Gastonia Cotton Manufacturing Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

On motion of Mr. Mangum, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY.

House of Representatives.

February 20, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Wells, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

On motion of Mr. Royster, the courtesies of the floor are extended to Hon. C. W. Bryan, ex-Representative from the county of Granville.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency, Governor R. B. Glenn, relative to the cause of education, and other matters now pending before this body.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, 300 copies of the message from the Governor are ordered printed.

A message is received from the Corporation Commission in reference to Resolution No. 987, for information from the Corporation Commission, which is read and ordered spread on the Journal:

February 18, 1907.

To the Honorable the House of Representatives of the State of North Carolina:

The Corporation Commission begs to acknowledge the receipt of the copy of a resolution of your honorable body, in which you request that the Corporation Commission communicate to you the terms upon which the recent litigation to compel the Southern Railway Company to continue the Selma connection was settled, and whether in consideration of the release of the sum of $15,000 penalties in-
curred by said company the State was or was not reimbursed for the expense of counsel fees incurred in enforcing said railroad company to observe the previous order of the court.

Complying with the said request, the Corporation Commission begs leave to state that the expense of counsel fees due the attorneys employed by the Corporation Commission in forcing the Southern Railway Company to observe the previous order of this Court, was not reimbursed by the said Southern Railway Company, but said legal expenses amounting to $500 will be paid by the State of North Carolina, which this Court understands to be the usual rule in such cases.

The Corporation Commission further begs leave to communicate to your honorable body that the terms upon which the said litigation to continue the Selma connection was settled, were as follows: The Southern Railway Company agreed to pay all court costs in connection with the said litigation, but not the attorneys’ fees due the attorneys employed by the Corporation Commission. The Southern Railway Company likewise agreed, in addition to its present passenger trains, to inaugurate and continue in service two extra passenger trains: one leaving Goldsboro at the hour of 4:30 P. M., in the day and reaching Greensboro at the hour of 9:30 o’clock at night, and another passenger train leaving Greensboro at the hour of 9:40 o’clock in the day. The estimated cost of this extra service is $70,000 a year. The advantages of such additional train service may not be well known to all of the members of the House, and we, therefore, beg to submit some of the advantages to the traveling public arising from the new trains. These advantages will be set out later in our report.

The Corporation Commission likewise, in its best judgment and for the interests of the entire people of the State of North Carolina, agreed that the penalties which had been incurred by the Southern Railway Company for breaking the Selma connection should not be enforced. We had sued for penalties for $1,500, and these and other penalties, if enforceable and collectible, would have amounted in all to nearly the amount set out in your resolution, to-wit, $12,000.

In making the above settlement your Commission has had an eye single to the good and welfare of the people of North Carolina. This Commission calls attention to the fact that the power of the Corporation Commission, under the laws and statutes of North Carolina as they now exist, is not as extensive as could be wished and as should be. We have at present no power to order additional trains nor have we any power to fix schedules for passenger trains. At your request we have heretofore submitted to the General Assembly of North Carolina a bill which gives this power to the Corporation Commission and likewise enables it to better serve the interests of the people of the State. We trust that this bill will soon be enacted into a law.
We would call to your attention the fact that this entire Selma connection litigation is now before the Supreme Court of the United States; that it was argued there more than a year ago, and that the Court has taken the matter under advisement for two entire terms. We sincerely hope and expect that the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States in this litigation will be favorable to the State of North Carolina, and that the order made by the Corporation Commission requiring the Selma connection will be sustained by said Court.

In making this settlement, however, your Commission was not unmindful of the fact that if the Supreme Court of the United States decided the Selma connection case adversely to the State that the Selma connection would not be preserved and no penalties could be enforced. The failure on the part of the Southern Railway Company to continue the Selma connection did not appear to your Commission to be in defiance of the orders of this Commission entered three years previously, but arose out of a change of schedule on the main line at Greensboro, which change affected the entire Southern system and was made to lengthen the schedules and give greater safety to the passengers, and to make the new Greensboro connection either required a breaking of the Selma connection by leaving Selma before the Coast Line train arrived or else by inaugurating a new and extra train. To keep the Greensboro connection seemed more important than keeping the Selma connection.

We likewise call your attention to the fact that even if the Commission had enforced its order, the second train leaving Selma for Greensboro, after making the Coast Line connection, would have followed within 43 minutes after a previous train, with little advantage to the traveling public, and might have returned as a freight train. In fine, we beg to state that we were of opinion that the settlement of this matter along the lines above indicated was greatly to the interest of the traveling public of North Carolina; that it put an end to litigation which might have been protracted and might also have gone to the Supreme Court of the United States, and that great good was accomplished by the settlement; and all of this in the face of an appeal pending in the Supreme Court of the United States above referred to, which, if decided adversely to the State, would have been expensive and fruitless of any tangible results.

The benefits derived from said compromise are as follows: If the Corporation Commission had succeeded in the mandamus suit they could only have secured a passenger train to leave Goldsboro forty-two minutes after the former passenger train, and this second passenger train would have served a useful purpose in the connection at Selma and at Durham, but, of course, could not have been of much use to the traveling public following the former passenger
train at an interval of forty-two minutes. The new and extra trains which have been put in operation under the compromise leave Goldsboro at 4:30 P. M., pass Selma at 5:15 P. M., Raleigh at 6:20 P. M., Durham at 7:20 P. M., and arrive at Greensboro at 9:30 P. M. This service secures connection at Selma for Rocky Mount, Tarboro and Norfolk, and also secures connection for Richmond and the North; also for Plymouth, Washington, Greenville, Spring Hope and Nashville; it also secures connection with the Coast Line North-bound train, giving connection with Fayetteville and all points between Fayetteville and Wilmington, and between Fayetteville and Bennettsville, and all points between Fayetteville and Florence, with Raleigh and other Southern Railway points. At Raleigh it furnishes connection with the Seaboard Air Line train for Sanford, Hamlet and all points South. In addition it enables passengers arriving in Raleigh on the Seaboard Air Line at 4:05 P. M., to make the Western connection for Durham, Burlington, Greensboro and points west. At Durham this train makes connection with the Seaboard Air Line from Henderson, Weldon, Creedmoor and Oxford, and also with Southern train from Keysville and Richmond. This train likewise enables passengers from Durham, Hillsboro and intermediate points to make close connection at Greensboro for the North. Prior to the inauguration of this new train, the train from Norfolk to Rocky Mount, leaving Norfolk at 8:45 A. M., often failed to connect at Rocky Mount with the train for Selma. This connection is now made certain and is of very great importance to the traveling public, enabling the people of the counties of Chowan, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Camden, Gates, Currituck, Bertie and Hertford to leave their homes in the morning and reach Raleigh and points west of Raleigh in the afternoon of the same day. In many respects this is one of the most important connections of the entire East.

Now, this train returning leaves Greensboro at 9:40 A. M., and enables passengers from the North to make close connection for Raleigh and Goldsboro; it likewise enables passengers from Charlotte and the South to make close connection at Greensboro for Raleigh and Goldsboro. By reason of this train, the 2:30 train can and always will be held for passengers from Asheville and intermediate points to Greensboro for Raleigh, Goldsboro and other Southern Railway points. This train at Raleigh furnishes transportation from Seaboard Air Line points south of Raleigh, giving passengers from the South on the Seaboard Air Line trains 38 and 66 arriving respectively at Raleigh at 11:05 A. M., and 12:04 P. M., connection with Selma, Wilson, Rocky Mount, Goldsboro, Greenville, Williamson, Plymouth, Washington and any eastern Carolina point. This train makes connection with the North-bound Coast Line train at Selma for Rocky Mount, Tarboro and all Eastern North Carolina points; it also makes connection with the South-bound Atlantic
Coast Line train for Dunn, Fayetteville, Florence and other Atlantic Coast Line points South.

This train also makes connection at Goldsboro with the Atlantic Coast Line train for Wilmington and intermediate points, and also with the Norfolk and Southern trains at Goldsboro for Kinston, New Bern, Morehead and Beaufort.

With great respect for your Honorable body, and signifying our desire to furnish all other and further information which you may wish either individually or collectively, we beg to remain,

Your obedient servants,

FRANKLIN MCNEILL, Chairman;
SAMUEL L. ROGERS.
E. C. BEDDINGFIELD.

Commissioners.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Pritchard, Rodwell, Harris, Cowles and Hooker.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Watts, petition from citizens of Alexander County, asking for the repeal of the homestead law.
Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

Petition from citizens of Alexander County, asking the appointment of F. C. Gwaltney, D. S. Davidson and J. W. Deal justices of the peace in Sugar Loaf Township, Alexander County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Cowles, resolutions from North Wilkesboro Lodge, United Brotherhood of America, opposing foreign immigration.
Referred to the Committee on Immigration.

By Mr. Pickett, petition from Traveling Wood Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., in regard to compulsory education.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

A petition from Jr. O. U. A. M. of Haw River, North Carolina, in regard to compulsory education.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

Petition from Jr. O. U. A. M. of Burlington in regard to compulsory education.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Pritchard, a petition from the voters of Orange County, that the superintendent of public instruction and members of the board of education be selected by popular vote.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and taken their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Jones of Pitt, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1012, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3042, chapter 75, of the Revival of 1905, reducing tobacco warehouse charges, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Cox, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 601, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the State's interest in public lands and to protect the forests in Western North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled an act amending chapter 345 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1899, with a favorable report.

H. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of the Cumberland Savings and Trust Company, at Fayetteville, N. C., with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled an act to create a Highway Commission in Vance County and to prescribe its duties.

H. B. 1062, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Thomasville to issue bonds for public improvements.

H. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Murphy, in the county of Cherokee, to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage, with a favorable report.

H. B. 412, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Mechanicsville, in Guilford County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 1067, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for holding courts in Ashe County, amending section 1506 of the Revival of 1905.

H. B. 1142, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a term of court for the trial of civil cases exclusively in Brunswick County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 461, S. B. 238, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the separation of prisoners suffering with tuberculosis from other prisoners, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 912, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of deeds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1151, S. B. 741, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize street and interurban railway companies to build and maintain water power plants, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1000, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain physicians of Cherokee, Clay and Graham Counties, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to create a voting precinct at Ahoskie, in Hertford County, and to authorize the board of commissioners of said county to make it a township and appoint justices of the peace therein, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 897, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2365 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to indexing deeds and other instruments made by sheriffs, trustees and commissioners, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1077, a bill to be entitled an act to require express companies to pay claims for loss or damage to property, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent tenants from leaving landlords before paying debts, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Parsons, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1250, a bill to be entitled an act to protect Ryland School from the sale of liquor, from drunkenness and profanity, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1104, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, relating to throwing sawdust in the streams of Cherokee County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1109, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the office of standard-keeper and public weigher for Beaufort County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Cooper’s Gap Township, Polk County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1197, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 754, Public Laws of 1905, relative to dangerous dogs, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1053, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit sawdust from being thrown into the streams of Mitchell County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1088, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3777 and 3778 of the Revisal, relative to damage to roads by hauling logs, timber, lumber and other heavy substances over the public roads, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 113, Volume II,
Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, in relation to State boundaries, with an unfavorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1121, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the throwing of sawdust in South River, in Sampson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 864, S. B. 417, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the monopoly granted to a public ferry established across the Yadkin River by chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1895, with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Julian, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1158, S. B. 730, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3533 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the seizure of illicit distilleries, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 841, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of wine in three miles of certain churches in Warren County.

H. B. 1021, S. B. 621, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified the 21st day of January, 1907, entitled an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Maple Creek Church, Nash County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1105, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within four miles of Kee's Fork Public School House, in Gates County.

H. B. 1177, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County, and to prevent the transportation or delivery of intoxicating liquors into said county.

H. B. 1240, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of adulterated cider in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1210, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Meroney Church, in Chatham County.

H. B. 1078, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unlawful to keep liquor for sale in Cleveland County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 963, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within one mile of Oak Forest Church, in Antioch Township, Wilkes County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 877, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 406, Public Laws 1903, and chapter 812, Public Laws of 1905, relating to a dispensary in the town of Oxford, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bickett, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to advertising the sale of real property, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. McLean, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 67, a bill to be entitled an act to pay Solicitors of the State a stipulated salary instead of fees, with an unfavorable report.
By Mr. Midyette, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 556, a bill to be entitled an act to require the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Rockingham County to keep an itemized statement of fees, and sheriffs to render to the commissioners a verified statement, with a favorable report.

H. B. 739, S. B. 74, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2770, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the Supreme Court Marshal, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, and favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Bickett, for the Committee on Insane Asylums, H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled an act to furnish and maintain a woman’s annex to the State Hospital at Raleigh, N. C., with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pugh, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 608, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and weighers in Forsyth County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 793, S. B. 122, a bill to be entitled an act to place the Solicitors of the Superior Courts upon salaries and to fix the amount of the same, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1083, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of the County Commissioners of Durham County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Preston, for the Committee on Immigration, H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to promote and encourage the immigration of a desirable class of trained, industrious and economical farmers and laborers to the State of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Maugum, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the employment of flagmen by railroad companies, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 537, a bill to be entitled an act amending the Revisal as to railway police, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 935, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the graded schools in the town of Waynesville and to provide for the issuance of bonds to purchase land and construct and equip an additional building, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 664, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 435, Laws of 1903, relative to the public school law, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1241, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Directors of the State Normal and Industrial College to grant the

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use of the President's house to the widow of the late president, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2762, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on Rules, report recommending that Rule 18 be amended by striking out "thirty," in line two, and insert "fifteen" in lieu thereof, and strike out "fifteen," in said line, and insert in place thereof "five." Report adopted.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 299, S. B. 96, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit sawdust from being placed in the streams of Burke County.

The bill, on motion of Mr. Avery, is withdrawn from further consideration.

By Mr. Preston, for the Committee on Penal Institutions, H. B. 246, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a reformatory and manual training school for the benefit of wayward, depraved and criminal children, to provide for its government, to prescribe what children shall be sent thereto and kept therein, and to provide the mode of ascertaining whether any given child shall be committed thereto, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Bickett, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 407, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the salaries of certain State officials, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 63, Public Laws of 1905, and to amend the charter of the town of Lexington.

H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Rector, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 776, S. B. 425, an act to abolish the office of Board of Public Works for the Town of Tarboro.

H. B. 775, S. B. 537, an act to amend the charter of the town of Conetoe, in the county of Edgecombe.
H. B. 924, S. B. 644, an act to amend section 1959 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to jurors in Buncombe County.

H. B. 799, S. B. 469, an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for electric lights.

H. B. 770, S. B. 544, an act to authorize the county of Pitt to issue bonds to build iron bridges and to levy a special tax.

H. B. 511, S. B. 569, an act to authorize the town of Dunn, in Harnett County, upon a majority vote of its citizens to establish a dispensary.

H. B. 804, S. B. 458, an act to amend the charter of the town of East Lumberton, in the county of Robeson, State of North Carolina.

H. B. 779, S. B. 492, an act to amend the charter of the Forsyth Banking and Trust Company of Kernersville, N. C.

H. B. 778, S. B. 13, an act to incorporate Whetstone Lodge, No. 515, A. F. & A. M.

H. B. 796, S. B. 619, an act to prevent the hunting and killing of deer in Mitchell County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1022, S. B. 635, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Jacksonville to issue bonds for the purpose of protecting the town against fires.

H. B. 772, S. B. 612, an act authorizing the Trustees of the Graded School in Kernersville to apply part of school fund to the erection of the school building.

H. B. 923, S. B. 657, an act to appoint a cotton-weigher for the town of Faison, Duplin County.

H. B. 801, S. B. 495, an act to amend the charter of the town of Enfield, N. C.

H. B. 867, S. B. 614, an act to amend section 909, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

H. B. 773, S. B. 610, an act to amend chapter 185 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1905, changing the name of "Leaksville-Spray Academy" to "Leaksville-Spray Institute."

H. B. 974, S. B. 670, an act authorizing the Commissioners of Ire- dell County to use the surplus court-house funds for other purposes.

H. B. 875, S. B. 475, an act to confer police powers on Sheriffs and Constables at Altamahaw Cotton Mills, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

H. B. 977, S. B. 660, an act to amend chapter 286 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to primary elections in Buncombe County.

H. B. 37, S. B. 392, an act to incorporate the Roxboro Real Estate and Trust Company.

H. B. 805, S. B. 476, an act to repeal the present charter of Boone, N. C., and to recharter the town.

H. B. 1020, S. B. 634, an act to incorporate the town of Goldston, in Chatham County.

H. B. 1018, S. B. 647, an act to incorporate the town of Crouse, Lincoln County, North Carolina.


H. B. 794, S. B. 470, an act to incorporate the town of Ore Hill, in Chatham County.

H. B. 777, S. B. 535, an act to appoint tax collectors of the several school districts in Watauga County that have levied a special tax in aid of the schools in said districts.

H. B. 693, S. B. 467, an act to amend chapter 77, Private Laws of the Session of 1883, allowing the Board of Commissioners of the town of Mt. Pleasant to levy certain special taxes.

H. B. 803, S. B. 426, an act to incorporate the town of Kingsdale, in the county of Robeson, State of North Carolina.

H. B. 978, S. B. 677, an act to incorporate Myer's Chapel M. E. Church, South, in Clay County.

H. B. 1041, S. B. 539, an act to amend the charter of Citizens Trust and Savings Bank of Asheville, N. C.

H. B. 812, S. B. 532, an act to amend the charter of Greensboro Female College.

H. B. 922, S. B. 633, an act to amend chapter 111, Public Laws of 1893, in regard to weighing cotton in Alamance, Stanly County.

H. B. 811, S. B. 591, an act to allow the trustees of the Methodist Church of Morganton, N. C., to remove and reinter the remains of the bodies buried on a certain lot in Morganton, N. C.

H. B. 1017, S. B. 632, an act to authorize the Board of Education of Orange County to pay certain debts against said board.

H. B. 238, S. B. 21, an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to establish a market house, town hall and auditorium and mayor's office in the said town, and giving the said board of aldermen the power to issue bonds in a sum not exceeding forty thousand dollars, to cover the cost of the erection of said building.

H. R. 871, S. R. 649, resolution to pay expenses of Joint Subcommittee on Deaf and Dumb which visited the institution at Morganton.

H. B. 642, S. B. 259, an act to revise, consolidate and amend the road law of Lenoir County for the better maintenance and more permanent construction of the public roads of said county.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1260, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Greenville to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 1261, a bill to be entitled an act to suppress night shooting of wild fowl in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1262, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Phillips' Chapel Methodist Episcopal Church, in Thompson Township, Alamance County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1263, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Alamance County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 1264, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Iotla Graded School District in Macon County and provide for the running and maintenance of a graded school therein.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1265, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 7071, of Macon County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 1266, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Adelaide Buisin and Silas J. Dean, public school teachers of District No. 1, Franklin Township, Macon County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Avery, H. B. 1267, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint the members of the County Board of Education of Burke County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Avery, substitute, H. B. 1268, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the streams in Burke County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pitt, H. B. 1269, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint T. F. Savage a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1270, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Aurora Graded School District.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1271, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to a court stenographer for Cumberland County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of the territory included the question of the creation of the county of Lee from portions of Moore and Chatham.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 1273, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Greene County to levy a special tax.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 1274, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1283, chapter 22, Revisal of 1905, relative to court costs in Robeson County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1273, a bill to be entitled an act making it unlawful to enter the bed of Little River, in Richmond and Montgomery Counties.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1276, a bill to be entitled an act repealing chapter 733 of the Laws of 1905, as to Richmond County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pugh, H. B. 1277, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mial, H. B. 1278, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, relating to dumping sawdust in streams, Marks Creek, Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1279, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, an act to incorporate the town of Wendell, in Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1280, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of five hundred thousand dollars for municipal ownership of water-works and sewerage.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1281, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of four hundred thousand dollars for street improvements.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 1282, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary between the counties of Camden and Pasquotank.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hanes, H. B. 1283, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the holding of an election in Liberty Township, Yadkin County, in regard to the Statesville Air Line Railroad.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 1284, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the manner of selecting jurors in capital cases.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1285, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for legalized primary elections in the county of Scotland.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 1286, a bill to be entitled an act to give further jurisdiction to process officers in the matter of unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors in Cabarrus County and to amend section 5301 of the Revisal of 1905.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1287, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint
certain justices of the peace in and for Wilkes County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 1288, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Wilkes County for the purpose of building bridges across the Yadkin River.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wells, by request, H. B. 1289, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. F. Simpson and D. J. Black justices of the peace for Caswell Township, Pender County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between Brassfield and Fishing Creek Townships, in Granville County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the redemption of the bonds issued by the county of Onslow under provisions of chapter 233, Acts of 1885, and acts amendatory thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Canton to issue bonds amounting to $65,000 for a water supply, sewerage, electric lights, a graded school building and street improvements, and to levy a special tax to meet the interest and pay said bonds and for the maintenance of graded schools.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. London, H. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the terms and elections of officers of State institutions.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1294, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate North Carolina Savings Bank and Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 1295, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt ministers of the gospel from the duty of working on the public roads.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. John, H. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a Board of Audit and Finance for the County of Robeson, and to fix the duties of the same.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Robeson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morgan, H. B. 1298, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. B. Edwards, Clerk of the Superior Court of Polk County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Wood, H. B. 1299, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Randolph County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Vestal, H. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to protect and prohibit the sale of game in Nash and Edgecombe Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Brinson, H. B. 1301, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate certain stock-law territory in Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1302, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 237, Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to working public roads in Pamlico County, and adopt the provisions of the Revisal of 1905 in lieu thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 1303, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Aldermen of the Town of Bryson City to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1304, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize the marriage of William Savnook and Minnie Savnook, nee Bradley.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of H. C. Keeney, Sheriff of Franklin County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled an act establishing and incorporating the Haw Valley School District, Burlington Township, Alamance County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1307, a bill to be entitled an act to define and establish the boundaries of School District Number 1, in Columbus County, including the town of Whiteville.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Williams, H. B. 1308, a bill to be entitled an act to preserve certain records of Duplin County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and restore the office of Treasurer of Wilkes County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bickett, H. R. 1310, joint resolution to appoint joint committee to consider S. B. 725 and H. B. 407.

Placed on the Calendar.

Passes its second and third readings and the bill is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Semora Graded School District, in Caswell County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the crime of vagrancy and provide for the enforcement thereof.

Mr. Ehringhaus offers an amendment.

Mr. Douglass calls the previous question and demands the ayes and noes.

Mr. Murphy sends forward an amendment.

The amendment of Mr. Ehringhaus is lost.

Mr. Murphy withdraws his amendment.

Mr. Whitley moves to lay the bill on the table.

The motion to table is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The bill passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.
H. B. 717, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3323 and 3765 of chapter 81 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stone-horses running at large in Hatteras Township, in Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1258, S. B. 766, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Electric Railway, Light and Power Company, being chapter 32 of the Laws of 1883.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

On motion of Mr. Cox, S. B. 417, H. B. 864, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the monopoly granted to a public ferry established across the Yadkin River by chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1895.

Is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1195, a revenue act, is made the special order for Thursday at 12 o'clock, noon.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to codify the law in regard to the negligence of telegraph companies in mental anguish cases.

The following gentlemen offer amendments: Messrs. Vann and Manning.

The amendments of Messrs. Vann and Manning are adopted, and as amended the bill passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate announcing that it had received a communication from the House of Representatives as to the nonconcurrence in the Senate amendment and the appointment of a conference committee upon H. B. 374, S. B. 603, a bill to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons, and reports to the House that the following Senators have been appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee on the part of the House: Senators Graham, Reid and Thorne.

The House takes into consideration H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in this State and punish fraud thereat.

Several amendments are offered.

All amendments except those marked adopted are withdrawn, and as amended the bill passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.
Pursuant to recess, the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice and resumes consideration of the bills on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Gillam, the courtesies of the floor are extended to Hon. W. P. Shaw of Hertford County, and on motion of Mr. Douglass, the same courtesies are extended to ex-Senator Norris of Wake County.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 220, S. B. 298, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent delay in settling statements of cases on appeal from Superior to Supreme Court.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 320, S. B. 290, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 773, Public Laws of 1905, in reference to trials of real actions in Hertford County, where the records have been destroyed.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 386, S. B. 733, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special school district in Caswell County, to be known as School District No. 7.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in this State and punish frauds thereat.

As amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to the advertising of real property.

Mr. Stevens offers an amendment.
Mr. Mangum offers an amendment.
Mr. Owen and other gentlemen offer amendments.

Upon motion of Mr. Lockhart, the bill and all amendments are laid on the table.

H. B. 792, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the hours of service of employees of railroad companies engaged in the operation of trains.

Mr. Taylor of Brunswick sends forward an amendment.
Mr. Harris offers an amendment.
Mr. Clifford offers an amendment.

Mr. Clifford sends forward an amendment to H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled an act to promote safety of travel on railroads and to
prohibit the moving of ordinary freight trains on Sunday, and offers this bill with his amendment as a substitute for the pending bill.

Mr. Parsons offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Kitchin, the two bills and all amendments are recommitted to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 1042, S. B. 674, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 81, section 3758 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the intoxication of railroad employees.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 408, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing J. M. Edwards, Treasurer of Pigeon Township (Haywood County) Graded School, to pay out funds now in his hands belonging to said school.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 1881 and 1884 of the Revisal, prescribing the time for hunting deer and quail in Richmond County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 556, a bill to be entitled an act to require the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Rockingham County to keep an itemized statement of fees, and sheriffs to render to commissioners a verified statement.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 618, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Enfield Township, Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 757, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tidewater Fire Company.

As amended, passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 608, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and witnesses in Forsyth County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 620, a bill to be entitled an act relative to establishing a dispensary in the town of Bethel, Pitt County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 769, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the New Bern Bank and Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 841, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of wine in three miles of certain churches in Warren County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 656, S. B. 585, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain citizens of Hertford County.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of Cumberland Savings and Trust Company of Fayetteville, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to create a voting precinct at Ahoskie, in Hertford County, and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said county to make it a township and to appoint justices of the peace therein.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 848, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 275 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the fixing of salaries for the public offices of Guilford County and to increase the road fund.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 850, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Davidson County without consent of owner.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 877, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 406, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 812 of Public Laws of 1905, relating to a dispensary in the town of Oxford.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled an act amending chapter 345 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1899.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 970, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Craven County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 972, S. B. 617, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Wachovia Loan and Trust Company of Winston-Salem.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 976, S. B. 622, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 504, Public Laws of 1899, relating to schools in Columbus County.
Passes its second reading and is ordered on the Calendar.

H. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a digest of the decisions of the Supreme Court of North Carolina.
The bill fails to pass its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

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THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

February 21, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Marshall, of Raleigh.

Mr. Wells, for the Journal Committee, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Wood, Harshaw and Williams.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Midyette, a petition asking for the repeal of the act establishing the Jackson dispensary.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Harris, a petition from thousands of citizens of North Carolina, to-wit, from the counties of Bertie, Bladen, Cumberland, Chatham, Cleveland, Edgecombe, Franklin, Gaston, Gates, Halifax, Hertford, Johnston, Moore, Mecklenburg, Martin, Northampton, New Hanover, Pitt, Richmond, Robeson, Randolph, Rutherford, Union, Vance, Warren, Wake, Wilkes and others, requesting the General Assembly of 1907 to pass the bills providing for licensing railroad telegraphers and for establishing the block system of operating trains and for limiting the hours of service of railroad employees.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Harshaw, a petition from citizens of Mitchell County for a new county and change of site of court-house.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.
REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Gilliam, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, H. B. 1108, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the catching of fish in Durham Creek, Bond's Creek and their tributaries, in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1107, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 283 of the Public Laws of 1905, in regard to fishing in South Creek, in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1122, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in the waters of Sampson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1175, a bill to be entitled an act to require fish in packages to have the weight branded on the package, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the redemption of the bonds issued by the county of Onslow under the provisions of chapter 233, Acts of 1885, and acts amendatory thereto, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Parker, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of H. C. Kearney, Sheriff of Franklin County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled an act to make husband and wife tenants in common, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 919, S. B. 52, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Wilmington a special court, to be called the Recorder's Court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled, an act to create a Recorder's Court for the city of Wilmington, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1212, S. B. 654, a bill to be entitled an act to change the rule of evidence in certain cases, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1092, S. B. 355, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2916 of the Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1308, a bill to be entitled an act to preserve certain records of Duplin County.

H. B. 1254, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2017 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the sale of personal property, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subdivision 20, chapter 89, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Agricultural and Mechanical College (White)," with a favorable report as amended by the committee.
H. B. S36, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the support and maintenance of the State Normal and Industrial College, to erect a science building and to increase the dormitory capacity.

H. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Semora Graded School District, in Caswell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McDaniel, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 929, S. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in the counties of Cherokee and Macon, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Blount, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 583, a bill to be entitled an act to stimulate high school instruction in the public schools of the State, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 990, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue bonds for the construction and erection of a sewerage disposal plant and to improve and extend the sewerage system of the city of Durham.

H. B. 989, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue bonds for the purpose of improving the streets and sidewalks of the city of Durham.

H. B. 1279, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, an act to incorporate the town of Wendell, in Wake County.

H. B. 1303, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Aldermen of the town of Bryson City to issue bonds.

H. B. 1238, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement and maintenance of the streets and sidewalks of Hickory, Catawba County.

H. B. 1237, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Hickory to establish and operate an electric light plant and to issue bonds therefor.

H. B. 1047, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Manteo.

H. B. 1224, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Belhaven, Beaufort County, to issue bonds.

H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Canton to issue bonds amounting to $65,000 for a water supply, sewerage, electric lights and graded school building and street improvements, and to levy a special tax to meet the interest and pay said bonds, and for the maintenance of graded schools.

H. B. 1050, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Evergreen, in Columbus County.
H. B. 1068, S. B. 692, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stokesdale, in the county of Guilford.

H. B. 1136, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness incurred in erecting a new court-house.

H. B. 1085, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to designate and purchase a new site for a court-house and to purchase additional lands for the county home and work-house.

H. B. 1111, a bill to be entitled an act to re-charter the town of Beaufort, Beaufort County, and to repeal former charters, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Galt, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 77, Tract No. 1312.

H. B. 1222, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 70, in Cherokee County, North Carolina.

H. B. 343, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 426, Public Laws of 1905, in regard to assessment of real estate of railroad companies in stock-law territory, to apply to Wayne County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1284, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the manner of selecting jurors in capital cases, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, for the Committee on Federal Relations, H. R. 1166, a resolution relating to an amendment to the United States Constitution to provide for the election of United States Senators, without prejudice.

H. R. 1150, S. R. 767, a resolution of the General Assembly of North Carolina requesting the Senators and Representatives in Congress from North Carolina to use their influence to secure proper appropriations for carrying out the scheme to improve the Cape Fear River as recommended by General McKenzie, Chief Engineer of the Army, without prejudice.

By Mr. Midyette, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1173, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2776 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fees for registering short-form mortgages.

H. B. 1265, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 7071, of Macon County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 864, S. B. 417, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the monopoly granted to a public ferry established across the Yadkin River by chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1895, with a favorable report as to the bill, unfavorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1209, S. B. 750, a bill to be entitled an act to in-
crease the number of Commissioners for the county of Sampson and to appoint the same.

On motion of Mr. Owen, the bill is made a special order for next Thursday night.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Grant, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to codify the law in regard to the negligence of telegraph companies in mental anguish cases.

H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Windsor Graded School District, in Bertie County.

H. B. 653, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Mt. Gilead Church, in Sampson County.

H. B. 880, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Cameron, Moore County.

H. B. 655, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Harrellsville, in Hertford County, chapter 138, Private Laws of 1883.

H. B. 717, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3323 and 3705 of chapter 81 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stone-horses running at large in Hatteras Township, in Dare County.

H. B. 881, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Franklinsville Graded School, Randolph County.

H. B. 885, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine and cider within three miles of Hickory Grove Baptist Church, in Bladen County.

H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled an act to ratify and make valid the nuncupative will of the late Floyd Crous of Alleghany County.

H. B. 906, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3481 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with reference to hunting upon the lands of another without written permission.

H. B. 945, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe and fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Beaufort County.

H. B. 946, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County.

H. B. 994, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 641, Public Laws of 1905, relative to levying a special tax for building a new court-house for Carteret County.

H. B. 995, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit hunting and fishing without written permission in Cross Roads Township, in Martin County.

H. B. 997, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1311 of chapter 23 of the Revisal of 1905.
H. B. 1002, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredations of domestic fowls in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382, chapter 81, of the Revisal, relative to obstructing streams in Watauga County.

H. B. 1065, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 81, section 3382, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to throwing sawdust into streams.

H. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the provisions of chapter 391 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to special tax in Rowan County.

H. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled an act amending chapter 1850 of the Revisal, relating to drawing Jurors in Rowan County.

H. B. 1221, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2784 of the Revisal of 1905, increasing the pay of registrars and judges of election to $2 per day.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 751, S. B. 846, an act to amend chapter 214 of the Public Laws of 1903, in reference to putting sawdust in the streams of Graham County.

H. B. 841, S. B. 861, an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the town of Gastonia to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 for street improvements, graded schools, water-works, sewerage, electric lights and payment of floating debt.

H. B. 941, S. B. 861, an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County.

H. B. 797, S. B. 592, an act creating a school district in Jackson and Ferrell's Townships, Nash County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1172, S. B. 897, an act to prohibit the sale of liquor within one mile of a certain church in Carteret County.

H. B. 1011, S. B. 885, an act to incorporate the Yadkin Mineral Springs Academy and Palmerville Baptist Church.

H. B. 798, S. B. 618, an act to provide additional terms of court for Beaufort and Washington Counties.

H. B. 676, S. B. 780, an act to repeal chapter 409 of the Private Laws of 1905, relative to the charter of the town of Hendersonville.

H. B. 603, S. B. 837, an act to create a free school district in McDowell County.

H. B. 948, S. B. 863, an act for the relief of J. L. Mitchell, Clerk of the Superior Court of Caswell County.

H. B. 750, S. B. 879, an act to amend the charter of the Southern Presbyterian College and Conservatory of Music.

H. B. 964, S. B. 864, an act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust into certain streams of Cleveland and Rutherford Counties.

H. B. 999, S. B. 865, an act to amend chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1905, with reference to sawdust in Macon County.
H. B. 957, S. B. 857, an act to incorporate West Albemarle Baptist Church.

H. B. 928, S. B. 880, an act to amend chapter 729, Public Laws of 1901, relating to the public roads of Durham County.

H. B. 1129, S. B. 894, an act to authorize the Commissioners of New Hanover County to pay fees to justices of the peace where the prisoner is sent to the county roads to work out the costs.

H. B. 820, S. B. 848, an act to authorize the trustees of Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church, of Rowan County, to disinter, remove and reinter the dead bodies buried in the old graveyard of that church.

H. B. 1188, S. B. 900, an act to repeal chapter 653, Public Laws of 1905, relating to the working of public roads of Perquimans County.

H. B. 1096, S. B. 884, an act to amend section 11, chapter 636, of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to the distribution of the funds derived from dispensaries in Jones County.

H. B. 1257, S. B. 929, an act to amend the charter of the Gastonia Cotton Manufacturing Company.

H. B. 1140, S. B. 895, an act to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Alleghany County to supplement the education fund.

H. B. 962, S. B. 856, an act to allow the Board of Commissioners of Cabarrus County to sell the property on which is located the common jail.

H. B. 708, S. B. 794, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to place certain money in the general county fund.

H. B. 855, S. B. 796, an act to incorporate the town of Stout, in Union County, North Carolina.

H. B. 970, S. B. 639, an act to establish a graded school in the Fletcher Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

H. B. 862, S. B. 547, an act to regulate the construction and improvement of the public roads of the county of Yadkin.

H. B. 952, S. B. 855, an act to authorize the appointment of special tax collectors for the counties of Hertford and Northampton.

H. B. 888, S. B. 797, an act to enable the town of Laurinburg to fund its outstanding indebtedness contracted for necessaries, and to authorize the levy and collection of taxes to meet same.

H. B. 1056, S. B. 867, an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Pender County to make an appropriation out of the county school fund to aid the Pender County Woman's Association for the Betterment of Public Schools.

H. B. 1187, S. B. 877, an act authorizing the Wilkesboro and Jefferson Turnpike to be amended and converted into a steam or electric railroad.

H. B. 184, S. B. 787, an act to repeal chapter 300 of the Public Laws of 1901 and chapter 164 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the drainage of certain creeks in Henderson County.

H. B. 1072, S. B. 889, an act to authorize P. G. McNeill, late Sheriff
of Ashe County, and T. K. Miller and others, his bondsmen, to collect back taxes.

H. B. 946, S. B. 862, an act to repeal chapter 578 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to putting sawdust in certain streams in Ashe County.

H. B. 1070, S. B. 888, an act to authorize Ambrose Clark, late Sheriff of Ashe County, to collect back taxes.

H. B. 949, S. B. 870, an act to incorporate Carolina Methodist College.

H. B. 785, S. B. 860, an act relating to the Building and Loan Association in Cleveland County.

H. B. 822, S. B. 849, an act to prevent the killing of squirrels in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1084, S. B. 863, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Durham County.

H. B. 824, S. B. 872, an act to incorporate the Graham Collegiate Institute.

H. B. 1084, S. B. 890, an act to appoint Joseph T. Waldo a justice of the peace and to allow him to practice law.

H. B. 947, S. B. 869, an act to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts of Bladen County.

H. B. 823, S. B. 871, an act to regulate killing doves in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 861, S. B. 851, an act for the relief of Jack Parker (colored).

H. B. 852, S. B. 852, an act to incorporate Matheson School-house, in Pee Dee Township, Montgomery County.

H. B. 965, S. B. 882, an act to incorporate Forney's Creek Baptist Church, in Swain County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1219, S. B. 868, an act to fix and regulate the times for holding the Superior Courts in Lenoir County.

H. B. 1106, S. B. 874, an act to allow Martin County to elect two or more County Commissioners at the next regular election.

H. B. 1001, S. B. 858, an act to appoint justices of the peace in Nash County.

H. B. 697, S. B. 701, an act to amend chapter 115, section 5, of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1899.

H. B. 980, S. B. 641, an act to establish a graded school in the Pleasant Hill Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

H. B. 913, S. B. 853, an act to amend section 1409 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1005, S. B. 859, an act to prohibit the sale of whiskey, brandy, cider and cigarettes within three miles of Boiling Springs High School (Incorporated) and Boiling Springs Baptist Church, in Cleveland County.

H. B. 967, S. B. 875, an act to empower the Moore's Creek Monumental Association to preserve order and to protect persons and premises.

H. B. 1082, S. B. 892, an act to amend an act entitled an act to
authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to issue
bonds in the sum of $300,000 to build, macadamize and improve the
public roads of said county, ratified on the 31st day of January, 1907.
H. B. 1151, S. B. 899, an act for the relief of W. T. Bryant and Miss
Olive Anderson, public school teachers of Caswell County.
H. B. 702, S. B. 793, an act to extend the police jurisdiction of the
city of High Point.
H. B. 752, S. B. 795, an act to amend the Laws of 1901 and 1905,
relative to the East Bend Graded School District, in Yadkin County.
H. B. 1174, S. B. 898, an act to amend the charter of the city of
Wilmingtong, so as to provide for the maintenance of a free library.
H. B. 914, S. B. 854, an act to empower the Board of Commissioners
of Franklin County to sell and convey a part of the county land.
H. B. 881, S. B. 840, an act to establish a graded school in the Crab
Creek Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.
H. B. 863, S. B. 550, an act to establish graded schools in the town
of Elizabeth City.
H. B. 831, S. B. 881, an act to create and establish a free school dis-
trict at the county line between the counties of Montgomery and
Moore, to be composed of a portion of the county of Moore and a por-
tion of the county of Montgomery.
H. B. 1004, S. B. 883, an act to amend chapter 48, Public Laws of
1903, entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public
roads and highways of Cleveland County.
H. B. 1081, S. B. 891, an act to amend chapter 690, Public Laws of
1901, same being entitled an act to encourage the building of pulp
mills and paper mills and tanneries in the counties of Haywood and
Swain.
H. B. 1029, S. B. 866, an act to establish a chain-gang in the county
of Richmond and to work convicts upon the public roads of said
county.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate requesting the return of S. B.
497, H. B. 806, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of
Commissioners of Pitt County to issue bonds in the sum of $200,000
to build and improve the public roads of said county.
It is so ordered, and the bill is properly returned to the Senate as
requested.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following
bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 817, H. B. 1312, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the char-
ter of the town of Cherryville, in Gaston County.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 809, H. B. 1313, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the people
of Brevard Township, in the county of Transylvania, to vote bonds
for the purpose of macadamizing certain public roads and streets of said township.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 827, H. B. 1314, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Harnett County to levy a special tax to pay the expenses of building a stock-law fence in portions of Barbecue and Upper Little River Townships.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 818, H. B. 1315, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Big Beaver Dam Creek, in Gaston County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 765, H. B. 1316, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to macadamize and improve the public roads thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 829, H. B. 1317, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 351 of the Laws of 1901, establishing a graded school in the town of Marion.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 812, H. B. 1318, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 648 of the Public Laws of 1905, enacted for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 820, H. B. 1319, a bill to be entitled an act to secure better drainage of water of North Prong of South Fork Creek, in Forsyth County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 919, H. B. 1320, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2000 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to shipment of liquor in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 921, H. B. 1321, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and re-enact chapter 236, Public Laws of 1897, incorporating the Yadkin River Power Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 805, H. B. 1322, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment and enlargement of libraries in the public schools of the rural districts of Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 824, H. B. 1323, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Lincolnton, N. C., to convey certain lands belonging to the town of Lincolnton.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 933, H. B. 1324, a bill to be entitled an act to provide and regulate primary elections and conventions of political parties in Robeson County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 810, H. B. 1325, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Gaston County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
S. B. 918, H. B. 1326, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Watauga County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 923, H. B. 1327, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 391 of the Public Laws of 1903.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 783, H. B. 1328, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the public roads of Hillsboro Township, Orange County, and to authorize the Commissioners of Orange County to call an election in said township on the question of issuing bonds to improve and macadamize the roads of said township.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
S. B. 752, H. B. 1329, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of the lowlands of Abbott's Creek and its tributaries, in the counties of Forsyth and Davidson.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 845, H. B. 1330, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Reidsville to issue bonds for the establishment of a system of sewerage and for street improvements.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.
S. B. 922, H. B. 1331, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revisal of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
S. B. 668, H. B. 1332, a bill to be entitled an act to compel deaf children to attend school.

Referred to the Committee on Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb.
S. B. 551, H. B. 1333, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1046, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, providing for payment of fees to register of deeds for cancellation of mortgage and trust deeds.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 786, H. B. 1334, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to authorize Winston Township and other townships, cities or towns to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point to Winston-Salem, N. C., ratified the 14th day of February, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 753, H. B. 1335, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Belmont, in Gaston County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. R. 927, H. R. 1336, a joint resolution in reference to a statue of
Governor Z. B. Vance to be placed in Statuary Hall in Washington City.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 844, H. B. 1337, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Madison to issue bonds in the sum of $200,000.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 807, H. B. 1338, a bill to be entitled an act to create the office of tax collector for Polk County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 314, H. B. 1339, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Madison to issue bonds in the sum of $200,000.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 813, H. B. 1340, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Madison to issue bonds in the sum of $200,000.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 673, H. B. 1342, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Mechanics and Farmers Bank at Durham, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 751, H. B. 1343, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the School Committee of the City of Asheville to take under control the free kindergarten of the city of Asheville.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 773, H. B. 1344, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Governor to employ counsel to appear before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

S. B. 842, H. B. 1139, a bill to be entitled an act relative to hunting wild fowl in Currituck County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Whiteville, Columbus County, to order an election and issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 1347, a bill to be entitled an act to protect dogs which have been duly listed for taxation in Halifax County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 1348, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Murphy, Cherokee County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1349, substitute bill to be entitled an act for improving and macadamizing the public roads of the different townships in Cherokee County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a court-house.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bowman, H. B. 1351, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and provide for the organization of the county of Park from parts of Mitchell and Watauga Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 1352, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the dispensary in Jackson and to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in Jackson, Northampton County, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 1353, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Lenoir County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1354, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 620 of the Laws of 1905, relating to the Ayden dispensary.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1355, a bill to be entitled an act to work the roads by taxes in the townships of Craven County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 1356, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between the Third and Ninth Townships of Craven County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 1357, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 71 of the Public Laws of 1901, in relation to the public schools of the city of Durham.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 1358, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Durham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 1359, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of Mapleville Graded School District, in Franklin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 1360, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent
the obstruction of the flow of water in the drainways of Tyrrell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1361, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of A. K. Watts.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1362, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Lilesville Township, Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 569 of the Public Laws of 1903, the Morven Township road law.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1364, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1365, a bill to be entitled an act to remove any doubt as to whether chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 339, Public Laws of 1905, known as the Watts and Ward laws, apply to Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Candler, H. B. 1366, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 177 of the Private Laws of 1889, relating to the charter of Dillsboro, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Coleman, H. B. 1367, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act passed at this session of the General Assembly to provide for working the roads and highways of Clay County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bailey, H. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to levy a tax to build a courthouse in Madison County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1369, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in certain townships in Madison County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1370, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a home for the aged and infirm in Madison County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Simpson, H. B. 1371, a bill to be entitled an act to protect fish in Speight's mill-pond, in Gates County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 1372, a bill to be entitled an act to protect certain game in Cleveland and part of Burke counties.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1373, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Public School District No. 72, of Cleveland County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1374, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the city of Fayetteville to sell or lease its electric plant or to contract for the operation thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Grant, H. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Mocksville graded schools.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1376, a bill to be entitled an act to require railroad companies to record deeds and contracts for rights-of-way and easements.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 1377, a bill to be entitled an act to provide machinery for a legalized primary election in Guilford County and the city of Greensboro.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Watts, H. B. 1378, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate pay of jurors in Alexander County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Albright, H. B. 1379, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Mt. Airy.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 1380, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Creswell, in Washington County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1381, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4111, 4152 and 4153 of the Revisal of 1905, giving the county boards of education co-ordinate powers with the county commissioners in control of county school funds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 1382, a bill to be entitled a supplement to a bill amendatory of a law ratified on the 23d day of January, 1907, to provide for the election of cotton-weighers for Union County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1383, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 441, Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1384, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent bird netting in Davidson County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4731 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the investment of capital of insurance companies.

By Mr. Mangum, H. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a close season for hunting quail and partridges in the county of Gaston.

Placed on the Calendar.
On motion of Mr. Midyette, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Representative Gay, of Northampton. The same courtesies are extended to Mr. McNinch, of Mecklenburg, ex-Senator White, of Franklin, and ex-Senator McNeill, of Cumberland.

On motion of Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled an act establishing and incorporating the Haw Valley School District, in Burlington Township, Alamance County, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 846, a bill to be entitled an act for improving and macadamizing public roads in the different townships of Cherokee County, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Turlington, H. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and restore the office of Treasurer of Wilkes County, North Carolina, is taken from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

On motion of Mr. Bickett, the vote by which H. R. 1310, joint resolution to appoint joint committee to consider S. B. 725 and H. B. 497, passed its third reading is reconsidered and the bill takes its place on the Calendar.

Mr. Bickett moves that the bill be tabled.

The motion prevails and the bill is laid on the table.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal, section 5361, in reference to republishing the Supreme Court Reports.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1151, S. B. 741, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and direct interurban railway companies to build and maintain water-power plants.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

The hour for the special order having arrived, it being consideration of H. B. 1195, an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905, on motion of Mr. Doughton, the House goes into committee of the whole, with Mr. Royster in the chair, for the consideration of the pending bill.

On motion of Mr. Royster, the committee of the whole rises and the House is called to order. The committee of the whole reports progress through its chairman, Mr. Royster, as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:—The committee of the whole House, having under consideration H. B. 1195, an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905, being the Revenue Act, recommend the adoption of the
following sections, to-wit: Sections 1, 2, 3, 4; section 6 as amended; sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and section 23 as amended; sections 24, 25, 26, 27, and section 28 as amended; section 29 as amended; section 30 as amended; sections 31, 32, 33 and 34; section 35 as amended by the committee.

B. S. ROYSTER, Chairman.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, further consideration of the bill is made a special order for to-morrow at the expiration of the morning hour.

On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, as amended by Mr. Justice, the House takes a recess until to-night at 7:30.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice and resumes consideration of bills on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1211, S. B. 260, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2235, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to days of grace and when allowed, and H. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2234 of the Revisal, relating to days of grace, etc., are called from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2 and recommitted to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

The Calendar.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 864, S. B. 417, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the monopoly granted to a public ferry established across the Yadkin River by chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1895.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1255, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Hookerton, Greene County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 343, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 426, Public Laws of 1905, in regard to assessment of real estate of railroad companies in stock-law territory, to apply to Wayne County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1053, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to prohibit sawdust from being thrown into streams of Mitchell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1061, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of game in Guilford County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1067, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for holding courts in Ashe County, amending section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1113, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 596 of the Public Laws of 1905, same being an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Pasquotank County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1211, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the throwing of sawdust into South River, in Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1122, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in the waters of Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1230, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Rock Hill Baptist Church, in Swain County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1231, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 375 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the Waynesville Township bond issue.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1232, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent snatch-block fishing in Cashie and Middle Rivers.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1275, a bill to be entitled an act making it unlawful to enter the bed of Little River, in Richmond and Montgomery Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1276, a bill to be entitled an act repealing chapter 753 of the Laws of 1903, as to Richmond County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1285, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for legalized primary elections in the county of Scotland.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1358, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointing of a court stenographer of Durham County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of Mapleville Graded School District, in Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1360, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the obstruction of the flow of water in the drainways of Tyrrell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a close season for hunting quail and partridges in the county of Gaston.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City, N. C., relative to the mayor's salary.

Passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1354, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 620 of the Laws of 1905, relating to the Ayden dispensary.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1357, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 71 of the Public Laws of 1901, in relation to the public schools of the city of Durham.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1356, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between the Third and Ninth Townships of Craven County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1265, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 7071, of Macon County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1268, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the streams in Burke County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1277, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1177, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County, and to prevent the transportation or delivery of intoxicating liquors in said county.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1155, S. B. 672, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 89 of the Private Laws of 1905, the same being an act to incorporate the Tuckaseigee Railway Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Cooper's Gap Township, Polk County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1108, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the catching of fish in Durham Creek, Bond's Creek and their tributaries in Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1109, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the office of standard-keeper and public weigher for Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1110, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of deer and summer duck in Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1077, a bill to be entitled an act to require express companies to pay claims for loss or damage to property.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1078, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unlawful to keep liquor for sale in Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1083, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of the County Commissioners of Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 714, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a charter for the town of Kelford and appointing officers for said town.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 920, S. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquors in the counties of Cherokee and Macon.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 976, S. B. 602, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 504, Public Laws of 1899, relating to schools in Columbus County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1000, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain citizens of Cherokee, Clay and Graham Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1021, S. B. 621, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified the 21st day of January, 1907, entitled an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous, malt or vinous liquors within one mile of Maple Creek Church, Nash County, North Carolina.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Clerk of the Court of Richmond County to turn over certain funds to the school fund of said county.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1104, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, relating to throwing sawdust in the streams of Cherokee County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1105, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within four miles of Kee's Fork Public School House, in Gates County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1107, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 283 of the Public Laws of 1905, in regard to fishing in South Creek, Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1130, a bill to be entitled an act to establish an institute to provide Christian education and manual training for boys and girls, and to do institutional work in the mountains of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1135, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting in certain territory in Randolph County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1142, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a term of court for the trial of civil cases exclusively in Brunswick County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 77, Tract No. 1312.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1226, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mary A. Watkins, a public school teacher of Anson County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1227, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. A. Henry, a public school teacher of Anson County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1208, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer, pheasant and grouse in certain counties in North Carolina.
As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1210, S. B. 785, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Meroney Church, in Chatham County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1222, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 79, in Cherokee County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1247, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a Board of Education for Randolph County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1248, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 439, Laws of 1905, extending the time for hunting to two months instead of one in certain territory in Randolph County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1249, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 322, Public Laws of 1905, so as to extend the time of hunting one month in certain territory in Randolph County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1240, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of adulterated cider in Mecklenburg County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1241, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Directors of the State Normal and Industrial College to grant the use of the President's house to the widow of the late president.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1246, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the compensation of the commissioners of Hyde County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1307, a bill to be entitled an act to define and establish the boundaries of School District No. 1, Columbus County, including the town of Whiteville.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1308, a bill to be entitled an act to define and establish the boundaries of School District No. 1, Columbus County, including the town of Whiteville.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1308, a bill to be entitled an act to preserve certain records of Duplin County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1347, a bill to be entitled an act to protect dogs which have been listed for taxation, in Halifax County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1377, a bill to be entitled an act to provide machinery for a legalized primary election in Guilford County and the city of Greensboro.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1378, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Alexander County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1382, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to a bill amendatory of a law ratified on the 23d day of January, 1907, to provide for the election of cotton-weighers for Union County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1361, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of A. R. Watts.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1367, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act passed at this session of the General Assembly, to provide for the working of the roads and highways of Clay County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1372, a bill to be entitled an act to protect certain game in Cleveland and part of Burke Counties.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Robeson County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1298, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. B. Edwards, Clerk of the Superior Court of Polk County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of H. C. Kearney, Sheriff of Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1286, a bill to be entitled an act to give further jurisdiction to process officers in the matter of unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors in Cabarrus County, and to amend section 5301 of the Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between Brassfield and Fishing Creek Townships in Granville County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a board of audit and finance for the county of Robeson, and to fix the duties of the same.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1250, a bill to be entitled an act to protect Ryland School from the sale of liquors, and from drunkenness and profanity.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1259, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to charter of the town of Columbia.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1252, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of A. B. Suttle, Sheriff of Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1145, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Chatham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1149, S. B. 759, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend chapter 1882 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to hunting, killing, etc., of squirrels in Lenoir County, which was ratified on the 4th day of February, 1907.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1173, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2776 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fees for registering short form mortgages.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1089, a bill to be entitled an act to supply certain lost records of Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1091, S. B. 265, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unlawful cutting of timber and to prevent the damage which may happen by firing woods.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1100, a bill to be entitled an act changing the line between Wolf Creek and Mark's Creek Townships of Richmond County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1031, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a school district in Yancey County

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1045, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Guilford County to place the management and control of all schools which have voted for the same special school tax in one township under one committee.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1047, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Manteo.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 15, Private Laws of 1905, being the charter of Elizabeth City, and to authorize the board of aldermen of said city to issue bonds and levy a tax for street improvements.

Substitute is adopted, and passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hanes, Helsebeck, Jacobson, John,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 674, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Virginia and Eastern Carolina Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 842, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the road law in Smith Creek Township, Warren County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 843, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the road law in Six Pound Township, Warren County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 935, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the graded schools in the town of Waynesville and to provide for the issuance of bonds to purchase land and construct and equip an additional building.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 940, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Hot Springs.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 989, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Dur-
ham to issue bonds for the purpose of improving and repairing the streets and sidewalks in the city of Durham.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 900, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue bonds for the construction and erection of a sewerage disposing plant and to improve and extend the sewerage system of the city of Durham.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1050, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Evergreen, in Columbus County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1055, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Trustees of Belhaven Graded School District to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a graded school building at Belhaven, N. C., passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1059, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Wilkes County, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1062, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Thomasville to issue bonds for public improvements, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Farthing, Foushee, Galtett, Galloway

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1075, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brookford, in Catawba County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1085, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Durham County to designate and purchase a new site for a court-house, and to purchase additional lands for the county home and work-house.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1095, S. B. 661, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of the Town of Tarboro to issue bonds to improve the streets, after first submitting the question of the bond issue to the people.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1098, S. B. 692, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stokesdale, in the county of Guilford.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1111, a bill to be entitled an act to recharter the town of Belhaven, Beaufort County, and to repeal the former charter.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

ard. Pugh, Rose, Simpson, Stickley, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, White, Whitley, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1114, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Madison District, Rockingham County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Transylvania County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1128, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Piedmont and Atlantic Railway Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hanes, Helsebeck, Jacobson,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Mt. Gilead Township, Montgomery County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1136, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness incurred in erecting a new court-house.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1157, S. B. 491, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and re-enact chapter 109, Public Laws of 1905, and to establish a Public Graded School District in Stokes County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Murphy, in Cherokee County, to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Murphy, in Cherokee County to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Midyette, Morton, Mull, Park, Parsons, Pickett, Preston, Pritchard, Pugh, Rose, Simpson, Stickley, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, White, Whitley, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Anson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1170, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Columbia. Private Laws of 1899, chapter 147, section 2.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1178, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads in Selma Township, in Johnston County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Farthing, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hanes, Helsebeck, Jacobson,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1180, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Burnsville, in Yancey County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1182, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Hickory to issue bonds to pay off a debt contracted for sewerage extension.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1189, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Bonsal.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd,

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Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1190, a bill to be entitled an act to establish, construct and maintain a system of public roads in Madison County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing the Commissioners of Montgomery County to build a bridge across Little River at Toney’s Ford.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1203, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads in Richmond County.
As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Mebane.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1214, S. B. 735, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Garner.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1216, S. B. 748, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the road law of Polk County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1224, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Belhaven, Beaufort County, to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1237, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Hickory to establish and operate an electric-light plant and to issue bonds therefor.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Midyette, Morton, Mull, Park, Parsons, Pickett, Preston, Pritchard, Pugh, Rose, Simpson, Stickley, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, White, Whitley, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1238, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement and maintenance of the streets and sidewalks of Hickory, Catawba County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1245, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the issue of bonds by Louisburg Graded School District.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1253, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hookerton, in Greene County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde,
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1260, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Greeneville to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


H. B. 1264, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Iotla Graded School District, in Macon County, and provide for the running and maintenance of a graded school therein.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


H. B. 1273, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Greene County to levy a special tax.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1279, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, an act to incorporate the town of Wendell, in Wake County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1280, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of $500,000 for municipal ownership of water-works and sewerage.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mull, Park, Parsons, Pickett, Preston, Pritchard, Pugh, Rose, Simpson, Stickley, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, White, Whitley, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1281, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of $400,000 for street improvements.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1283, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the holding of an election in Liberty Township, Yadkin County, in regard to the Statesville Air Line Railroad.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the redemption of the bonds issued by the county of Onslow under the provision of chapter 233, Acts of 1885, and acts amendatory thereof.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Canton to issue bonds to the amount of $65,000 for the water supply, sewerage, electric lights, graded school building and street improvements, and to levy a special tax to meet the interest and pay said bonds and for the maintenance of the graded schools.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1303, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Aldermen of the town of Bryson City to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Semora Graded School District in Caswell County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 780, S. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:

Messrs. Bowman, Bryant, Burnett, Candler, Coleman, Crawford, Farthing, Gibbs, Grant, Hanes, Harshaw, Kennedy, Morgan, Pickett, Pugh, Rector, Rose, Taylor of Brunswick, White—18.

H. B. 827, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the public roads of Cedar Grove Township, Orange County, and to levy a special tax for said purpose.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Parsons, Pickett, Preston, Pritchard, Pugh, Rose, Simpson, Stickley, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, White, Whitley, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. S37, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Smithfield, N. C.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 942, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Pine Level.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 982, S. B. 638, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Rymer Special School Tax District, in Henderson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in amendment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 983, S. B. 637, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the Big Willow Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Rocky Mount, to be hereafter known as the City of Rocky Mount.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled an act to create a highway commission in Vance County and prescribe its duties.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1038, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissi- oners of Davie County to sell the present court-house and jail property and to issue bonds for the purpose of building a new court- house and jail and buy other property.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1054, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain the public roads of Mitchell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1076, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lingfield, in Craven County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1096, S. B. 696, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Wayne County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1097, S. B. 699, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a road commission and to improve the public roads of Wake County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Midyette, Morton, Mull, Park, Parsons, Pickett, Preston, Pritchard, Pugh, Rose, Simpson, Stickley, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, White, Whitley, Yount—68.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1132, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Rocky Mount Graded School District to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1143, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to levy a special tax for the support of the Carnegie Library.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker places before the House H. B. 212, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to promote and encourage the immigration of a desirable class of trained, industrious and economical farmers and other laborers to the State of North Carolina.

Mr. Albright sends forward an amendment.
Mr. Galloway of Greene offers an amendment.
Mr. Preston calls the previous question.
Call sustained.
Mr. Kennedy offers an amendment.
Mr. Crawford demands the ayes and noes.
The amendment of Mr. Galloway of Greene is adopted.
The question recurs upon the amendment of the committee.
The committee amendment to the substitute is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Kennedy is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Albright is adopted.
Upon the call of Mr. Crawford for the ayes and noes upon the passage of the bill as amended by the substitute upon its second reading, the following gentlemen are permitted to explain their vote:
Messrs. Bowman, Douglass, Kennedy.
Mr. Simpson and Mr. Wells are paired. Mr. Simpson would have voted aye, Mr. Wells no.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
The following gentlemen vote in the negative:
The question recurs upon the adoption of the substitute upon its third reading.
Mr. Ehringhaus offers an amendment, which is adopted.
The substitute passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.
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THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

February 22, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, petition of citizens of Carteret relative to killing of deer in Carteret County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Watts, petition from citizens of Alexander County relative to public drunkenness.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

On motion of Mr. Yount, H. B. 1019, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3844 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to railroads carrying freight, is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Hollowell, the vote by which H. B. 1096, S. B. 696, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Wayne County, passed its third reading is reconsidered, and the bill placed upon the Calendar for amendment.

On motion of Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1206, S. B. 543, a bill to be entitled an act to restore the profession and practice of dentistry to its former position as a branch of medicine and surgery, is taken from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2 and recommitted to the Committee on Health.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1270, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Aurora Graded School District, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 1193, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the holding of House—34
Superior Courts of Wilkes County, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for holding the courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1317, S. B. 829, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 351 of the Laws of 1901, establishing a graded school in the town of Marion, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1344, S. B. 758, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the School Committee of the City Asheville to take under control the free kindergarten of the city of Asheville.

H. B. 1340, S. B. 778, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Lincoln County to create a public school district.

H. B. 1322, S. B. 805, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment and enlargement of libraries in the public schools of the rural districts of Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1330, S. B. 845, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Reidsville to issue bonds for the establishment of a system of sewerage and for street improvements, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Edgerton, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 571, S. B. 345, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3052 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to water supplies.

H. B. 1229, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act repealing chapter 84 of the Private Laws of 1897, entitled an act to incorporate the Auxiliary Board of Health of Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1060, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State Board of Health to provide for the preventive treatment of hydrophobia.

H. B. 1339, S. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the spread of infectious and contagious diseases in Robeson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 423, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of customers of barber shops, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gordon, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1099, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 65, Public Laws of 1905, relative to sheriffs and tax collectors, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1304, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize the marriage of William Savnook and Minnie Savnook, see Bradley, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grant, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1352, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the dispensary in Jackson, and to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in Jackson, Northampton County, North Carolina.
H. B. 1365, a bill to be entitled an act to remove any doubt as to whether chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 339, Public Laws of 1905, known as the Watts and Ward laws, apply to Buncombe County.

H. B. 1239, a bill to be entitled an act to amend 2075 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the qualification of dispensary commissioners.

H. B. 1003, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the act establishing a dispensary in Roxboro, Person County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davidson of Iredell, H. B. 1046, a bill to be entitled an act to allow J. L. Lance, of Transylvania County, a fourth class Confederate pension.

H. B. 730, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Martha Bell, Mrs. Lydia Temple and Mrs. Amelia Ballance, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, for the Committee on Pensions, H. B. 1120, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pension of Confederate soldiers and widows of such in Cumberland County, and to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to levy a special tax therefore, with a favorable report.

H. B. 902, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Elizabeth Brown, widow of a Confederate soldier, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1014, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Quati Chee-tosky, a Confederate pensioner, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of spirituous liquors in the city of Hickory, Catawba County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1071, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 348 of the Public Laws of 1899, relating to a toll gate on Mulberry Gap road, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1323, S. B. 824, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the town of Lincolnton to sell certain town lots belonging to the town, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 845, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of H. Sneed and Thomas Taylor, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1329, S. B. 752, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of the low lands of Abbott's Creek and its tributaries in the counties of Forsyth and Davidson.

H. B. 1217, S. B. 645, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. S. Rhodes, Treasurer of Henderson County.
H. B. S59, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Haywood County to purchase a home for the aged, infirm and poor indigents.

H. B. 1262, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Phillips Chapel Methodist Episcopal Church, in Thompson Township, Alamance County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1315, S. B. S18, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Big Beaver Dam Creek, in Gaston County.

H. B. 1319, S. B. S20, a bill to be entitled an act to secure better drainage of the waters of North Prong of South Fork Creek, in Forsyth County.

H. B. 1343, S. B. 751, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Belew’s Creek and its tributaries, in the county of Forsyth.

H. B. 1326, S. B. 918, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Watauga County.

H. B. 1324, S. B. 933, a bill to be entitled an act to provide and regulate primary elections and conventions of political parties in Robeson County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the same committee, H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in certain townships in Madison County, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Byrd, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1355, a bill to be entitled an act to work the roads by taxes in the townships of Craven County.

H. B. 1316, S. B. 765, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to macadamize and improve the public roads thereof.

H. B. 1328, S. B. 783, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the public roads of Hillsboro Township, Orange County, and to authorize the Commissioners of Orange County to call an election in said township on the question of issuing bonds to improve and macadamize the roads of said township.

H. B. 1325, S. B. 810, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Gaston County.

H. B. 1302, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 237. Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to working the public roads in Pamlico County, and to adopt the provisions of the Revisal of 1905 in lieu thereof.

H. B. 1295, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt ministers of the gospel from the duty of working the public roads.

H. B. 1318, S. B. S12, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 648 of the Public Laws of 1905, enacted for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Griffin, for the Committee on Pensions, H. B. S40, a bill to
be entitled an act for the relief of John A. Correll, a disabled Confederate soldier.

H. B. 1068, a bill to be entitled an act to add the name of William H. Witherspoon of Ashe County to the pension roll of said county.

H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled an act to place Nancy M. Wise of Buncombe County on the Confederate pension roll, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1159, S. B. 842, a bill to be entitled an act relative to hunting wild fowl in Currituck County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davidson of Iredell, for the Committee on Pensions, H. R. 959, resolution concerning artificial legs for Confederate soldiers.

H. B. 1070, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Harrison Clark and J. A. Cook, ex-Confederate soldiers of Cleveland County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 1399, substitute for H. B.'s. 587 and 1193, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to holding Superior Courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District, with an unfavorable report as to H. B.'s. Nos. 587 and 1193, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Blount, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1431, substitute for H. B. 536 and H. B. 583, a bill to be entitled an act to stimulate high school instruction in the public schools of the State and teacher training, with an unfavorable report as to H. B. 536 and H. B. 583, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in this State and to punish frauds committed thereat.

H. B. 618, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Enfield Township, Halifax County.

H. B. 620, a bill to be entitled an act relative to establishing a dispensary in the town of Bethel, Pitt County.

H. B. 757, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tidewater Power Company.

H. B. 841, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of wine within three miles of certain churches in Warren County.

H. B. 850, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent hunting on the lands of another in Davidson County without consent of the owner.
A message is received from the Senate, transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 950, H. B. 1387, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the stock law for Watauga County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 949, H. B. 1388, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary of School District No. 21, in the county of Polk.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 946, H. B. 1389, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 3 of the Private Laws of 1905, creating the graded school district in Lincolnton.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 940, H. B. 1390, a bill to be entitled an act to define the boundaries of Jackson Township White School District No. 1, in Nash County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 939, H. B. 1391, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Home Savings Bank of the city of Greensboro, Guilford County, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 937, H. B. 1392, a bill to be entitled an act to promote navigation on Bennett’s Creek, in Gates County, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 934, H. B. 1393, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lillington.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 825, H. B. 1394, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Bank of Greensboro to wind up its business.
Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 808, H. B. 1395, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of the Railroad Commissioners.
Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.

S. B. 237, H. B. 1396, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Thomas A. Harrington and J. B. F. Stewart justices of the peace in Upper Little River Township of Harnett County.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 588, H. B. 1397, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time for holding the Superior Court of Nash County.
Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 729, H. B. 1398, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Winston a special court, to be called the Recorder’s Court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Park, H. B. 1399, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to holding Superior Courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Julian, H. R. 1400, a joint resolution in reference to a statue of General M. W. Ransom to be placed in Statuary Hall, in Washington City.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the fishing laws of New Hanover County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1402, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the fishing laws of New Hanover County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1403, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3666 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to interference with electric wires.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1404, a bill to be entitled an act to transfer Topsail Township, in Pender County, to the county of New Hanover.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Mangum, H. B. 1405, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the sidewalks of the town of Gastonia.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1406, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the use of business names in copartnership.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1407, a bill to be entitled an act to create a free school district in Alleghany County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a finance committee for Surry County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1409, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4301 and 4357 of the Revisal of North Carolina, in relation to the duties of the State Board of Elections.

Referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Mr. Bowman, H. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game and fish in Mitchell County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. McLean, H. B. 1411, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine and cider in two miles of Center Roads Baptist Church, Bladen County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 1412, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5440 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the appointment of commissioners of wrecks.

On motion of Mr. Davis, the bill is placed upon its immediate passage.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1413, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to killing of deer in Carteret County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1414, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing with certain nets in North Creek, Beaufort County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 1415, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 349 of the Private Laws of 1905, incorporating Belhaven Graded School District, in Beaufort County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Albright, H. B. 1416, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the probate of deeds taken before a notary public without seal.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Blanchard, by request, H. B. 1417, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Hertford.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Watts, by request, H. B. 1418, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within one mile of Gryder's School-house, in Alexander County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Gaston, H. B. 1419, a bill to be entitled an act for appointing justices of the peace for Buncombe County.

Placed on the Calendar and withdrawn from consideration.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 1420, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Macon County Monumental Association.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1421, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1905, amending the charter of the town of Franklin, in Macon County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gilliam, H. B. 1422, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt naval reserves from working on public roads and serving on the jury.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 1423, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of the forest and water powers of the State by stopping forest fires.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.
By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 1424, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 641 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to publication of notices.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 1425, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit corporations from preventing public improvements by other corporations by preventing the occupation of land for the purposes of right-of-way.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 1426, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for minority representatives in all town elections of Hamlet, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 1429, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 330 of the Public Laws of 1903, by changing the boundary lines of Wesley Chapel Graded School District, of Union County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 1428, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for compulsory school attendance in Goldsboro Township, Wayne County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 1427, a bill to be entitled an act to secure compulsory school attendance in Goldsboro Township, Wayne County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1428, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in McDowell County.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 1430, a bill to be entitled an act to stimulate high school instruction in the public schools of the State and for teacher training.

Committee substitute for other bills; placed on the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1179, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Insurance Commissioner by the people.

Passed its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 688, S. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act to provide uniform stamping of gold and silver articles of merchandise.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 651, a bill to be entitled an act for the support and maintenance and also for improvement of the Soldiers' Home.
Recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations, on motion of Mr. Gordon.

H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year, between the ages of eight and fourteen.

Mr. Stevens offers an amendment.
Mr. Julian offers an amendment.
Mr. Yount offers an amendment.
Mr. Burnett offers an amendment.
Mr. Doughton offers an amendment.
Mr. Bryant offers an amendment.
Mr. Dilling calls the previous question upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading.

Call sustained.
The amendment of Mr. Bryant is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Doughton is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Burnett is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Julian is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Yount is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Stevens is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Turlington is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Midyette is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Winborne is adopted.
The amendment of Mr. Peele is lost.
The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their votes:
Messrs. Grant, Julian, Midyette, Mull, Owen, Preston, Royster, Stevens, Taylor of Brunswick, Turlington, Ehringhaus, Yount and Mial.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative are:


The bill passes its second reading and without objection is placed on the third reading Calendar.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its third reading.

Amendments are offered excepting the following counties from the provisions of the bill until the question is submitted to a vote of the people, to-wit:

Bertie, Chowan, Currituck, Iredell, Pasquotank, McDowell, Northampton, Union, Davie, Greene, Tyrrel, Johnston, Yancey, Granville, Brunswick, Onslow, Folk, Rowan, Nash, Camden, Catawba, Lincoln, Halifax, Columbus, Wilkes, Swann, Chatham, Clay, Cleveland.

On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, amended by Mr. Doughton, the House adjourns till 8 o'clock to-night in honor of the memory of George Washington, the first President of the United States of America, and the leader and commander of the patriots of the American Revolution.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and resumes consideration of business on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Dilling, H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year, between the ages of eight and fourteen, is made the special order for next Tuesday, the 26th inst., at the expiration of the morning hour.

The Calendar.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. R. 1150, S. R. 767, resolution of the General Assembly of North Carolina requesting the Senators and Representatives in Congress from North Carolina to use their influence to secure proper appropriations for carrying out the scheme to improve the Cape Fear River, as recommended by General McKenzie, Chief Engineer of the Army.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. R. 1256, S. R. 928, resolution by the General Assembly of North Carolina regarding the continuance of the second Hague Conference.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1039, S. B. 321, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the manufacture or sale of adulterated, misbranded, poisonous or deleterious foods, drugs, medicines or liquors.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1071, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 348 of the Public Laws of 1899, relating to a toll gate on Mulberry Gap road.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1159, S. B. 842, a bill to be entitled an act relative to hunting wild fowl in Currituck County.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1318, S. B. 812, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 618 of the Public Laws of 1905, enacted for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1319, S. B. 820, a bill to be entitled an act to secure better drainage of the waters of North Prong of South Fork Creek, in Forsyth County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1322, S. B. 805, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment and enlargement of libraries in the public schools of the rural districts of Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1427, a bill to be entitled an act to secure compulsory school attendance in Goldsboro Township, Wayne County, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1390, substitute bill for H. B. 587 and H. B. 1193, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1566 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to holding Superior Courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1429, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 330 of the Public Laws of 1903, by changing the boundary line of Wesley Chapel Graded School District, of Union County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 845, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of H. Sneed and Thomas Taylor.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 910, S. B. 52, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Wilmington a special court and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1063, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the act establishing a dispensary in Roxboro, Person County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1217, S. B. 645, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. S. Rhodes, Treasurer of Henderson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of spirituous liquors in the city of Hickory, Catawba County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1229, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act repealing chapter 84 of the Private Laws of 1897, entitled an act to incorporate the Auxiliary Board of Health of Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1262, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Phillips Chapel Methodist Church, in Thompson Township, Alamance County, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1304, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize the marriage of William Savnook and Minnie Savnook, née Bradley.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1302, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 237, Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to working the public roads in Pamlico County, and to adopt the provisions of the Revisal of 1905 in lieu thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1407, a bill to be entitled an act to create a free school district in Alleghany County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1422, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt naval reserves from working on public roads and serving on juries.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1426, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in McDowell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1324, S. B. 933, a bill to be entitled an act to provide and regulate primary elections and conventions of political parties in Robeson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1326, S. B. 918, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Watauga County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1340, S. B. 778, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Board of Education of Lincoln County to create a public school district.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1344, S. B. 785, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the School Committee of the City of Asheville to take under control the free kindergarten of the city of Asheville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1352, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the dispensary in Jackson, and to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in Jackson, Northampton County, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1365, a bill to be entitled an act to remove any doubt as to whether chapter 233, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 339, Public Laws of 1905, known as the Watts and the Ward laws, apply to Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1329, S. B. 752, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of the lowlands of Abbott's Creek and its tributaries, in the counties of Forsyth and Davidson.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1339, S. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the spread of infectious and contagious diseases in Robeson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1343, S. B. 751, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Belew's Creek and its tributaries, in the county of Forsyth.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1420, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Macon County Monumental Association.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The Speaker presents to the House the special order, H. B. 246, a substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a reformatory or manual training school for the detention and reformation of the criminal youth of the State.

Mr. Preston calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

He also demands the ayes and noes.

Same is sustained.

The question recurs upon the amendment of the committee.

Amendment is adopted.

The substitute is adopted.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading.

The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their votes:

Messrs. Douglass, Kennedy, Kitchin, Laughinghouse and Stevens.

Mr. Davidson of Iredell is excused from voting.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The bill passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Leave of absence is granted to Messrs. Cox and McNeill.

Under suspension of the Rules, Mr. Preston introduces H. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the statutes that constitute the charter of the city of Charlotte and to extend the corporate limits of said city.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Jacobson, for the Journal Committee, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows; Messrs. Johnson of Johnston, Owen and Parsons.

On motion of Mr. McRae, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Representative Britt of Robeson County.

On motion of Mr. Royster, the same courtesies are extended to ex-Senator C. L. Harris.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1313, S. B. 809, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the people of Brevard Township, Transylvania County, to vote bonds for the purpose of macadamizing certain public roads and streets of said township.

H. B. 1366, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 127 of the Private Laws of 1889, relative to the charter of Dillsboro, N. C.

H. B. 1312, S. B. 817, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Cherryville, in Gaston County.

H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365 of the Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 1334, S. B. 786, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to authorize Winston Township and other townships, cities or towns to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point to Winston-Salem, ratified the 14th day of February, 1907.

H. B. 1314, S. B. 827, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the County Commissioners of Harnett County to levy a special tax to pay the expenses of building a stock-law fence in portions of Barbeene and Upper Little River Townships.

H. B. 1335, S. B. 753, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Belmont, in Gaston County.

H. B. 1379, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Mt. Airy.
H. B. 1337, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Madison to issue bonds in the sum of $20,000.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

H. B. 1393, S. B. 934, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lillington.

H. B. 1380, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Creswell, in Washington County.

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Whiteville, Columbus County, to order an election and issue bonds.

H. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners to levy a tax to build a court-house in Madison County.

H. B. 1370, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a house for the poor, the aged and infirm in Madison County.

H. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the statutes that constitute the charter of the city of Charlotte, and to extend the corporate limits of said city, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Griffin, for the Committee on Privileges and Elections, H. B. 1409, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4301 and 4358 of the Revisal of North Carolina, in relation to the duties of the State Board of Elections, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1374, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the city of Fayetteville to sell or lease its electric plant or to contract for the operation thereof, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1384, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent bird netting in Davidson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 818, a bill to be entitled an act to protect wild animals, game and fish, and to regulate the catching of fur-bearing animals in Columbus County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1413, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the killing of deer in Carteret County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game and fish in Mitchell County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Hanes, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1015, a bill to be entitled an act ratifying certain deeds and leases in Person County.

H. B. 1327, S. B. 923, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 391 of the Public Laws of 1903, with a favorable report.

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By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 872, S. B. 466, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1563, Revisal of 1905, relating to the filing by the wife of petition on bringing an action for divorce, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1333, S. B. 531, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1046, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, providing for payment of fees to register of deeds for cancellation of mortgage and trust deeds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. London, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1152, S. B. 726, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1747 of the Revisal of North Carolina so as to extend the time for registering grants, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1211, S. B. 260, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2235, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to days of grace and when allowed, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Midyette, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1206, a bill to be entitled an act to restore the profession and practice of dentistry to its former position as a branch of medicine and surgery, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1321, S. B. 931, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and re-enact chapter 236, Public Laws of 1897, incorporating the Yadkin River Power Company.

H. B. 1147, S. B. 746, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Nazareth Orphans' Home, in the county of Rowan, with a favorable report.

H. B. 762, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Guaranty, Realty and Security Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1391, S. B. 929, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Home Savings Bank, of the city of Greensboro, Guilford County.

H. B. 1086, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the American-Japanese Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 262, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1594, Revisal, relating to the admission of certain printed documents as evidence, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1205, S. B. 191, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drinking on passenger coaches, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 285, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to authorize the right-of-way for a street railway from Hickory to Catawba Springs, in Catawba County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1408, a bill
to be entitled an act to appoint a finance committee for Surry County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. John, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 634, S. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the stock law in Montgomery County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Stevens, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1119, a bill to be entitled an act relative to indexing Acts of Legislatures, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 96 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the State Historical Commission, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 666, a bill to be entitled an act to re-submit to the qualified voters of Macon County the question of compulsory education, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1415, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 349 of the Public Laws of 1905, incorporating Belhaven Graded School District, in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1389, S. B. 946, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 3 of the Private Laws of 1905, creating the graded school district in Lincolnton, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled an act establishing and incorporating the Haw Valley School District, Burlington Township, Alamance County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled an act to provide separate public schools for Croatian Indians and Creoles in Cumberland County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1043, S. B. 676, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Vandemere, Pamlico County.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Education. H. B. 672, a bill to be entitled an act to provide dormitories at the A. and M. College, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 767, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the maintenance and further equipment of the North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical College for the Colored Race, with a favorable report, and re-committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 1342, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Mechanics and Farmers Bank, at Durham, North Carolina.

H. B. 1394, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Bank of Greensboro to wind up its business, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gillam, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 1044, S. B. 646, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Mitchell County Bank, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 766, a bill to be entitled an act to create a stock law in part of Pamlico County by adding additional territory to the Stonewall District west of the Lapton bridge, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1301, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate certain stock-law territory in Pamlico County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled an act to create a firemen's relief fund and increase the efficiency of the fire departments in the several towns and cities of North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1388, S. B. 949, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary of School District No. 21, in the county of Polk, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1026, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the removal of certain bodies from their reinterment graves in the town of Yadkinville, North Carolina, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES.

That all bills placed upon the Calendar be examined by a committee of three, who shall report on the said bills at each morning session of the House.

W. C. Dowd,
B. B. Winborne,
B. S. Royster,
Committee.

The report is adopted.

The Speaker appoints as such committee Messrs. Dowd, Stickley and Davis of Hyde.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Substitnte for H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to promote and encourage the immigration of a desirable class of trained, industrious and economical farmers to the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 1031, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a school district in Yancey County.

H. B. 1105, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within four miles of Kee's Fork School-house, in Gates County.

H. B. 1250, a bill to be entitled an act to protect Ryland School from the sale of liquor, from drunkenness and profanity.

H. B. 1361, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of A. K. Watts.
H. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a close season for hunting quail and partridges in the county of Gaston.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 1013, S. B. 901, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Swain County to provide and maintain a home for the aged and infirm of said county.

H. B. 835, S. B. 908, an act to authorize the town of Roxboro, North Carolina, to vote on bonds for a graded school building and other improvements.

H. B. 386, S. B. 733, an act to establish a special tax school district in Caswell County, to be known as School District No. 7.

H. B. 1151, S. B. 741, an act to authorize street and interurban railway companies to build and maintain water-power plants.

H. B. 829, S. B. 910, an act to authorize Cumberland and Harnett Counties jointly to construct a steel or iron bridge across Lower Little River and to levy a tax for same.

H. B. 936, S. B. 907, an act to provide for the improvement of the water-works system of the town of Waynesville and to authorize the issuance of bonds therefor.

H. B. 656, S. B. 585, an act for the relief of certain citizens of Hertford County.

H. B. 972, S. B. 617, an act to amend the charter of the Wachovia Loan and Trust Company.

H. B. 1036, S. B. 903, an act to amend chapter 40 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1899, which was an act to amend the act incorporating the town of Graham, in Alamance County.

H. B. 985, S. B. 916, an act to amend chapter 129, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the charter of the town of Williamson, N. C.

H. B. 118, S. B. 218, an act to amend section 3733 of the Revisal of 1905, adding Catawba County to the list of counties making public drunkenness a misdemeanor.

H. B. 1033, S. B. 586, an act to prevent the killing of deer in Caswell County.

H. B. 853, S. B. 913, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Currituck County to levy a special tax to repair the county jail.

H. B. 944, S. B. 905, an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Transylvania County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 122, S. B. 210, an act to prohibit drunkenness in Clay County.

H. B. 1023, S. B. 902, an act for the better working of the public roads of Rowan County.

H. B. 890, S. B. 914, an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Waco, in Cleveland County.
H. B. 220, S. B. 298, an act to prevent the delay in settlement of cases on appeal from Superior to Supreme Court in civil actions by requiring the appellant to request the Judge to fix the time and place for settling case on appeal within eight days after counter-case or exceptions are served, unless by agreement the time is extended.

H. B. 320, S. B. 290, an act to amend chapter 773, Public Laws of 1905, in reference to the trial of real actions in Hertford County, where the records have been destroyed.

H. B. 1258, S. B. 766, an act to amend the charter of the Charlotte Electric Railway, Light and Power Company, being chapter 32 of the Laws of 1883.

H. B. 917, S. B. 932, an act to levy a special tax in Ashe County.

H. B. 1009, S. B. 917, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Camden County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 788, S. B. 909, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for rebuilding, improving and repairing the home for the aged and infirm.

H. B. 951, S. B. 904, an act to incorporate Glenola Rural Graded School, in Randolph County.

H. B. 598, S. B. 682, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina.

H. B. 729, S. B. 911, an act to incorporate Ramseur Graded School District, Randolph County.

H. R. 1220, S. R. 953, joint resolution in relation to the visit of Miss Mary Lee.

H. R. 1430, S. R. 1031, resolution providing for the election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina.

H. R. 1150, S. R. 767, resolution of the General Assembly of North Carolina requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress from North Carolina to use their influence to secure proper appropriations for carrying out the scheme to improve the Cape Fear River, as recommended by General McKenzie, Chief Engineer of the Army.

H. B. 769, S. B. 964, an act to amend the charter of the New Bern Banking and Trust Company.

H. B. 920, S. B. 142, an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in the counties of Cherokee and Macon.

H. B. 443, S. B. 960, an act to amend sections 1881 and 1884 of the Revisal, prescribing the time for hunting deer and quail in Richmond County.

H. B. 408, S. B. 959, an act authorizing J. M. Edwards, treasurer of Pigeon Township Graded School, in Haywood County, North Carolina, to pay out funds now in his hands belonging to said graded school district.

H. B. 1001, S. B. 265, an act to prevent the unlawful cutting of timber and to prevent the damage which may happen by firing woods.

H. B. 970, S. B. 965, an act to protect game in Craven County.

H. B. 51, S. B. 957, an act to confirm and enlarge the powers of Cumberland Savings and Trust Company, of Fayetteville, North Carolina.

H. B. 830, S. B. 705, an act to amend the charter of the town of Littleton, N. C.


H. B. 221, S. B. 958, an act to create a voting precinct at Ahoskie, in Hertford County, and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said county to make it a township and appoint justices of the peace therein.

H. B. 746, S. B. 840, an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1890, relating to the road law of the township of Nutbush, in Warren County.

H. B. 1155, S. B. 672, an act to amend chapter 89 of the Private Laws of 1905, the same being an act to incorporate the Tuckaseigee Railway Company.

H. B. 976, S. B. 662, an act to amend chapter 504, Public Laws of 1899.

H. B. 332, S. B. 563, an act to repeal chapter 141, Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1903, entitled an act to provide a dispensary for the town of Creswell and township of Scuppernong, in the county of Washington.

H. B. 1021, S. B. 621, an act supplemental to an act ratified the 21st day of January, 1907, entitled an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Maple Creek Church, Nash County.

H. B. 864, S. B. 417, an act to repeal the monopoly granted to a public ferry company established across the Yadkin River by chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1895.

H. B. 1210, S. B. 785, an act to incorporate Meroney Church, in Chatham County.

H. B. 1149, S. B. 750, an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend chapter 1882 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to hunting, killing, etc., of squirrels in Lenoir County, which was ratified on the 4th day of February, 1907.

H. B. 780, S. B. 545, an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County.

H. B. 847, S. B. 915, an act to incorporate the Elkin and Alleghany Railway Company and for other purposes.

H. B. 1097, S. B. 699, an act to establish a road commission and to improve the public roads of Wake County.
H. B. 1042, S. B. 674, an act to amend section 3758, chapter 81, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the intoxication of railroad employees.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 1438, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Cabarrus County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 1434, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3365, Revisal of 1905, relative to the master and servant law in regard to enticing servants.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1435, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to master and servant, tenants and croppers.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 1436, a bill to be entitled an act requiring the tax collector and other officers of the town of Yanceyville, in Caswell County, to give bond.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, by request, H. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bowman, H. B. 1438, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Mitchell County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 1439, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the public against fraud in the sale of spectacles and eye-glasses.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Grier, H. B. 1440, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to offer and pay rewards in certain cases.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Albright, H. B. 1441, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Yadkin and Surry Counties to levy a special tax to construct bridges across the Yadkin River.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1442, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the public roads of Beaufort County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 1443, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine within two miles of Sidney Church, in Beaufort County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1444, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.
H. B. 1445, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1446, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds for street improvements.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McLean, H. B. 1447, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the overflow of Lyon Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Helsebeck, H. B. 1448, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in the county of Stokes.
Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Koyster, H. B. 1449, a bill to be entitled an act to provide sufficient clerical help for the Insurance Department.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 1450, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 281 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the protection of fish in Hazel Creek, in Swain County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1451, a bill to be entitled an act to allow railroads to construct belt lines in towns of the State.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Avery, H. B. 1452, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public service corporations from extending free service or other favors to certain classes.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

H. B. 1453, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the public roads and bridges of Burke County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 1454, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game birds in Burke County.
Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 1455, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 538 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of the Session of 1903.
Placed on the Calendar.

My Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1456, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in and for Wilkes County, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 1457, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of wills.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1458, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 598 of the
Public Laws of 1905, relative to half-fees where not a true bill is found.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1459, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Laurinburg Cemetery Company.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1460, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the proof and registration of certain deeds and conveyances of land.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1461, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Zebulon Graded School District, in Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 1462, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 30, chapter 201, Private Laws of 1905, in regard to municipal tax on merchants in the town of Mount Olive, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Watts; H. B. 1463, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366, Volume 1 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the landlord and tenant act.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 1464, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for the cotton-weigher of Mooresville to take oath of office.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1465, a bill to be entitled an act to pay the Sheriff of Wilkes County a salary.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Clifford, H. B. 1466, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to issue bonds to pay and fund its bonded and floating debt.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Grant, H. B. 1467, a bill to be entitled an act for the better drainage and straightening of Noe Creek, in Davie County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Baley, H. B. 1468, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Madison County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 1469, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Hertford County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1470, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for making proper entries on judgment dockets of the Superior Courts when judgments have been reversed, modified or affirmed.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1471, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to certain
acts for Hertford County, correcting, explaining and amending the same.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 1472, a bill to be entitled an act to re-establish a free school district in Crooked Creek Township, McDowell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a hospital for the treatment of tuberculosis.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 1475, a bill to be entitled an act to transfer certain persons from Sandy Ridge School District to Alton School District, in Union County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 1476, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 70 of the Laws of the year 1883, establishing the stock law for Greene County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 1477, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent obstructions in Moccasin River or Big Contentnea Creek and Little Contentnea Creek.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 1478, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 393, Public Laws of 1905, concerning the hunting of squirrels and opossums in Greene County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 1479, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365 of the Private Laws of 1905, relative to the levying of a special tax for Ahoskie Graded School.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Clifford, H. B. 1480, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 830 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the working of the public roads of Lillington Township, in Harnett County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. London, H. B. 1481, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Nannie McPhail Yarborough, a public school teacher of Chatham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Morton, the vote which H. B. 919, S. B. 52, substitute, entitled an act to establish in the city of Wilmington a special court, to be called the Recorder's Court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof, passed its third reading on yesterday, is reconsidered and the bill is placed on its third reading as amended.

As amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.
A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 616, H. B. 1473, a bill to be entitled an act to establish rates for passenger traffic in the State of North Carolina.

As a substitute for S. B. 956, H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers.

The substitute is placed on the Calendar, and on motion of Mr. Manning, the House fails to concur in the Senate substitute, and a message is ordered sent to the Senate informing that body of the action of the House and asking for the appointment of a committee of conference to meet with a like committee on the part of the House, to the end that all matters of difference may be adjusted.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The special order being the election of Trustees of the University, the Speaker announces that nominations are in order.

Mr. Ehringhaus, on behalf of the joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives on the appointment of Trustees for the University of North Carolina, submits the following report:

On behalf of the joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives on the appointment of the Trustees for the University of North Carolina, I nominate as trustees for the term expiring November, 1915:

C. B. Aycock of Wayne County.
K. P. Battle of Orange County.
F. H. Busbee of Wake County.
Benehan Cameron of Durham County.
N. A. McLean of Robeson County.
A. H. Eller of Forsyth County.
John W. Fries of Forsyth County.
W. A. Guthrie of Durham County.
E. J. Hale of Cumberland County.
H. A. Gilliam of Edgecombe County.
Thomas S. Kenan of Wake County.
R. H. Lewis of Wake County.
R. L. Madison of Jackson County.
J. S. Manning of Durham County.
T. D. Warren of Jones County.
John Lamb of Martin County.
Jeter C. Pritchard of Buncombe County.
A. G. Mangum of Gaston County.
C. M. Stedman of Guilford County.
H. M. Weil of Wayne County.
For term expiring November 30, 1909:
Prof. F. P. Hobgood of Granville County.
James Sprunt of New Hanover County.
George W. Montcastle of Davidson County.

For term expiring November 30, 1911:
Charles Whedbee of Perquimans County.
John W. Graham of Orange County.

For the term expiring November 30, 1913:
N. M. Ferrebee of Granville County.
H. R. Ferguson of Haywood County.

J. C. B. Ehringhaus,
Chairman Committee of the House.

The Chair appoints as Tellers: Messrs. Yount and Taylor of Brunswick.
The Clerk calls the roll and a ballot is taken.
The Tellers report as follows:

JOINT REPORT OF TELLERS ON ELECTION OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY.

We, the undersigned Tellers on the part of the Senate and the House of Representatives in the matter of election of Trustees of the University by the Senate and House of Representatives, on the 23rd day of February, 1907, make the following report:

For the term expiring November 30, 1915:
C. B. Aycock of Wayne County.
K. P. Battle of Orange County.
F. H. Busbee of Wake County.
Benehan Cameron of Durham County.
N. A. McLean of Robeson County.
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John W. Graham of Orange County.

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N. M. Ferrebee of Granville County.
H. R. Ferguson of Haywood County.

All the above-named gentlemen received on the part of the Senate 38 votes each.
All the above-named gentlemen received on the part of the House of Representatives 78 votes each.

**Whitehead Kluttz, Guy Carter,**
*Tellers on part of the Senate.*
M. H. Yount,
C. Ed. Taylor,
*Tellers on part of the House of Representatives.*

**THE CALENDAR.**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 865, S. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to promote public decency.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subdivision 20, chapter 89, Revisal of 1905, entitled Agricultural and Mechanical College, White.
Mr. Stickley offers an amendment to the committee amendment, which is adopted, and as amended the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled an act to create a fish commission for the State.
Mr. Morton sends forward an amendment.
Messrs. Tillett and Koonce offer amendments.
Mr. Candler makes a motion to lay the bill and all amendments upon the table.
The motion prevails and the bill is laid on the table.
On motion of Mr. Doughton, the bill is taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The House resumes consideration of the bill and pending amendments.

On motion of Mr. Candler, the bill is laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1260, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Greenville to issue bonds, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Whiteville, Columbus County, to order an election and issue bonds, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. John, H. B. 647, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 87, Revisal of 1905, entitled Department of Agriculture, is recommitted to Committee on Agriculture.

On motion of Mr. Price of Union, the vote by which H. B. 1429, to amend chapter 330 of the Public Laws of 1903, by changing boundary lines of Wesley Chapel Graded School District, of Union County, passed its second and third readings is reconsidered, and the same is ordered recalled from the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bill, in compliance with the request from the House: S. B. 616, H. B. 1473, a bill to establish rates for passenger traffic in the State of North Carolina, substitute for H. B. 790, S. B. 956, and informing the House that the Senate has appointed Senators Daniel, Aycock and Webb as committee of conference on the part of the Senate to meet with similar committee on part of the House, to the end that all matters of difference may be adjusted.

The Speaker appoints on the part of the House Messrs. Manning, Stevens and Winborne.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the revenue bill is made a special order for next Monday at the expiration of the morning hour.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.

EVENING SESSION.

The House meets pursuant to recess at 8 o'clock P. M., and is called to order by Mr. Manning, who occupies the chair in the absence of Mr. Speaker Justice.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Taylor of Brunswick.
Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1442, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the public roads of Beaufort County.

H. B. 1453, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the public roads and highways of Burke County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 817, a bill to be entitled an act to restore the profession and practice of dentistry to its former position as a branch of medicine and surgery.

H. B. 549, a bill to be entitled an act to make the fellow-servant law apply to express companies, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 787, a bill to be entitled an act providing for appeals in civil actions when judges set aside verdicts, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 833, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 918 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to investment or deposit of trust funds by Clerk of the Court.

H. B. 1425, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit corporations from preventing public improvements by other corporations by preventing the occupation of land for the purpose of right-of-way, with a favorable report.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 818, a bill to be entitled an act to protect wild animals, game and fish, and to regulate the catching of fur-bearing animals in Columbus County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1026, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the removal of certain bodies from the reinterment graves in the town of Yadkinville, N. C.

Substitute passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1044, S. B. 646, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Mitchell County Bank.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1086, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate American-Japanese Company.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1147, S. B. 746, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Nazareth Orphans' Home, in the county of Rowan.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1321, S. B. 931, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and re-enact chapter 236, Public Laws of 1897, incorporating the Yadkin River Power Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1327, S. B. 923, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 391 of the Public Laws of 1903.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1333, S. B. 531, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1046, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, providing for payment of fees to register of deeds for cancellation of mortgage and trust deeds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1334, S. B. 786, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to authorize Winston Township and other townships, cities or towns to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point to Winston-Salem, ratified the 14th day of February, 1907.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1342, S. B. 673, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Mechanics and Farmers Bank at Durham, N. C.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1370, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a home for the poor, the aged and infirm in Madison County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1374, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the city of Fayetteville to sell or lease its electric plant or to contract for the operation thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1379, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Mt. Airy.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1384, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent bird netting in Davidson County.

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Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1388, S. B. 949, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary of School District No. 21, in the county of Polk.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1391, S. B. 939, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Home Savings Bank of the city of Greensboro, Guilford County, North Carolina.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1389, S. B. 946, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 3 of the Private Laws of 1905, creating the graded school district in Lincolnton.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1393, S. B. 934, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lillington.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1394, S. B. 825, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Bank of Greensboro to wind up its business.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a finance committee for Surry County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game and fish in Mitchell County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1413, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the killing of deer in Carteret County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1450, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 281 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the protection of fish in Hazel Creek, in Swain County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1471, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to certain acts for Hertford County, correcting, explaining and amending the same.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 499, S. B. 198, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Register of Deeds of Dare County to appoint a deputy.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1463, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366, Volume 1, Revisal of 1905, relative to landlord and tenant act.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1455, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Register of Deeds of Dare County to appoint a deputy.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1440, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to offer and pay rewards in certain cases.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1453, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy a special tax therefor.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 1482, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy a special tax therefor.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 1483, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize
the Commissioners of Robeson County to issue bonds to build a
court-house.
Placed on the Calendar.
On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House adjourns to meet Monday
morning at 10:30 o’clock.

FORTIETH DAY.

House of Representatives,

February 25, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order
by Mr. Speaker Justice.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Massee, of Raleigh.
Mr. Wells, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the
Journal of Saturday has been examined and found correct, and the
same stands approved.
The Speaker appoints as the Journal Committee for the following
week Messrs. Watts, Turlington and Morgan.
On motion of Mr. Doughton, the courtesies of the floor are ex-
tended to Hon. Mr. Bradsher.
Upon the request of Mr. Davis of Hyde, he is relieved from duty
as a member of the Committee on Calendar Bills, and Mr. Weaver
is appointed in his stead.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and
disposed of as follows:
By Mr. Morton, petition from citizens of Wilmington in favor of
the bill now pending in regard to osteopathy.
Referred to the Committee on Health.
By Mr. Watts, petition from citizens of Alexander County to ap-
point W. W. Patterson and J. P. Stevenson justices of the peace.
Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. Whitley, a petition to repeal homestead law.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read
by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and
take their place on the Calendar, as follows:
By Mr. Peele, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B.
1457, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of wills, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 1397, S. B. 588, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time for holding the Superior Court of Nash County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gordon, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1445, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1462, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 30, chapter 201, Private Laws of 1905, in regard to municipal tax on merchants in the town of Mount Olive, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1446, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds for street improvements, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Whiteville, Columbus County, to order an election and issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gordon, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1444, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 792, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the hours of service of employees of railroad companies engaged in the operation of trains, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1073, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and fix certain fees and expenses to be incurred in the administration of the law in Burke County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1470, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for making proper entries on judgment dockets of the Superior Courts when judgments have been rendered, modified or affirmed.

H. B. 1040, S. B. 56, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3135 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time in which a caveat to a will may be filed, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled an act to promote safety of travel on railroads and to prohibit the moving of ordinary freight trains on Sunday, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1213, S. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1183 of the Revisal of 1905, to enlarge the power of the minority stockholders in the election of the boards of directors of corporations, with a favorable report.
H. B. 167, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the inspection of steam boilers in North Carolina, and to provide ways and means for the same, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

It is so ordered.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1441, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Yadkin and Surry Counties to levy a special tax to construct a bridge across the Yadkin River, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1509, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Piedmont and Southern Railway Company, with a favorable report.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 246, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a reformatory or manual training school for the detention and reformation of the criminal youth of the State.

H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subdivision 20, chapter 89, Revisal of 1905, relating to the Agricultural and Mechanical College, White.

H. B. 845, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of H. Sneed and Thomas Taylor.

H. B. 1003, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the act establishing a dispensary in Roxboro, Person County.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Rector, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 688, S. B. 369, an act to provide uniform stamping of gold and silver articles of merchandise.

H. B. 633, S. B. 1005, an act to amend the charter of the town of Harrellsville, in Hertford County, chapter 138, Private Laws of 1883.

H. B. 1302, S. B. 1164, an act to repeal chapter 237, Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to working the public roads in Pamlico County, and to adopt the provisions of the Revisal of 1905 in lieu thereof.

H. B. 1426, S. B. 1162, an act to appoint justices of the peace for McDowell County.

H. B. 1367, S. B. 1075, an act supplemental to H. B. 390, S. B. 527,
ratified on the 12th day of February, 1907, which was an act to pro-
vide for working the roads and highways of Clay County.
H. B. 1237, S. B. 1051, an act for the relief of J. A. Henry, a public
school teacher of Anson County.
H. B. 1078, S. B. 1091, an act to make it unlawful to keep liquor
for sale in Cleveland County.
H. B. 1358, S. B. 1055, an act to provide for the appointment of
court stenographers for Durham County.
H. B. 1109, S. B. 1037, an act to establish the offices of standard-
keeper and public weighers for Beaufort County.
H. B. 1340, S. B. 778, an act to authorize the County Board of
Education of Lincoln County to create a public school district.
H. B. 1319, S. B. 820, an act to secure better drainage of the waters
of North Prong of South Fork Creek, in Forsyth County.
H. B. 653, S. B. 1008, an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating
liquors within three miles of Mt. Gilead Church, in Sampson County.
H. B. 1008, S. B. 1000, an act to amend section 3382a of chapter
81 of the Revisal, relative to obstructing streams in Watauga County.
H. B. 995, S. B. 1002, an act to prohibit fishing and hunting in
Cross Roads Township, in Martin County.
H. B. 153, S. B. 609, an act to provide a short form of land mort-
gage or deed in trust.
H. B. 1343, S. B. 751, an act to secure the better drainage of the
lowlands of Belew's Creek and its tributaries, in the county of For-
syth.
H. B. 1142, S. B. 1049, an act to provide a term of court for the
trial of civil cases exclusively in Brunswick County.
H. B. 1113, S. B. 1000, an act to amend chapter 596 of the Public
Laws of 1905, the same being an act to provide for the better work-
ing of the public roads and highways of Pasquotank County.
H. B. 1217, S. B. 645, an act for the relief of J. S. Rhodes, Treas-
urer of Henderson County.
H. B. 865, S. B. 261, an act to promote public decency.
H. B. 56, S. B. 111, an act to allow the Commissioners of Union
County to remain in special session three days.
H. B. 1061, S. B. 1058, an act for the protection of game in Guil-
ford County.
H. B. 1356, S. B. 1074, an act to change the dividing line between
the Third and Ninth Townships of Craven County.
H. B. 850, S. B. 1099, an act to prevent persons hunting upon the
lands of another in Davidson County without written permission.
H. B. 1231, S. B. 1056, an act to amend chapter 375 of the Public
Laws of 1903, relative to the Waynesville Township bond issue.
H. B. 1357, S. B. 1083, an act to amend chapter 71 of the Public
Laws of 1901, in relation to the public schools of the city of Dur-
ham.
H. B. 945, S. B. 993, an act to prescribe and fix the compensation of County Commissioners of Beaufort County.


H. B. 1201, S. B. 997, an act to extend the provisions of chapter 379 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to a special tax in Rowan County.

H. B. 1329, S. B. 752, an act to secure the better drainage of the lowlands of Abbott’s Creek and its tributaries, in the counties of Forsyth and Davidson.

H. B. 848, S. B. 963, an act to amend chapter 175 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the fixing of salaries for the public offices of Guilford County and to increase the road fund.

H. B. 1354, S. B. 1084, an act to amend chapter 620 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the Ayden dispensary.

H. B. 1247, S. B. 1038, an act to appoint a board of education for Randolph County.

H. B. 1199, S. B. 878, an act to amend chapter 348, Public Laws of 1901, relating to stock law in certain portions of Pitt County.

H. B. 1208, S. B. 781, an act to protect deer, pheasant and grouse in certain counties in North Carolina.

H. B. 1122, S. B. 1059, an act to regulate fishing in the waters of Sampson County.

H. B. 343, S. B. 1036, an act to amend chapter 426, Public Laws of 1905.

H. B. 841, S. B. 1098, an act to prevent the manufacture and sale of wines and other intoxicants in three miles of certain churches in Warren County.

H. B. 1141, S. B. 896, an act to provide for the appointment of court stenographers for the county of Cabarrus.

H. B. 1135, S. B. 1098, an act to regulate hunting in certain territory in Randolph County.

H. B. 618, S. B. 1096, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Enfield Township, Halifax County.

H. B. 100, S. B. 146, an act to amend section 2120 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the tolls of mills in Person County.

H. B. 714, S. B. 1035, an act to provide a charter for the town of Kelford and appoint officers for said town.

H. B. 1028, S. B. 1062, an act authorizing the Clerk of the Superior Court of Richmond County to turn over certain funds in his hands to the school fund of said county.

H. B. 1030, S. B. 371, an act to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated, misbranded, poisonous or deleterious foods, drugs, medicines or liquors.

H. B. 1198, S. B. 1088, an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Cooper’s Gap Township, Polk County.
H. B. 1104, S. B. 1054, an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, relating to throwing sawdust in the streams of Cherokee County.

H. B. 1053, S. B. 1072, an act to amend an act to prohibit sawdust from being thrown into streams in Mitchell County.

H. B. 1105, S. B. 1148, an act to incorporate Kee's Fork Public School-house, in Gates County, and to prevent, the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within four miles thereof.

H. B. 1071, S. B. 1152, an act to amend chapter 348 of the Public Laws of 1890, relating to a toll gate on Mulberry Gap road.

H. B. 1420, S. B. 1158, an act to provide and regulate primary elections and conventions of political parties in Robeson County.

H. B. 1427, S. B. 1157, an act to secure compulsory school attendance in Goldsboro Township, Wayne County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1159, S. B. 842, an act relative to hunting wild fowl in Currituck County.

H. B. 1339, S. B. 1314, an act to prevent the spread of infectious and contagious diseases in Robeson County.

H. B. 1318, S. B. 812, an act to amend chapter 648 of the Public Laws of 1905, enacted for the betterment of the public roads of Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1326, S. B. 918, an act for the relief of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wayne County.

H. B. 1177, S. B. 1087, an act to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County, and to prevent the transportation or delivery of intoxicating liquors into said county.

H. B. 1322, S. B. 805, an act to provide for the establishment and enlargement of libraries in the public schools of the rural districts of Wake County.

H. B. 1241, S. B. 1081, an act to authorize the Board of Directors of the State Normal and Industrial College to grant the use of the President's house to the widow of the late president.

H. B. 1250, S. B. 1147, an act to protect Ryland School from the sale of liquors and from drunkenness and profanity.

H. B. 1110, S. B. 1078, an act to regulate the killing of deer and summer duck in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1107, S. B. 1052, an act to amend chapter 283 of the Public Laws of 1905.

H. B. 1382, S. B. 1094, an act supplemental to the bill amendatory of the law ratified on the 23d day of January, 1907, to provide for the election of cotton-weighers for Union County.

H. B. 1327, S. B. 923, an act to amend section 391 of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 1372, S. B. 1076, an act to protect certain game in Cleveland and Burke Counties.

H. B. 1255, S. B. 1059, an act authorizing the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Hookerton, Greene County.
H. B. 1347, S. B. 1046, an act to protect certain dogs in Halifax County.
H. B. 1378, S. B. 1093, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Alexander County.
H. B. 1393, S. B. 934, an act to amend the charter of the town of Lillington.
H. B. 1333, S. B. 531, an act amending section 1046, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, providing for the payment of fees to registers of deeds for cancellation of mortgages and trust deeds.
H. B. 490, S. B. 198, an act to allow the Register of Deeds of Dare County to appoint a deputy.
H. B. 1147, S. B. 746, an act to charter Nazareth Orphans' Home, in the county of Rowan.
H. B. 1246, S. B. 1044, an act to increase the compensation of the Commissioners of Hyde County.
H. B. 1308, S. B. 1050, an act to preserve certain records in Duplin County.
H. B. 1407, S. B. 1100, an act to create a free school district in Alleghany County.
H. B. 1389, S. B. 946, an act to amend chapter 3 of the Private Laws of 1905, creating the Lincolnton Graded School District.
H. B. 1428, S. B. 1167, an act to provide for a minority representation in all town elections at Hamlet, North Carolina.
H. B. 1226, S. B. 1067, an act for the relief of Mary A. Watkins, a public school teacher of Anson County.
H. B. 1276, S. B. 1063, an act repealing chapter 753 of the Laws of 1905, as to Richmond County.
H. B. 1350, S. B. 1047, an act to change the boundaries of Maple- ville Graded School District, Franklin County.
H. B. 1352, S. B. 1161, an act to abolish the dispensary in Jackson and to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in the town of Jackson, Northampton County.
H. B. 1229, S. B. 1155, an act to amend chapter 1, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act repealing chapter 84 of the Private Laws of 1897, entitled an act to incorporate the Auxiliary Board of Health of Edgecombe County.
H. B. 144, S. B. 758, an act to authorize the School Committee of the City of Asheville to take under control the free kindergarten school of the city of Asheville.
H. B. 1412, S. B. 1101, an act to amend section 5440 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the appointment of commissioners of wrecks.
H. B. 1388, S. B. 949, an act to change the boundary of School District No. 21, in the county of Polk.
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H. B. 1285, S. B. 1057, an act to provide for legalizing primary elections for the county of Scotland.

H. B. 1309, S. B. 1154, an act to amend section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the Superior Courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District.

H. B. 1307, S. B. 1040, an act to define and establish the boundaries of School District No. 1, in Columbus County, including the town of Whiteville.

H. B. 1130, S. B. 1053, an act to establish an institute to provide Christian education and manual training for boys and girls, and to do other institutional work in the mountains of North Carolina.

H. B. 1394, S. B. 825, an act to allow the Bank of Greensboro to wind up its business.

H. B. 1321, S. B. 931, an act to amend and re-enact chapter 236, Public Laws of 1897, incorporating the Yadkin River Power Company.

H. B. 1044, S. B. 646, an act to amend the charter of the Mitchell County Bank.

H. B. 1334, S. B. 786, an act supplemental to an act to authorize Winston Township and other townships, cities or towns to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of a street railway from High Point to Winston-Salem, North Carolina, ratified on the 14th day of February, 1907.

H. B. 921, S. B. 594, an act to amend section 3374 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the servant act.

H. B. 1239, S. B. 1065, an act to incorporate Rock Hill Baptist Church, North Carolina, Swain County.

H. B. 1121, S. B. 1061, an act to prevent the throwing of sawdust into South River, Sampson County.

H. B. 620, S. B. 1097, an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in the county of Guilford and in the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 1429, S. B. 1159, an act to amend chapter 330 of the Public Laws of 1903, by changing the boundary line of Wesley Chapel Graded School District, in Union County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 1484, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the hours of service of employees of railroad companies engaged in the operation of trains, being the committee substitute for various bills.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Coleman, H. B. 1485, a bill to be entitled an act to protect certain fur-bearing animals in Clay County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Mr. Baley, H. B. 1486, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county commissioners to levy a special tax to build a bridge in Madison County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Baley, H. B. 1487, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the compensation of County Commissioners of Madison County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1488, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the water powers of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Weaver, by request, H. B. 1489, a bill to be entitled an act amending chapter 4115 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to special district school taxes.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 1490, a bill to be entitled an act to place L. C. Laughter, an aged and decrepit ex-Confederate soldier of Henderson County, on the pension roll.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 1491, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unfair commercial discrimination between different sections, communities or localities, or unfair competition, and providing penalties therefor.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 1492, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Creswell, in Washington County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 1493, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize a painting of the landing of the Raleigh Colony on Roanoke Island.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1494, a bill to be entitled an act to protect laborers, mechanics and artisans in New Hanover County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Carter, H. B. 1495, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the control and management of automobiles and other vehicles upon public roads and highways in Forsyth County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, H. B. 1496, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50, Laws of 1903, relative to working roads in Smithfield Township, in Johnston County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1497, a bill to be entitled an act amending sections 3366 and 3367, chapter 81 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to landlords and tenants.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1498, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize certain officers
to search the premises of persons suspected of illegally dealing in intoxicating liquors.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. McLean, H. B. 1499, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 760, Public Laws of 1905, to prevent the overflow of White Oak Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1500, a bill to be entitled an act to build bridges in Haywood County.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 1501, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 182, Private Laws of 1905, incorporating Andrews' School District No. 4, in Cherokee County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 1502, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Garysburg, in the county of Northampton.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, H. B. 1503, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 165 of the Public Laws of 1901, establishing the Epsom High School District, in Vance County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1504, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Fayetteville.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1505. a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of food and drinks.
Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1506, a bill to be entitled an act to place the name of certain ex-Confederate soldiers in Columbus County on the pension roll.
Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1507, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the control and management of automobiles and other vehicles upon the public roads and highways in Guilford County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1508, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 257, Private Laws of 1905.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 1509, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Piedmont and Southern Railway Company.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 1510, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Mattamuskeet Railway Company, and for other purposes.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1511, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3001 and 3006 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the fees for inspection of buildings in the town of Graham, Alamance County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Stickley, by request, H. B. 1512, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subsection L of section 408 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to suit against a married woman.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 1513, a bill to be entitled an act to charter Kinston College, Kinston, Lenoir County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1514, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the disposition of the proceeds of the dispensaries of Lenoir County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 1515, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5373 of the Revisal of 1905, requiring directors of State institutions to furnish State Treasurer with information necessary to complete the biennial reports.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Buchau, H. B. 1516, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness in Lakeview, Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1517, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Sidney J. Gardner a justice of the peace in Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 1518, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3307 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to landlords and tenants for Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1519, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1674, chapter 35 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stock in Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1520, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Raleigh to refund its indebtedness for necessary current expenses.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1521, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1522, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Apex, in the county of Wake, to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1523, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction, repair and maintenance of the public roads of Nash County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1524, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the Highway Commission of Guilford County to acquire gravel pits
and stone quarries and to require them to make an itemized report of their receipts and disbursements.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 1525, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1413 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to a cotton-weigher for the town of Salisbury.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 1526, a bill to be entitled an act to allow hogs and other stock to run at large in Sand Hill Township, Lenoir County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 1527, a bill to be entitled an act to provide means for listing for taxation for solvent credits.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1528, substitute for H. B.'s. 10, 223, 224, 393, 504, 593, 839 and 971, an act to be entitled an act to prevent unjust discriminations in freight rates and to fix the maximum charges therefor, with an unfavorable report as to House Bills 10, 223, 224, 393, 504, 593, 839 and 971, but with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee, and on motion of Mr. Manning the substitute is ordered printed, 300 copies, and is made a special order for Tuesday night, February 26th, at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, H. R. 276, joint resolution instructing the removal of the arsenal from the Capitol Square, is taken from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds and placed on the Calendar.

Rules are suspended and the resolution passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1149, H. B. 1031, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a school district in Yancey County.

S. B. 1150, H. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a close season for hunting quail and partridges in the county of Gaston.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1082, H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled an act to protect fish and game in McDowell County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 975, H. B. 1529, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122, Private Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 35, Private Laws of 1893, being an act to incorporate the Branch Banking Company.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.
S. B. 981, H. B. 1530, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Greenville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 954, H. B. 1531, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 230 of the Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, in regard to working the public roads of Montgomery County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 945, H. B. 1532, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton, N. C.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 779, H. B. 1533, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Rocky Mount to issue bonds for paving its streets and for other municipal purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 947, H. B. 1534, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Lincolnton to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 587, H. B. 1535, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Jonesboro to issue bonds to provide for lighting and furnishing a supply of water to said town.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 810, H. B. 1536, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Siler City, in Chatham County, to issue bonds for the purpose of improving its public streets, etc.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 828, H. B. 1537, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act for the working of the public roads of Gates County, ratified the 12th day of February, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 936, H. B. 1538, a bill to be entitled an act to reincorporate and restore corporate powers to the town of Gatesville, in Gates County, and extend the corporate limits of said town.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1141, H. B. 1539, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the holding of the Spring Term of Surry Superior Court.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 1140, H. B. 1540, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Gaston County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1030, H. B. 1541, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act passed at this session of the General Assembly, entitled an act to amend chapter 83, Private Laws of 1891, as amended by chapter
127, Private Laws of 1895, and chapter 63, Private Laws of 1901, relative to the charter of the town of Weldon, being H. B. 771, S. B. 319.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 1026, H. B. 1542, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line of Sandy Ridge District, in Union County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1024, H. B. 1543, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. R. Greene, ex-Sheriff of Stanly County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1022, H. B. 1544, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Superior Courts of the Fifteenth Judicial District.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 1021, H. B. 1545, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fast driving over the county bridge across New River at Jacksonville, Onslow County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1014, H. B. 1546, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and deputy sheriffs at Draker and Avalon, Rockingham County, North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1013, H. B. 1547, a bill to be entitled an act to validate and make legal certain acts of the justices of the peace in Harnett County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 988, H. B. 1548, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Colerain, Bertie County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 983, H. B. 1549, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Greenville to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 775, H. B. 1550, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Farmville.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 769, H. B. 1551, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Hinson Cross Roads Church and Hinson Cross Roads School.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 768, H. B. 1552, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Mitchell County the question of the removal of the county court-house from Bakersville to Spruce Pines.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships.

S. B. 762, H. B. 1553, a bill to be entitled an act to protect and

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promote the commerce of the port of Wilmington and the State of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 1168, H. B. 1554, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit sawdust from being thrown into streams in Iredell County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 976, H. B. 1555, a bill to be entitled an act to protect fish and game in McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 976, H. B. 1556, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the family of Hastings the correct and proper name.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 977, H. B. 1557, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 5 of the Public Laws of 1891, relating to the protection of fish in McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 913, H. B. 1558, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Lower Creek and Linville Transportation Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 1620, H. B. 1559, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the systematic retirement of the members of the Board of Education of the Burlington City Graded Schools and the appointment of successors.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 228, H. B. 1560, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent in- toxicated persons from traveling on railroad trains, steamboats or other conveyances for the use of the traveling public, and for the better protection of travelers.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 804, H. B. 1561, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment of a public school district in Stokes County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 968, H. B. 1562, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1895, it being an act to incorporate the town of South Biltmore, in Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 971, H. B. 1563, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Charlotte Poultry Association.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 972, H. B. 1564, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 285 of the Public Laws of 1895, in regard to the running of sawdust into the streams of Watauga County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 1153, S. B. 474, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
5147 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the statute of limitations in criminal actions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 650, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in North Carolina.

Mr. Gordon sends forward an amendment.

The amendment of Mr. Gordon is lost.

The question is upon the adoption of the substitute, which is adopted and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1052, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroads to erect and maintain union depots in towns of two thousand inhabitants.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1336, S. R. 927, joint resolution relative to a statue of Governor Z. B. Vance to be placed in Statuary Hall in Washington City.

Passes its second reading and is ordered referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the House goes into committee of the whole for the purpose of considering H. B. 1195, an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905, and the consideration of the bill is referred to the committee, with Mr. Morton in the chair.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the committee of the whole House rises and the House is called to order.

The committee of the whole House reports progress through its Chairman, Mr. Morton, as follows:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole House, having under consideration H. B. 1195, an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905, recommend the adoption of the following sections, viz.: sections 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43; section 44 as amended; sections 45, 46, 47 as amended; sections 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53 as amended; sections 54 and 55.

George L. Morton.

Chairman.

H. B. 1195, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and is made a special order for to-morrow at the expiration of the morning hour:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Brunton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Farthing.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the statutes that constitute the charter of the city of Charlotte and to extend the corporate limits of said city.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Vann, the House takes a recess until 8 o’clock this evening.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess at 8:00 o’clock P. M., with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and resumes consideration of the Calendar.

Leave of absence is granted to Mr. Turlington indefinitely.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Representative Uzzell, of Wayne County.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their title, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Dilling, for Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1520, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Raleigh to refund its indebtedness for necessary current expenses, with a favorable report.
On motion, H. R. 694, joint resolution appropriating five hundred dollars for examining partition walls in cells of State Prison, is recommitted to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Winborne, for Committee on Finance.

H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit trusts and combinations between insurance companies, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 458, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the punishment of pools, trusts and conspiracies, with an unfavorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Winborne, for Committee.

H. B. 1565, a bill to be entitled an act denouncing conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce.

 Substitute for H. B’s. 280 and 548.

Placed on the Calendar.

And, on motion of Mr. Winborne, is made a special order for February 27th, 1907, at the expiration of the morning hour.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1484, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the hours of service of employees of railroad companies engaged in the operation of trains.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1205, S. B. 191, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness on passenger coaches.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1206, S. B. 543, a bill to be entitled an act to restore the profession and practice of dentistry to its former position as a branch of medicine and surgery.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State to condemn property for the use of the penal and charitable institutions of the State, when unable to agree on price with owner.

Mr. Winborne calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

The bill fails to pass its third reading.

H. B. 364, S. B. 564, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 210 of the Public Laws of North Carolina for 1905, it being an act to improve the public roads in Valleytown Township, Cherokee County, North Carolina.
The House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unnecessary in real actions to prove title out of State unless the State is a necessary party to the action and claiming an interest therein.

Mr. Gordon sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Koonce sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Lockhart sends forward an amendment.

The amendment of Mr. Gordon is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Koonce is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Lockhart is adopted.

Mr. Vann sends forward an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Owen sends forward an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Bickett sends forward an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1386, S. B. 1150, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a close season for hunting quail and partridges in the county of Gaston.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1031, S. B. 1149, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a school district in the county of Yancey.

The Senate amendment is concurred in, and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 876, S. B. 462, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1166, a concurrent resolution relating to an amendment of the United States Constitution to provide for the election of United States Senators.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 755, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the counties of New Hanover and Pender to establish and construct a highway and erect a public free bridge between the two counties across the North East River near Castle Hayne.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bickett, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchanan, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gordon, Griffin, Hanes, Hollowell, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Julian, Keener, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman, Lockhart, McLean, McNeill, Mc-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 859, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Haywood County to purchase a home for aged, infirm and poor indigents.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365 of Public Laws of 1901.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1120, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pensions of Confederate soldiers and widows of such in Cumberland County, and to levy a special tax therefor.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1279, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Aurora Graded School District.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1301, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate certain stock-law territory in Pamlico County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1312, S. B. 817, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Cherryville, in Gaston County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1313, S. B. 809, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the people of Brevard Township, in Transylvania County, to vote bonds for the purpose of macadamizing certain public roads and streets of said township.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1314. S. B. 827, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the County Commissioners of Harnett County to levy a special tax to pay the expenses of building a stock-law fence in portions of Barbecue and Upper Little River Townships.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1315. S. B. 818. a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Big Beaver Dam Creek, in Gaston County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1316. S. B. 765, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to macadamize and improve the public roads thereof.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Bow-
man, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Brinson, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter,
Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell,
Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Gaston, Gordon, Griffin,
Hanes, Helsebeck, Hollowell, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of
Julian, Kitchin, Koonce, Liverman, London, McLean, Mc-
Neill, McRacken, McRae, Mangum, Midyette, Morgan, Mull, Owen,
Parker, Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Preston, Price of Rockingham,
Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Simpson,
Stickley, Taylor of Brunswick, Tillett, Vestal, Watts, Wells, White,
Winborne, Wood, Yount—72.

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1325, S. B. 819, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the
road law of Gaston County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place
on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard,
Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett,
Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell,
Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Galloway of Greene,
Galloway of Transylvania, Gordon, Griffin, Hanes, Hollowell,
John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Julian, Keener,
Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman, Lockhart, McLean,
McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Morgan, Mull, Owen, Park, Parker,
Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Preston, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union,
Pritchard, Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Sharp, Simpson, Stickley, Taylor of
Brunswick, Tillett, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Wood,
Yount—72.

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1328, S. B. 783, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for
working the public roads of Hillsboro Township, Orange County,
and to authorize the Commissioners of Orange County to call an
election in said township on the question of issuing bonds to im-
prove and macadamize the roads of said township.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place
on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard,
Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd,
Carter, Clifford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling,
Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Galloway of Greene, Gordon,
Griffin, Hanes, Hollowell, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of
Johnston, Julian, Keener, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman,
London, McLean, McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Midyette, Morgan,
Mull, Park, Parker, Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Preston, Price of Rock-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1330, S. B. 845, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Mayor and the Commissioners of the Town of Reidsville to issue bonds for the establishment of a system of sewerage and for street improvements.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1335, S. B. 753, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Belmont, in Gaston County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1337, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Madison to issue bonds in the sum of $20,000.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Whiteville, Columbus County, to order an election.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1349, a bill to be entitled an act for improving and macadamizing the public roads of the different townships of Cherokee County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1355, a bill to be entitled an act to work the roads by taxation in the townships of Craven County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 509 of the Public Laws of 1903, the Morea Township road law.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1364, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

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Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1366, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 177 of the Private Laws of 1889, relating to the charter of Dillsboro, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to levy a tax to build a court-house in Madison County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1369, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock law in certain townships in Madison County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes it place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Carter,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1373, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Public School District No. 72, of Cleveland County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Mocksville Graded Schools.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1380, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Creswell, in Washington County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1405, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the sidewalks of the town of Gastonia.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1415, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 349 of the Private Laws of 1905, incorporating Belhaven Graded School District, in Beaufort County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 1441, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Yadkin and Surry Counties to levy a tax.

*Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1442, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the public roads of Beaufort County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1444, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1445, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1446, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds for street improvements.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1466, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to issue bonds to pay and fund its bonded and floating debt.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1467, a bill to be entitled an act for the better drainage and straightening of Noe Creek, in Davie County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes it place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1483, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Robeson County to issue bonds to build a court-house.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City, and authorize the board of aldermen of said city to issue bonds and levy a special tax for paving the streets of said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 674, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Virginia and Eastern Carolina Railroad Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 842, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relative to the road law in Smith Creek Township, Warren County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Coleman, Davidson of Chero-
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 843, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, relative to road law in Six Pound Township, Warren County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 935, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the graded school in the town of Waynesville, and to provide for the issuance of bonds to purchase land and construct and equip an additional building.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 940, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Hot Springs.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 989, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue bonds for the purpose of improving and repairing the streets and sidewalks of the city of Durham.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 990, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue bonds for construction and erection of a sewerage disposal plant, and to improve and extend the sewerage system of the city of Durham.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Doughton, Douglass, Edgerton, Farthing, Gaston, Gordon, Griffin, Helsebeck, Hollowell, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of John-
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1050, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Evergreen, in Columbus County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1055, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Trustees of Belhaven Graded School District to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a graded school building at Belhaven, N. C.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1059, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Wilkes County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1062, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Thomasville to issue bonds for public improvements.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1075, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brookford, in Catawba County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1085, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to designate and purchase a new site for a court-house, and to purchase additional lands for the county home and work-house.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1096, S. B. 696, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Wayne County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1098, S. B. 692, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stokesville, in Guilford County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clif-
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1095, S. B. 661, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Commissioners of the town of Tarboro to issue bonds to improve the streets, after first submitting the question of a bond issue to the people.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1111, a bill to be entitled an act to recharter the town of Belhaven, Beaufort County, and to repeal former charters.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1114, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Madison District, in Rockingham County.
Passed its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Transylvania County.
Passed its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1128, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Piedmont and Atlantic Railroad Company.
Passed its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Mt. Gilead Township, Montgomery County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1136, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness incurred in erecting a new court-house.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1157, substitute for S. B. 491, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and re-enact chapter 109, Public Laws of 1905, and to establish Pinnacle School District, in Stokes County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Murphy, in Cherokee County, to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Anson County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1170, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Columbia. Private Laws of 1899, chapter 147, section 2.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1178, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads in Selma Township, in Johnston County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1180, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Burnsville, in Yancey County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1182, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Hickory to issue bonds to pay off a debt contracted for sewerage extension.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1189, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Bonsal.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1190, a bill to be entitled an act to establish, construct and maintain a system of public roads in Madison County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Carter,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing the Commissioners of Montgomery County to build a bridge across Little River at Forney's Ferry.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1203, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Richmond County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Mebane.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1214, S. B. 755, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Garner.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1216, S. B. 748, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the road law of Polk County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Carter, Clifford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Dough-pton, Douglass, Dowd, Edgerton, Farthing, Gaston, Gordon, Griffin, Hanes, Hollowell, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Julian, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman, Lockhart, McLean, McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Mangum, Midyette, Morgan, Mull,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1224, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Belhaven, Beaufort County, to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1237, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Hickory to establish and operate an electric light plant, and to issue bonds therefor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1238, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement and maintenance of the streets and sidewalks of Hickory, Catawba County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1245, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the issue of bonds by Louisburg Graded School District.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1253, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hookerton, in Greene County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1264, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Iotla Graded
School District, in Macon County, and to provide for the running and maintenance of a graded school therein.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1273, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Greene County to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1279, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, an act to incorporate the town of Wendell, in Wake County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1280, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of $500,000 for municipal ownership of water-works and sewerage.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1281, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of $400,000 for street improvements.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1282, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the holding of an election in Liberty Township, Yadkin County, in regard to the Statesville Air Line Railroad.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the redemption of the bonds issued by the county of Onslow under provisions of chapter 233, Acts of 1895, and acts amendatory thereof.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Canton to issue bonds amounting to $65,000 for a water supply, sewerage, electric light, a graded school building and street improvements, and to levy a special tax to meet the interest and pay said bonds and for the maintenance of a graded school.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1303, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the aldermen of the town of Bryson City to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Semora Graded School District, in Caswell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Gillam, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Vann, of Raleigh.

Mr. Watts, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

A message is received from his Excellency, Governor R. B. Glenn, which is referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Harris, petition from citizens of Raleigh relative to Mormonism and polygamy.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1497, a bill to be entitled an act amending sections 3366 and 3367, chapter 81 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to landlord and tenant act, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2. It is so ordered.

H. B. 1524, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the Highway Commission of Guilford County to acquire gravel pits and stone quarries, and to require them to make an itemized report of their receipts and disbursements.

H. B. 1502, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Garseburg, in the county of Northampton, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 816, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 228 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to amount State banks may invest in lands and buildings, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2234 of the Revisal, relating to days of grace.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1487, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the compensation of the County Commissioners of Madison County, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1511, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3001 and 3006 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to fees for the inspection of buildings in the town of Graham, Alamance County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1486, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners to levy a tax to build a bridge in Madison County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Banks and Banking, H. B. 1529, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122, Private Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 35, Private Laws of 1893, being an act to incorporate the Branch Banking Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, for the Committee on Federal Relations, H. R. 1400, a joint resolution in reference to a statue of General M. W. Ransom to be placed in Statuary Hall in Washington City, without prejudice.

By Mr. McNeill, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of the territory included the question of the creation of the county of Lee from portions of Moore and Chatham, with a favorable report and with a minority report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1515, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5373 of the Revisal of 1905, requiring directors of State institutions to furnish State Treasurer with information necessary to finish his biennial report, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1492, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cherry, in Washington County.

H. B. 1417, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Hertford, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1514, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the disposition of the proceeds of the dispensaries of Lenoir County.

H. B. 1421, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1905, amending the charter of the town of Franklin, in Madison County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a court-house, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1448, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in the county of Stokes.

H. B. 1454, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game birds in Burke County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Peele, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1274.
a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1283, chapter 22, Revisal of 1905, relative to court costs in Robeson County.

H. B. 1271, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to a court stenographer for Cumberland County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Parker, for Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1521, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Raleigh to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Peele, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1449, a bill to be entitled an act to provide sufficient clerical help for the Insurance Department.

H. B. 1341, S. B. 813, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1263, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Alamance County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1478, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 393, Public Laws of 1905, concerning the hunting of squirrels and opossums in Greene County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Tillett, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. R. 810, S. R. 327, resolution to furnish Lincoln County with copies of Volumes 8 and 9 of Colonial Records, which have been burned, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1433, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Cabarrus County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1161, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships, H. B. 1500, a bill to be entitled an act to build bridges in Haywood County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1512, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subsection L of section 408 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to suit against a married woman, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1398, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Winston a special court, to be called the Recorder's Court, and prescribing the jurisdiction thereof, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1518, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to landlord and tenant act for Macon County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080, chapter 49 of the Revisal of 1905, putting the town of Mount
Olive, N. C., under the provisions of the Anti-Jug Law, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1525, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 413 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to a cotton-weigher for the town of Laurinburg.

H. B. 1093, S. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to construe certain penal statutes and declare where the burden of proof is under said statutes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gillam, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1411, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine and cider within two miles of Center Roads Baptist Church, in Bladen County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McNeill, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 370, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Mount Pleasant Methodist Episcopal Church, in Catawba County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 783, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 645, Public Laws of 1901, it being an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1418, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within one mile of Gryders School-house, in Alexander County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 574, S. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for obtaining grants for entries of lands, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McNeill, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1148, S. B. 764, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors or wine and cider within two miles of Friendship Church, Faison Township, Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1481, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Nannie McPhail Yarborough, a public school teacher of Chatham County.

H. B. 1501, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 182, Private Laws of 1905, incorporating Andrews School District No. 4, in Cherokee County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1458, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 558 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to half-fees when not a true bill is found, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 401, S. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in certain specific territory in Moore County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1479, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365,
Private Laws of 1905, relative to the levying of a special tax for Ahoskie Graded School, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1503, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 165 of the Public Laws of 1901, establishing the Epsom High School District, in Vance County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1472, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a free school district in Crooked Creek Township, McDowell County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1489, a bill to be entitled an act amending chapter 405 of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relating to special district school taxes, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1424, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 641 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to publication of notices, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gillam, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1320, S. B. 919, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2000 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to shipment of liquor in Columbus County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1564, S. B. 972, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 285 of the Public Laws of 1899, in regard to prohibiting the running of sawdust into the streams of Watanga County.

H. B. 1556, S. B. 979, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the family of Hastings the correct and proper name.

H. B. 1545, S. B. 1021, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fast driving over the county bridge across New River at Jacksonville, Onslow County.

H. B. 1464, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for the cotton-weigher of Mooresville to take oath of office.

H. B. 1439, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the public against fraud in the sale of spectacles and eye-glasses.

H. B. 1554, S. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit sawdust from being thrown into streams of Iredell County.

H. B. 1495, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the control and management of automobiles and other vehicles upon public roads and highways in Forsyth County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the farmers of Alexander County against sawdust, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1485, a bill to be entitled an act to protect certain fur-bearing animals in Clay County.

H. B. 1477, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent obstructions in Moccasin River or Big Contentnea Creek and Little Contentnea Creek.

H. B. 1507, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the control and management of automobiles and other vehicles upon public roads and highways in Guilford County, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1513, a bill to be entitled an act to charter Kinston College, Kinston, Lenoir County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1519, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1674, chapter 35 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stock law in Moore County.

H. B. 1499, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 760, Public Laws of 1905, to prevent the overflow of White Oak Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River.

H. B. 1476, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 70 of the Laws of the year 1883, establishing the stock law for Greene County.

H. B. 1447, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the overflow of Lyon Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1443, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine within two miles of Sidney Church, in Beaufort County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1527, a bill to be entitled an act to provide means for listing for taxation solvent credits, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1475, a bill to be entitled an act to transfer certain persons from Sandy Ridge School District to Alton School District, in Union County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1037, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 718, Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish a graded school in the town of Columbia, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on Military Affairs, H. B. 958, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 102, Revisal of 1901, relating to the militia, with the recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

It is so ordered.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 836, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the support and maintenance of the State Normal and Industrial College, to erect a science building and to increase the dormitory capacity, with the recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

It is so ordered.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 86, a bill to be entitled an act to provide additional terms of court and to change time of holding same for Beaufort and Washington Counties, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Peele, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the salaries for the county officers
of Wake County, and to increase the road fund, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1543, S. B. 1024, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. R. Greene, ex-Sheriff of Stanly County, with the recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

It is so ordered.

By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1522, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Apex, in the county of Wake, to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Blount, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 671, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the maintenance, support and additional buildings for the A. & M. College at Raleigh, N. C., with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Peele, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1459, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Laurinburg Cemetery Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, substitute for H. B. 986, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the village of Royall Cotton Mills, with a favorable report as to substitute.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 1566, a bill to be entitled an act to submit the question of voting bonds for street improvements to the voters of Salisbury.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 1567, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Private Laws of 1897, chapter 10, relating to the town of Newport, in the County of Carteret.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1568, a bill to be entitled an act to elect a tax collector for School District No. 5, Hunting Quarters Township, Carteret County. Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1569, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County and prevent the sale of liquor. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 1570, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. W. Bynum, a former school teacher of Onslow County. Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1571, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize D. J. Sanders, ex-Sheriff of Onslow County, to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1902, 1903 and 1904.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.
By Mr. Buchan, H. B. 1572, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the repair of Blue's bridge, on Drowning Creek, Moore and other counties.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Edgerton, H. B. 1573, an act to amend subchapter 11 (entitled regulation of buildings) of chapter 73 (entitled towns) of the Revisal of 1905, relating to fire insurance.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 1574, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law for Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 1575, a bill to be entitled an act to pay W. P. Burns balance due on salary as oyster inspector.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1576, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the live-stock of the State.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Bolton, H. B. 1577, a bill to be entitled an act relating to liability of common carriers to their employees.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Harris, H. B. 1578, a bill to be entitled an act concerning the Superior Courts of Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 1579, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of certain school claims in Ashe and Alleghany Counties.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1580, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between the counties of Ashe and Wilkes.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1581, a bill to be entitled an act to allow T. Lester Jones to practice medicine in Ashe County without obtaining a license from the State Medical Board or being registered.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1582, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit impounding live-stock within the corporate limits of the town of Cranby, in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Pickett, by request, H. B. 1583, a bill to be entitled an act establishing and incorporating the Haw Valley School District, Burlington Township, Alamance County, for the colored race.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 1584, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint as magistrates in Pender County A. M. Bowden, W. W. Miller, F. P. Sidbury, B. C. Bostick, J. E. Johnson and W. W. Larkins.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
By Mr. Blanchard, H. B. 1585, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors for Perquimans County.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 1586, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Franklin County the question of issuing bonds for improving the public roads of said county.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Owen, H. B. 1587, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize county commissioners to offer rewards for defaulting county officers.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1588, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the bondsmen of A. W. Aman, ex-Sheriff of Sampson County, to collect the taxes charged to said officer.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Gaston, H. B. 1589, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5138 of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relating to taxes on real estate dealers.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 1590, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the roads of Rutherford County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Parker, H. B. 1591, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of J. B. Collins, Clerk of Superior Court of Jones County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 1592, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Rowland to issue bonds for graded schools.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Byrd, H. B. 1593, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County.
Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1594, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3688 of the Revised Code of 1905.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 1595, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City Fire Company No. 11.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Preston, H. B. 1596, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and to provide for the payment of the same.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McLean, H. B. 1597, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the establishing of free ferries in Bladen County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Hollowell, H. B. 1598, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax for Wayne County.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.

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By Mr. Price of Rockingham, H. B. 1599, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to the pay of certain witnesses summoned before the grand jury, and special veniremen.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 1600, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in McDowell and Yancey Counties.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 1601, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cumberland County to issue bonds and build bridges.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 1602, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3715 of the Revisal, relative to gambling.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Watts, H. B. 1603, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district out of a portion of Alexander and Iredell Counties, to be known as County Line District.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1604, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Liledoun Church and School-house, in Alexander County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Watts, by request, H. B. 1605, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit public drunkenness within one mile of Liledoun Church and School-house, in Alexander County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Grier, H. B. 1606, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Mecklenburg County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 1607, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 231 of the Public Laws of 1897, by giving the board of supervisors power to employ labor to require working and grading all public roads in Monroe Township, Union County, and to require road supervisors to publish annual statements of moneys received and expended for working roads.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 1608, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to abolish the dispensary in Jackson and to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in the town of Jackson, Northampton County, North Carolina, which act was passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session of 1907, and was ratified February 25, 1907.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gilliam, H. B. 1609, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Windsor to convey certain school property to the Windsor Graded School.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Wood, H. B. 1610, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Randleman, in the county of Randolph.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1611, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Causey Pugh to peddle medicine in Randolph and Alamance Counties.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1612, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the city of Randleman, in Randolph County, to issue bonds for street improvements, to be left to a vote of the people.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1613, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dr. Dowd to peddle medicine without paying tax in Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1614, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the Commissioners of Randolph County to issue bonds for good roads; left to a vote of the people.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1615, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Trustees of Ashboro Graded School to issue bonds, to be submitted to a vote of the people.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McRae, by request, H. B. 1616, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing in Little River, in Wake County, with seine or trap.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 1617, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 7, section 250, of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 1618, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Laurinburg.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McRae, H. R. 1619, resolution to amend the Rules of the House.

Referred to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1620, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 359, Private Laws of 1899, concerning the charter of the town of Apex.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 1621, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 7 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the creation and control of banks by placing trust companies under the laws and rules governing banks.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Clifford, H. B. 1623, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Dunn Road District and to provide for working the roads in the same.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1624, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 577, Pub-
lie Laws, of 1905, relating to cotton-weigher for the town of Dunn, Harnett County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1625, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the people of Harnett County to elect their justices of the peace.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 1626, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 362, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Coats, in Harnett County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1627, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 290 of the Private Laws of 1905, being an act to amend the charter of the Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Electric Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Keener, H. B. 1649, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds not exceeding $300,000 for macadamizing and improving the roads of said county.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 1650, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Salisbury a special court, to be called the Recorder's Court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 570, H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Caswell County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 287, H. B. 687, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2903 of the Revisal of 1905, as to the publication of notice in sale of real estate for taxes.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1073, H. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Robeson County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1172, H. B. 1628, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Virginia and Carolina Southern Railroad Company, and to allow it to increase its capital stock.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 982, H. B. 1629, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Grifton and to amend the charter of said town.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 235, H. B. 1630, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the retirement of capital stock in certain cases.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 365, H. B. 1631, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated paints in North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 761, H. B. 1632, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Brunswick County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
S. B. 776, H. B. 1633, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the time for holding court in Dare County.
Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
S. B. 822, H. B. 1634, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the stealing of railroad brasses and other similar material.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 952, H. B. 1635, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Weldon and Roanoke Rapids Electric Railway Company.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 1010, H. B. 1636, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to levy and collect a special tax for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said county, providing for an election.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.
S. B. 1011, H. B. 1637, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to issue bonds for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said county.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.
S. B. 1018, H. B. 1638, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the county of Pitt to issue bonds for certain purposes.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.
S. B. 1025, H. B. 1639, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Union County to levy a special tax to build bridges.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 1027, H. B. 1640, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Monroe.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 1028, H. B. 1641, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to provide for working the public roads and highways of Halifax County.
Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
S. B. 1029, H. B. 1642, a bill to be entitled an act to re-enact the charter of the town of Germanton, in the county of Stokes.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 1124, H. B. 1643, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of A. P. Harris, Clerk of the Superior Court of Stanly County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1127, H. B. 1644, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 640 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to depredation of domestic fowls.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1135, H. B. 1645, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the compensation of County Commissioners in Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 1137, H. B. 1646, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Union County to dispose of the home for the aged and infirm and purchase a more suitable location for the same.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1169, H. B. 1647, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time for holding the terms of the Superior Courts of Robeson County, in the Seventh Judicial District.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1175, H. B. 1648, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2431, chapter 58, Revisal of 1905, in regard to fish and eels being caught in Currituck County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game and fish in Mitchell County.

H. B. 1413, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the killing of deer in Carteret County.

H. B. 1463, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of the Revisal, Volume I, relative to the landlord and tenant act.

H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled an act to provide separate public schools for Croatan Indians and Creoles in Cumberland County.

H. B. 762, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Guaranty Realty Company.

H. B. 818, a bill to be entitled an act to protect wild animals, game birds and fish and to regulate the catching of fur-bearing animals in Columbus County.

H. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a finance committee for Surry County.
Mr. Tillet, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 757, S. B. 1095, an act to incorporate the Tidewater Power Company.

H. B. 761, S. B. 1206, an act to amend subdivision 20, chapter 89, Revisal of 1905, relating to the Agricultural and Mechanical College, white.

H. B. 832, S. B. 850, an act to vacate, nullify and declare of no effect the order of judgment rendered by the Board of County Commissioners for Northampton County on or about the 11th day of December, 1905, declaring stock law for Occoneechee Township, in said county, and to provide for the return to the taxpayers of said township the taxes levied and collected from them under said order or judgment.

H. B. 1153, S. B. 474, an act to amend section 3147 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the statute of limitations in criminal actions.

H. B. 481, S. B. 738, an act to protect wild ducks and geese in certain portions of Neuse River.

H. B. 994, S. B. 991, an act to amend chapter 641, Public Laws of 1905, relative to levying a special tax for building a new court-house for Carteret County.

H. B. 1028, S. B. 1077, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Davie County to sell the present court-house and site, and the present jail-house and site, to buy other property in the town of Mocksville, N. C., upon which to erect a new court-house and jail, and to issue bonds for said purposes.

H. B. 717, S. B. 1004, an act to amend sections 3323 and 3765 of chapter 81 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stone-horses running at large in Hatteras Township, in Dare County.

H. B. 472, S. B. 406, an act to provide for the election of justices of the peace in Washington County by the qualified voters of the same.

H. B. 1262, S. B. 1166, an act to incorporate Phillips Chapel Methodist Episcopal Church, in Thompson Township, Alamance County, North Carolina.

H. B. 296, S. B. 300, an act to amend section 3264 of the Revisal of 1905, increasing the peremptory challenge by the State in all criminal causes less than capital.

H. B. 982, S. B. 638, an act to establish a graded school in the Rymer Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

H. B. 1132, S. B. 1090, an act to authorize the Rocky Mount Graded School District to issue bonds.

H. B. 881, S. B. 1003, an act to incorporate Franklinville Graded School, Randolph County.
H. B. 983, S. B. 637, an act to establish a graded school in the Big Willow Special Tax School District, in Henderson County.

H. B. 1205, S. B. 191, an act to prevent public drinking on passenger coaches.

H. B. 880, S. B. 1006, an act to establish graded schools in Cameron District, Greenwood Township, Moore County, and to levy a special tax for the establishing and support of the same.

H. B. 827, S. B. 1089, an act to provide working the public roads of Cedar Grove Township, in Orange County.

H. B. 876, S. B. 462, an act to establish graded schools in the town of Roanoke Rapids, in Halifax County.

H. R. 1256, S. R. 928, resolution by the General Assembly of North Carolina regarding the continuance of the second Hague Conference.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, it being H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon the public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year, between the ages of eight and fourteen.

Mr. Blount sends forward two amendments, which are adopted.

Mr. Ehringhaus withdraws his former amendment and submits another.

Mr. Winborne offers several amendments, which are adopted.

Mr. Dilling calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

The bill passes its second reading.

Upon the third reading of the bill, the amendment of Mr. Ehringhaus is considered, and Mr. Dilling calls the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The roll being called the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:

The following gentlemen give notice of a desire to explain their votes:

Messrs. Bickett, Carter, Hanes, Harris, Kennedy, Kitchin, Parsons, Pickett, Pugh, Yount and Washington.

Mr. Farthing is excused from voting.

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Bruton, Burnett, Byrd, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Ehringhaus, Gibbs, Gillam, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Helsebeck, Hollowell, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman, Lockhart, London, McRacken, Midyette, Morgan, Morton, Null, Murphy, Neal, Owen, Park, Parker, Peele, Pickett, Pitt. Price of Union, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell,

Those voting in the negative are:


The bill as amended passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on Rules, reports that this House convene daily at 9:30 A. M. until changed by the House of Representatives.

Resolution adopted.

On motion of Mr. Johnson of Johnston, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.

Evening Session.

Pursuant to recess the House meets at 8 o'clock, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair.

The first question for consideration being a special order, to-wit: H. B. 1528, committee substitute for House Bills Nos. 10, 223, 224, 303, 504, 573, 839 and 971, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unjust discrimination in freight rates, and to fix the maximum charge therefor.

Upon its second reading.

Mr. Douglass offers two amendments.

Mr. Bickett offers an amendment.

Mr. Manning calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

The question recurs upon the adoption of the amendment of Mr. Bickett, and the same is adopted.

The question recurs upon the amendments of Mr. Douglass.

His first amendment is lost.

The question recurs upon the adoption of the amendment No. 2 of Mr. Douglass.

Upon this question Mr. Manning demands the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

Upon a call of the roll the following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:

Messrs. Avery, Bickett, Boyd, Bruton, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania, Gibbs, Gillam, Grant, Hankins, Harris, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Julian, Keener,

The following gentlemen vote in the negative:


The amendment of Mr. Douglass is adopted, and the bill, as amended, passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

**THE CALENDAR.**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 370, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Mount Pleasant Methodist Episcopal Church, in Catawba County.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 401, S. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in certain specific territory of Moore County.

House concurs in committee amendment and the bill takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the statutes that constitute the charter of the city of Charlotte, and to extend the corporate limits of said city.

Passed its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Blount, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1431, substitute for H. B. 536 and H. B. 583, a bill to be entitled an act to stimulate high school instruction in the public schools of the-
State, and teacher training, is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of the territory included, the question of the creation of the county of Lee from portions of Moore and Chatham, is made a special order for 12 o'clock Thursday, February 28th; debate limited to one hour on each side.

On motion of Mr. Yount, the House adjoins to meet to-morrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.

FORTY-SECOND DAY.

House of Representatives,
February 27, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Battle of Greensboro.

Mr. Watts, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

On motion, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Representative Hall and ex-Senator McIntyre.

On motion of Mr. Mial, H. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the salaries of the county officers of Wake County, and to increase the road fund, is taken from the Committee on Salaries and Fees and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Blount, the vote by which H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon the public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year, between the ages of eight and fourteen, passed its third reading is reconsidered, and the bill is placed on the Calendar.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Baley, petition to allow R. L. Tweed to practice law without license.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Koonce, petition against the repeal of the existing prohibition law now in force in the town of Richlands.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

Petition from citizens of Richlands asking for the repeal of the
prohibition law and to place the town of Richlands under the Watts law.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt, petition from Retail Merchants Association of Pitt and Martin Counties for the repeal of the homestead law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 687, S. B. 281, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2903 of the Revisal of 1905, as to the publication of notice in sale of real estate for taxes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Dilling, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1549, S. B. 983, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Greenville to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1589, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5138 of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relating to taxes on real estate dealers, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1601, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cumberland County to issue bonds and build bridges, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1535, S. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Jonesboro to issue bonds to provide for lighting and furnishing a supply of water to said town, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Edgerton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1505, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of food and drinks, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4731 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the investment of capital of insurance companies, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pritchard, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1288, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Wilkes County for the purpose of building bridges across Yadkin River, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Edgerton, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 1474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a hospital for the treatment of tuberculosis, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Crawford, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1536, S. B. S10, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Siler City, in Chatham County, to issue bonds for the purpose of improving the public streets, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Eddins, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1542, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line of Sandy Ridge School District, in Union County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1603, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district out of a portion of Alexander and Iredell Counties, to be known as County Line District.

H. B. 1583, a bill to be entitled an act establishing and incorporating the Haw Valley School District, Burlington Township, Alamance County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1559, S. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the systematic retirement of members of the Board of Education of the Burlington City Graded Schools, and the appointment of successors, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1604, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Liledoun Church and School-house, in Albemarle County, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 1561, S. B. 804, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment of a public school district in Stokes County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1599, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to the pay of certain witnesses summoned before the grand jury and special veniremen, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for Committee on Calendar, H. B. 1610, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Randleman, in the county of Randolph, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1611, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Causey Pugh to peddle medicine in Randolph and Alamance Counties, with the recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 1609, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Windsor to convey certain school property to the Windsor Graded School, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1596, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and to provide for the payment of the same, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1612, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the city of Randleman, in Randolph County, to issue bonds for street improvements, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1570, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. W. Bynum, a former school teacher of Onslow County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1591, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of J. B. Collins, Clerk of the Superior Court of Jones County, with
the recommendation that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on
the Judiciary No. 2.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 1608, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to
abolish the dispensary in Jackson and to prohibit the sale of intoxi-
cating liquors in the town of Jackson, Northampton County, North
Carolina, which act was passed by the General Assembly of North
Carolina, Session of 1907, and was ratified February 25, 1907, with
a favorable report.

H. B. 1593, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of the
Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County, with a favorable
report.

By Mr. Weaver, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1607, a
bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 231 of the Public Laws
of 1897, by giving to the board of supervisors power to employ labor
to require the working and grading of all public roads in Monroe
Township, Union County, and require the road superintendent to
publish an annual statement of moneys received and expended for
working the roads.

H. B. 1595, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the
Elizabeth City Fire Company No. 11.

H. B. 1600, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation
of domestic fowls in McDowell and Yancey Counties, with a favor-
able report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1579, a
bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of certain
school claims in Ashe and Alleghany Counties.

H. B. 1586, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified
voters of Franklin County the question of issuing bonds for impro-
ving the public roads of said county.

H. B. 1569, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate certain
churches in Carteret County and prevent the sale of liquor.

H. B. 1568, a bill to be entitled an act to elect a tax collector for
School District No. 5, Hunting Quarters Township, Carteret County.

H. B. 1567, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Private Laws
of 1874 and 1875, chapter 10, relating to the town of Newport, in the
county of Carteret.

H. B. 1566, a bill to be entitled an act to submit the question of
voting bonds for street improvement to the voters of Salisbury, with
a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1598, a
bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax for Wayne County,
with a favorable report.

H. B. 1099, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 65, Public
Laws of 1905, relative to sheriffs and tax collectors, with an unfavor-
able report.
By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties Cities and Towns, H. B. 711, S. B. 455, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Clinton.

H. B. 1282, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between the counties of Camden and Pasquotank, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 726, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Clinton, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1480, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 830 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the working of the public roads of Lillington Township, Harnett County.

H. B. 1504, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Fayetteville, with a favorable report.

By Mr. White, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1576, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the live-stock of the State, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bruton, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1423, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of the forests and water-powers of the State by stopping forest fires, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Hanes, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide fire escapes and protect human life, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 647, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 87, Revisal of 1905, entitled Department of Agriculture, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1607, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 87, Revisal of 1905, entitled Department of Agriculture, being a substitute for H. B. 647, with a favorable report.

H. B. 814, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage breeding of improved live-stock in North Carolina, and to amend sections 2024 and 2025 of the Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1571, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize D. J. Sanders, ex-Sheriff of Onslow County, to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1902, 1903 and 1904.

H. B. 1588, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the bondsmen of A. W. Aman, ex-Sheriff of Sampson County, to collect the taxes charged to said office, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1496, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 53, Laws of 1903, relative to working roads in Smithfield Township, Johnston County.

H. B. 1537, S. B. 828, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act, entitled an act for the working of the public roads of Gates County, ratified the 12th day of February, 1907.
H. B. 1574, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law for Warren County.

H. B. 1540, S. B. 1140, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Gaston County.

H. B. 1590, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the roads of Rutherford County.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to provide for working the public roads and highways of Halifax County.

H. B. 1531, S. B. 954, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 230 of the Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, in regard to working the public roads of Montgomery County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh, in the county of Wake and State of North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1294, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Savings Bank and Trust Company, with a favorable report.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act to make it unnecessary in real actions to prove title out of the State, unless the State is a necessary party to the action and claiming an interest therein.

H. B. 370, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the graded schools in the town of Waynesville and to provide for the issuance of bonds for purchasing land and to construct and equip an additional building.

H. B. 1055, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Trustees of Belhaven Graded School District to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a graded school building at Belhaven.

H. B. 1136, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness incurred in erecting a new court-house.

H. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the roads of Anson County.

H. B. 1170, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Columbia, Private Laws of 1899, chapter 147, section 2.

H. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing
the Commissioners of Montgomery County to build a bridge across Little River at Tony's Ford.

H. B. 1263, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Richmond County.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 282, H. B. 1683, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the poll tax in municipalities in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1275, H. B. 1684, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize George P. Pell of Forsyth County to use the contents of the Revisal of 1905, in publishing an annotated edition of the statute law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 988, H. B. 1685, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Seaboard, Greensboro and Great Western Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 985, H. B. 1686, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint additional trustees for the Appalachian Training School, Boone, Watauga County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1125, H. B. 1687, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Wise, Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1144, H. B. 1688, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Tryon Township, Polk County, the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said township and to create a highway commission therein.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1138, H. B. 1689, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Indian Trail, in Union County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1126, H. B. 1690, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the Water and Light Commission for the City of New Bern.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1215, H. B. 1691, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Shoals Power Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

A message is received from the Senate requesting the return to the Senate of S. B. 952, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Weldon and Roanoke Rapids Electric Railway Company.

It is so ordered.
Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Royster, H. R. 1651, joint resolution authorizing the Auditor of the State to issue a pension warrant to W. A. McFarland for the amount advanced to Jesse Beavers, a Confederate veteran, a pensioner on the roll of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Mial, H. B. 1652, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2055 of the Revisal, in regard to agricultural liens in Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 1653, a bill to be entitled an act to pay the salary of a public school teacher of Randolph County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Neal, H. B. 1654, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a fire-proof building for the State Library and Hall of Records, for offices for the Attorney-General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Commissioner of Insurance, Commissioner of Labor and Printing, for the Corporation Commission, for the Department of Agriculture, for the Supreme Court room and Supreme Court Library, for Legislative Committee rooms and for the State Arsenal.

Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. Parker, H. B. 1655, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the killing of deer in Jones County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 1656, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the open and closed season for hunting quail or partridges in Camden County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 1657, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the sale of land in Camden County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 1658, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 1659, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the county commissioners to issue bonds to build a court-house and jail, to be left to a vote of the people of Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McLean, H. B. 1660, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate two stock-law districts in the upper part of White Oak Township, in Bladen County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1661, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Claudia Wiley, a public school teacher of Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 1662, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 1663, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 241, Private Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 286 of the Private Laws of 1901, with reference to the route of Wilkesboro and Jefferson Turnpike.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1664, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1665, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 2037 and 2038 of The Code, in reference to Laundry.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Hanes, H. B. 1666, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a ferry across Yadkin River.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. McRae, substitute for H. B. 1667, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 87, Revised of 1905, entitled Department of Agriculture, being a substitute for H. B. 647.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 1668, a bill to be entitled an act to fix salaries for the public officers of Robeson County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 1669, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the County Board of Education, in Brunswick County, by the qualified voters.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1670, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 403, Private Laws of 1905, extending the time for commencement of work by the Southport, Northern and Western Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 1671, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the Judges of the Superior Courts their compensation for holding special terms of court, as allowed by law from 1875 to 1901.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 1672, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize certain marriages.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 1673, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Rutherfordton, North Carolina, to issue bonds and levy special tax.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 1674, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 417, Private Laws of 1905, by striking out section 33 of said chapter relating to the sale of liquor in the town of Richlands, Onslow County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 1675, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads in Union County and to authorize a special tax therefor, and to issue bonds for said purpose.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 1676, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the payment of the outstanding bonds of the State of North Carolina, known as the Western North Carolina Railroad Construction bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1677, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the jurisdiction of the justices of the peace for Columbus County and the Mayor of the Town of Whiteville.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1678, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit trapping fish in Lumber River, in Columbus and Robeson Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. John, H. B. 1679, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Barker's High School.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 1680, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Spring Hill, in Halifax County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1681, a bill to be entitled an act to charter the Wilmington, Pender, Duplin and Sampson Railroad.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1682, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 575, Public Laws of 1905, relating to primary elections in the city of Raleigh.

Referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 1692, a bill to be entitled an act to require insurance companies to deposit a certain amount in cash or securities with the Insurance Commissioner, State of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 1693, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of holders of deferred dividend policies.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 1694, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate municipal elections in the town of Elizabeth City.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.
Mr. Murphy makes report of the Conference Committee on H. B. 374, S. B. 602, a bill to be entitled an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons.

The report of the Conference Committee is adopted.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 312, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1561 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to divorce.

The substitute passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the crime of vagrancy and to provide for the enforcement thereof.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 259 of the Revisal of 1905, by abolishing the fine in bastardy cases and increasing the allowance to the mother to $60.

Passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3351 of the Revisal of 1905, extending the operation of the same to all persons standing in loco parentis.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 372, S. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3731 of the Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1409, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4301 and 4358 of the Revisal of North Carolina, in relation to the duties of the State Board of Elections.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1650, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Salisbury a special court and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, on motion of Mr. Doughton, the special order is dispensed with on account of the failure to have printed the bill in the House, and the House resumes consideration of H. B. 1195, the revenue act.
Mr. Grant sends forward an amendment, which is adopted, and as amended by Mr. Grant, together with all other amendments, the bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1179, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Insurance Commissioner of the State.

The House considers the bill upon its third reading.

Mr. Hankins moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

Upon this motion Mr. Koonce demands the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The bill is recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2 by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:

On motion of Mr. Winborne, H. B. 1565, substitute for H. B. 280 and H. B. 458, a bill to be entitled an act denouncing conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce, is made a special order for to-night at 8 o'clock instead of at the morning session as heretofore ordered.

By consent the House considers H. B. 1252, an act to amend an act to provide for the assessment of property and the collection of taxes, known as the machinery act.

Mr. Stevens sends forward an amendment, and upon its adoption demands the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The amendment of Mr. Stevens is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


Mr. Clifford sends forward an amendment.

The amendment is lost.

Mr. Morton offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Doughton offers an amendment which is adopted.

The bill as amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1262, a bill to be entitled an act to provide fire escapes and protect human life, is made a special order for Friday night, March 1st.

On motion of Mr. Hollowell, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.

EVENING SESSION.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment at 8 o'clock P. M., with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair.

The Chair lays before the House the special order, it being consideration of H. B. 1565, a substitute for H. B. 280 and 458, a bill to be entitled an act denouncing conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce.
Mr. Grant sends forward an amendment.
Mr. Manning sends forward a substitute for the pending bill, numbered 1695.
On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, further consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday night, February 28th, and 200 copies of the substitute are ordered printed.
The House resumes consideration of the bills on the Calendar.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Manning, substitute for H. B. 1695, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unlawful restraint of trade and commerce.
Placed on the Calendar.

**THE CALENDAR.**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

Substitute for H. B. 606, a bill to be entitled an act to protect purchasers and dealers from short weight, to prevent fraudulent packing and sale of flour.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1593, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of Clerks of the Superior Courts of Yancey County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh, in the county of Wake, and State of North Carolina.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a court-house.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1417, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Hertford.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1421, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1905, amending the charter of the town of Franklin, in Madison County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1486, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county commissioners to levy a tax to build a bridge in Madison County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1492, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cherry, in Washington County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1500, a bill to be entitled an act to build bridges in Haywood County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Coleman, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1502, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Garysburg, in the county of Northampton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1509, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Piedmont and Southern Railway Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. '1521, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1522, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Apex, in the county of Wake, to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1566, a bill to be entitled an act to submit the question of voting bonds for street improvements to the voters of Salisbury.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1500, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the roads of Rutherford County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 401, S. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in certain specific territory in Moore County.

House concurs in Senate amendment, and the bill passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 755, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the counties of New Hanover and Pender to establish and construct a highway and erect a public free bridge between the two counties across the North East River near Castle Hayne.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Coleman, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Johnston, Jones of Johnston,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 859, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Haywood County to purchase a home for aged and infirm and poor indigents.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365, Public Laws of 1901.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1120, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pensions of Confederate soldiers and widows of such in Cumberland County, and to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to levy a special tax therefor.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1270, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Aurora Graded School.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1301, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate certain stock-law territory in Pamlico County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1312, S. B. 817, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Cherryville, in Gaston County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1313, S. B. 809, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the people of Brevard Township, in the county of Transylvania, to vote bonds for the purpose of macadamizing certain public roads and streets in said township.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Coleman, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Julian, Keener,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1314, S. B. 827, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the County Commissioners of Harnett County to levy a special tax to pay the expenses of building stock-law fence in portions of Barbecue and Upper Little River Townships.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1315, S. B. 818, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Big Beaver Dam Creek, in Gaston County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1316, S. B. 765, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to macadamize and improve the public roads thereof.

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Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1323, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the town of Lincolnton to sell certain town lots belonging to the town.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1325, S. B. 1819, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Gaston County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Coleman, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Jacobson, John, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Julian, Keener, Liverman, Lockhart, London, McDaniel, McLean, McNell, McRacken, McRae, Manning, Midyette, Morton, Park, Parker, Pickett, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritchard, Rector,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1328, S. B. 783, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working the public roads of Hillsboro Township, Orange County, and to authorize the Commissioners of Orange County to submit to the qualified voters of said township the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said township.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1330, S. B. 845, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Reidsville to issue bonds for the establishment of a system of sewerage and for street improvements.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1335, S. B. 753, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Belmont, in Gaston County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Coleman, David-
well, Simpson, Stickley, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Watts, White, Whit-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1337, S. B. 544, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town
of Madison to issue bonds in the sum of $20,000.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrol-
ed for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Coleman, David-
son of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Edg-
well, Simpson, Stickley, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Watts, White, Whit-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commis-
ioners of the Town of Whiteville, Columbus County, to order an elec-
tion and issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent
to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Coleman, David-
son of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Edg-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1349, a bill to be entitled an act for improving and macadamizing the public roads of the different townships in Cherokee County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1355, a bill to be entitled an act to work the roads by taxation in the townships of Craven County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 569 of the Public Laws of 1903, Morven Township road law.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Coleman, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1361, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1366, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 177 of the Private Laws of 1889, relating to the charter of Dillsboro, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to levy a tax to build a court-house in Madison County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock law in certain townships in Madison County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1373, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Public School District No. 72 of Cleveland County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Mocksville Graded School.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1380, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Creswell, in Washington County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1405, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the sidewalks of the town of Gastonia.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchanan, Burnett, Coleman, Davidison of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Doughton, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1445, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 349 of the Private Laws of 1905, incorporating Belhaven Graded School District, in Beaufort County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute H. B. 1441, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Yadkin and Surry Counties to levy a tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1442, a bill to be entitled an act for the improvement of the public roads of Beaufort County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1444, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1445, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1446, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds for street improvements.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1466, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to issue bonds to pay and fund its bonds and floating debt.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1467, a bill to be entitled an act for the better drainage and straightening of Noe Creek, in Davie County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Coleman, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Julian, Keener, Liverman, Lockhart, London, McDaniel, McLean, McNeill,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1483, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Washington County to issue bonds to build a court-house.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Mr. Byrd, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions as properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1471, S. B. 1179, an act supplemental to certain acts for Hertford County, correcting, explaining and amending the same.

H. B. 1298, S. B. 1102, an act for the relief of S. B. Edwards, Clerk of the Superior Court of Polk County.

H. B. 1026, S. B. 1191, an act to authorize the removal of certain parties from graves and the reinterment in the cemetery in the town of Yadkinville.

H. B. 1173, S. B. 1117, an act to amend section 2776 of the Revival of 1905, relative to fees for registering short form mortgages.

H. B. 1384, S. B. 1186, an act to prevent bird netting in Davidson County.

H. B. 1374, S. B. 1188, an act to empower the city of Fayetteville to sell or lease its electric light plant or contract for the operation thereof.

H. B. 1379, S. B. 1187, an act to amend the charter of the town of Mt. Airy.

H. B. 1469, S. B. 1180, an act to protect certain game in Hertford County.

H. B. 1453, S. B. 1182, an act to protect the public roads and bridges of Burke County.

H. B. 1436, S. B. 1185, an act requiring the tax collector and other officers of the town of Yanceyville, in Caswell County, to give bond.
H. B. 1370, S. B. 1189, an act to provide for a home for the poor, aged and infirm in Madison County.

H. B. 1455, S. B. 1181, an act to amend chapter 538 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of the Session of 1903.

H. B. 1450, S. B. 1183, an act to amend chapter 281 of the Public Laws of 1905, and to regulate the taking of fish from the waters of Hazel Creek, in Swain County.

H. B. 1259, S. B. 1120, an act to repeal chapter 129 of the Private Laws of 1903, relative to the charter of the town of Columbia.

H. B. 1252, S. B. 1119, an act for the relief of A. B. Suttle, Sheriff of Cleveland County.

H. B. 1031, S. B. 1149, an act to establish a school district in Yancey County.

H. B. 1216, S. B. 748, an act to amend chapter 50 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to road law of Polk County.

H. B. 364, S. B. 594, an act to amend chapter 210 of the Public Laws of North Carolina for 1905, it being an act to improve the public roads of Valleytown Township, Cherokee County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1098, S. B. 692, an act to incorporate the town of Stokesdale, in the county of Guilford.

H. B. 1206, S. B. 543, an act to define the status of dentistry in its relation to the practice of medicine and surgery.

H. B. 1268, S. B. 1108, an act to protect the streams in Burke County.

H. B. 1214, S. B. 755, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Garner.

H. B. 1096, S. B. 696, an act providing for the better construction and keeping in repair the public roads of Wayne County.

H. B. 1275, S. B. 1064, an act making it unlawful to enter the bed of Little River in Richmond and Montgomery Counties.

H. B. 1089, S. B. 1116, an act to supply certain lost records of Onslow County.

H. B. 1045, S. B. 1115, an act to authorize the Board of Education of Guilford County to place the management and control of all schools which have voted for the same special school tax in one township under one committee.

H. B. 1047, S. B. 1112, an act to amend the charter of the town of Manteo, in Dare County.

H. B. 307, S. B. 1007, an act to establish the Windsor Graded School District, in Bertie County.

H. B. 1286, S. B. 1103, an act to give further jurisdiction to process officers in the matter of unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors in Cabarrus County, and to amend section 5301 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1290, S. B. 1107, an act to change the boundary line between Brassfield and Fishing Creek Townships, in Granville County.
H. B. 1304, S. B. 1153, an act to legalize the marriage of William Savnook and Minnie Savnook, nee Minnie Bradley.

H. B. 1360, S. B. 1105, an act to prevent the obstruction of the flow of water in the drainways of Tyrrell County.

H. B. 1095, S. B. 661, an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Tarboro to issue bonds to improve its streets, after first submitting the question of the bond issue to the people.

H. B. 1051, S. B. 876, an act to amend chapter 472, Public Laws of '99.

H. B. 1108, S. B. 1111, an act to regulate the catching of fish in the waters of Durham Creek and Lee's Creek and their tributaries in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1440, S. B. 1184, an act to empower the Board of Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to offer and pay rewards in certain cases.

H. B. 1054, S. B. 1079, an act to establish and maintain the public roads and bridges in Mitchell County.

H. B. 1145, S. B. 1118, an act to amend the road law of Chatham County.

H. B. 1100, S. B. 1113, an act changing the boundary line between Marks Creek and Wolf Pit Townships, in Richmond County.

On motion of Mr. Dilling, the House adjourns to meet on Thursday morning, February 28, 1907, at 9:30 o'clock.

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FORTY-THIRD DAY.

House of Representatives,
February 28, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Watts, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1686, S. B. 985, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint additional trustees for the Appalachian Training School, Boone, Watauga County.

H. B. 1679, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Barker's High School.
H. B. 1653, a bill to be entitled an act to pay the salary of a public school teacher of Randolph County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1550, S. B. 775, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Farmville.

H. B. 1562, S. B. 968, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1895, it being an act to incorporate the town of South Biltmore, in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1538, S. B. 936, a bill to be entitled an act to reincorporate and restore corporate powers to the town of Gatesville, in Gates County, and extend the corporate limits of said town.

H. B. 1510, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Mattamuskeet Railway Company and for other purposes.

H. B. 1628, S. B. 1172, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Virginia and Carolina Southern Railroad Company and allow it to increase its capital stock.

H. B. 1627, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 290 of the Private Laws of 1905, being an act to amend the charter of the Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Railroad Company.

H. B. 1508, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 257 of the Private Laws of 1905.

H. B. 1685, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Seaboard, Greensboro and Great Western Railroad Company.

H. B. 1681, a bill to be entitled an act to charter the Wilmington, Pender, Duplin and Sampson Railroad, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Parker, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1638, S. B. 1018, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the County of Pitt to issue bonds for certain purposes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Dilling, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1616, S. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to levy and collect a special tax for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said county, providing for an election.

H. B. 1011, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Causy Pugh to peddle medicine in Randolph and Alamance Counties.

H. B. 1637, S. B. 1011, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to issue bonds for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said county, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Julian, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1604, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Lileudown Church and School-house, in Alamance County.

H. B. 1058, a bill to be entitled an act to put Sampson County under the Anti-jug Law and to prevent the soliciting of orders of whiskey to be shipped into the county of Sampson.

H. B. 1548, S. B. 988, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a
dispensary in the town of Colerain, Bertie County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1049, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the town of Windsor, Bertie County, the same opportunity to vote upon the question of prohibition as is granted to other towns, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1676, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the payment of outstanding bonds against the State of North Carolina, known as the Western North Carolina Railroad Construction bonds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Midyette, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1617, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 7, section 250 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1687, S. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Wise, Warren County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1278, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, relating to dumping sawdust into streams in Marks Creek, Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1663, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 241, Private Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 286 of the Private Laws of 1901, with reference to route of Wilkesboro and Jefferson Turnpikes.

H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Troy Township, Montgomery County, to create a special road commission for said township and work the same by taxation.

H. B. 1482, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County and to levy a special tax therefor.

H. B. 1688, S. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Tryon Township, Polk County, the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said township and to create a highway commission therein, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar. H. B. 1662, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Concord.

H. B. 1649, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds, not exceeding $300,000, for macadamizing and improving roads of said county.

H. B. 1694, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate municipal elections in the town of Elizabeth City.

H. B. 1672, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize certain marriages.

H. B. 1659, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the county com-
missioners to issue bonds to build a court-house and jail, left to a vote of the people of Randolph County.

H. B. 1675, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Union County and to authorize a special tax therefor and to issue bonds for said purposes.

H. B. 1638, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county.

H. B. 1615, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Trustees of Ashboro Graded School to issue bonds.

H. B. 1614, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the Commissioners of Randolph County to issue bonds for good roads, to be left to a vote.

H. B. 1613, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dr. Dowd to practice medicine without paying tax in Randolph County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1661, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Claudia Wiley, a public school teacher of Anson County, with a recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Education.

It is so ordered.

By Mr. Hanes, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1594, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3688 of the Revised of 1905, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1655, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revised of 1905, relating to the killing of deer in Jones County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 570, S. B. 321, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 130, Public Laws of 1905, in relation to killing squirrels in Bertie and Martin Counties.

H. B. 882, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent hunting in the waters of eastern North Carolina.

H. B. 1606, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1557, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 5 of the Public Laws of 1891, relating to the protection of fish in McDowell County.

H. B. 1656, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the open and closed seasons for hunting quail or partridges in Camden County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 659, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the citizens of Tyrrell County to ship certain game birds out of the State.

H. B. 1555, S. B. 976, a bill to be entitled an act to protect fish and game in McDowell County, with an unfavorable report.

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H. B. 1242, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881, chapter 40, Revival of 1905, relating to hunting deer in Tyrrell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1235, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of spirituous or malt liquors in Haywood County, with an unfavorable report as to bill, but with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1677, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the jurisdiction of the justices of the peace of Columbus County and the Mayor of the Town of Whiteville.

H. B. 1591, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of J. B. Collins, Clerk of Superior Court of Jones County.

H. B. 1547, S. B. 1013, a bill to be entitled an act to validate and make legal certain acts of the justices of the peace in Harnett County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1657, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the sale of land in Camden County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1634, S. B. 822, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the stealing of railroad brasses and other similar material.

H. B. 1546, S. B. 1014, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and deputy sheriffs at Draper and Avalon, Rockingham County.

H. B. 1469, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the proof and registration of certain deeds and conveyances of land, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 1544, S. B. 1022, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Superior Courts of the Fifteenth Judicial District.

H. B. 1539, S. B. 1141, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the holding of the Spring Term of Surry Superior Court, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hooker, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, H. B. 1616, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing in Little River, in Wake County, with seine or trap.

H. B. 1371, a bill to be entitled an act to protect fish in Speight’s Mill Pond, in Gates County.

H. B. 1678, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit trapping fish in Lumber River, in Columbus and Robeson Counties.

H. B. 1648, S. B. 1175, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2431, chapter 58, Revival of 1905, in regard to fish and eels being caught in Currituck County.

H. B. 1414, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the fishing of certain nets in North Creek, Beaufort County.

H. B. 1331, S. B. 1331, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental
to an act entitled an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revisal of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1639, S. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Union County to levy a special tax to build bridges.

H. B. 1646, S. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Union County to dispose of the home for the aged and infirm and purchase a more suitable location for the same.

H. B. 1530, S. B. 981, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Greenville.

H. B. 1533, S. B. 779, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Rocky Mount to issue bonds for paving the streets and for other municipal improvements.

H. B. 1541, S. B. 1030, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act passed at this session of the General Assembly, entitled an act to amend chapter 83, Private Laws of 1891, as amended by chapter 127, Private Laws of 1895, and chapter 63, Private Laws of 1901, relating to the charter of the town of Weldon, N. C., being H. B. 771, S. B. 319.

H. B. 1532, S. B. 945, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton, with a favorable report.

Substitute for H. B. 1392, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Rowland to issue bonds, with an unfavorable report as to bill, but with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 1642, S. B. 1029, a bill to be entitled an act to re-enact the charter of the town of Germanton, in the county of Stokes.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 947, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Lincolnton to issue bonds.

Substitute for H. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro, with an unfavorable report as to bill, but with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 1629, S. B. 982, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Grifton and to amend the charter of said town.

H. B. 1623, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Dunn River District and provide for working roads in same.

H. B. 1687, S. B. 1138, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Indian Trail, in Union County.

H. B. 1690, S. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the Water and Light Commission for the City of New Bern.

H. B. 1673, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Rutherfordton, N. C., to issue bonds and levy special tax, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1179, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the
Insurance Commissioner by the people, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1560, S. B. 228, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent intoxicated persons from traveling on railroad trains, steamboats or other conveyances for the use of the traveling public, and for the better protection of travelers, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1399, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and restore the office of Treasurer of Wilkes County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee, and with a minority report.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 259 of the Revisal of 1905, by abolishing the fine in cases of bastardy and increasing the allowance to the mother to $60.

H. B. 200, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the crime of vagrancy and to provide for enforcement thereof.

Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:


H. B. 1249, S. B. 1041, an act to amend chapter 322, Public Laws of 1905, so as to extend the time of hunting one month in certain territory in Randolph County.

H. B. 1248, S. B. 1045, an act to amend chapter 439, Public Laws of 1905, extending the time for hunting in certain territory in Randolph County.

H. B. 291, S. B. 436, an act to amend section 3481 of the Revisal of 1905, correcting an error in reference to hunting without permission in Back Creek Township, Randolph County.

H. B. 494, S. B. 524, an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, relative to the killing of deer.

H. B. 623, S. B. 554, an act to allow the County Commissioners of Rockingham County $3.50 per day and mileage.

H. B. 524, S. B. 514, an act to amend section 1884, Revisal of 1905, in regard to the game law of Durham County.

H. B. 308, S. B. 445, an act prescribing the time for hunting deer in Northampton County.

H. B. 333, S. B. 395, an act to regulate hunting in Henderson County.

H. B. 634, S. B. 156, an act to extend the stock law in Montgomery County.

H. B. 384, S. B. 399, an act for the protection of deer and other game in Cherokee County.
H. B. 544, S. B. 500, an act to authorize the town of Plymouth to issue bonds and to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1391, S. B. 939, an act to incorporate the Home Savings Bank, in the city of Greensboro, Guilford County.

H. B. 1143, S. B. 1178, an act to amend chapter 422, Private Laws of 1901, and chapter 16, Private Laws of 1903, and to authorize the city of Charlotte to levy a special tax for the support of the Carnegie Public Library.

H. B. 919, S. B. 52, an act to establish in the city of Wilmington a special court, to be called the Recorder’s Court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

H. B. 1157, S. B. 491, an act to amend and re-enact chapter 109 of the Public Laws of 1905, and to establish Pinnacle Graded School District, in Stokes County.

H. B. 1076, S. B. 1080, an act to incorporate the town of Bridgeton, in Craven County.

H. B. 1010, S. B. 1053, an act to revise, amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Rocky Mount, to be hereafter known as the City of Rocky Mount.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Rodwell, H. R. 1696, joint resolution in relation to statue of Nathaniel Macon.

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Bolton, H. B. 1697, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 21, chapter 322 of the Public Laws of 1903, concerning election of teachers of graded schools, Fayetteville.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 1698, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the compensation of the Sheriff of Halifax County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1699, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 424 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 1700, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint A. M. Lovelace and M. P. Harrelson justices of the peace for Cleveland County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 1701, a bill to be entitled an act for the government of the town of Beaufort, Carteret County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Eddins, H. B. 1702, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4009 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to public schools.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Pritchard, H. B. 1703, a bill to be entitled an act to author-
ize the Commissioners of Orange County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the making and improvement of public roads.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Watts, H. B. 1704, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Alexander County.

Placed on the Calendar.

II, B. 1705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3472 of the Revisal, relative to Alexander County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Keener, H. B. 1706, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage of a certain portion of Indian Creek, in Lincoln County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 1707, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Bethel M. E. Church, in Union County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1708, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Ladies' Civic Society of Fayetteville.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 1709, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 249 of the Revisal of 1905, regulating the fees for the examination of State banks.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Burnett, by request, H. B. 1710, a bill to be entitled an act to elect the County Board of Education and County Superintendent of Public Instruction in Cherokee County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Koonce, by request, H. B. 1711, a bill to be entitled an act to vest certain lands in the State Board of Education.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 1712, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 4047 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to tax titles.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 1713, a bill to be entitled an act regarding non-resident hunters to obtain license from the Clerk of the Court before shooting in the county of Randolph.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Edgerton, H. B. 1714, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 3443 of the Revisal of 1905, to prevent the spread of contagious and infectious diseases.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Buchan, H. B. 1715, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit sale of intoxicating liquors in Lake View School District, in Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
H. B. 1716, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Randolph and Cumberland Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 1717, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate $1,000 to the Colored Orphanage of Sanford.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1718, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cerro Gordo, Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Carter, H. B. 1719, a bill to be entitled an act to change the township lines of Winston, Middle Fork, Old Town and South Fork Townships, of Forsyth County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Mial, by request, H. B. 1720, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 2788 of the Revisal of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Turlington, by request, H. B. 1721, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Ellen F. Wykoff, administratrix and widow of J. H. Wykoff, deceased, ex-Sheriff of Iredell County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 1722, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between the counties of Ashe and Wilkes.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1723, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 374, Private Laws of 1905, relating to the Appalachian Electric Power and Transit Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Cox, H. B. 1724, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Alleghany and Southeastern Railway Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1725, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Davidson County to call an election for bonds for public roads.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1726, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Southern Baptist Assembly.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. London, H. B. 1727, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust in the waters of certain streams of Chatham County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Morgan, H. B. 1728, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads in certain townships in Polk County.

Placed on the Calendar.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year, between the ages of eight and fourteen.

Several amendments are offered and are lost.

Several amendments are offered which are adopted.

The bill as amended passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 487, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to create a fireman's relief fund, and to increase the efficiency of the fire departments in the several towns and cities of North Carolina.

On motion, the bill is made a special for March 1, 1907, at night.

H. B. 1288, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Wilkes County for the purpose of building bridges across Yadkin River, fails to pass its second reading by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, are:


H. B. 726, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Clinton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1421, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1905, amending the charter of the town of Franklin, in Macon County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1504, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Fayetteville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
II. B. 1520, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Raleigh to refund its indebtedness for necessary current expenses.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1535, S. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Jonesboro to issue bonds to provide for lighting and furnishing a supply of water to said town.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1636, S. B. 810, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Siler City, in Chatham County, to issue bonds for the purpose of improving the public streets.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Buchan, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1549, S. B. 983, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Greenville to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1586, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Franklin County the question of issuing bonds for improving the public roads of said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1596, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and to provide for the payment of the same.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1598, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax for Wayne County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1601, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cumberland County to issue bonds and build bridges.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1612, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the city of Randleman, in Randolph County, to issue bonds for street improvements.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to provide for working the public roads and highways of Halifax County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1662, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1681, a bill to be entitled an act to charter the Wilmington, Pender, Duplin and Sampson Railroad.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh, in the county of Wake, and State of North Carolina.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a court-house.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1417, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Hertford.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Murphy, Parker, Parsons, Pickett, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Royster, Simpson, Stickley, Taylor of Brunswick, Taylor of Vance, Vann, Turlington, Vestal, Watts, Wells, Whitley, Wood, Yount—S3.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1486, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county commissioners to levy a special tax to build a bridge in Madison County. Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1492, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cherry, in Washington County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1500, a bill to be entitled an act to build bridges in Haywood County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1502, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Garysburg, in Northampton County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1509, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Piedmont Southern Railway Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1521, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1522, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Apex, in the county of Wake, to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1566, a bill to be entitled an act to submit the question of voting bonds for street improvements to the voters of Salisbury.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1590, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Rutherford County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1658, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

The joint committee on H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers, as substituted by S. B. 616, a bill to be entitled an act establishing rates for passenger traffic in the State of North Carolina, submits the following report on the part of the joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives, as well also as the committee on the part of the House:

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the General Assembly
of North Carolina:

Your conferees on the part of the Senate and on the part of the House of Representatives, appointed to confer concerning the matters of difference between the Senate and House of Representatives on the subject of railroad passenger rates, as indicated in H. B. 790, it being a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers, and S. B. 616, it being a bill to be entitled an act establishing rates for passenger traffic in the State of North Carolina, respectfully submit the following report:

The main points of difference between the two bills is as to the maximum and minimum passenger rates to be charged by railroads in North Carolina. The House bill provided for a rate of two cents, two and one-half cents and three cents per mile. The Senate bill provided for a first-class fare of two and one-half cents per mile and a second-class fare of two cents per mile. The Senate conferees, endeavoring to carry out the wishes of the Senate as expressed in S. B. 616, contended that this committee should recommend to the two houses a bill providing for two classes of fares—first-class at two and one-half cents per mile, second-class at two cents per mile. The committee on the part of the House, believing that the House of Representatives is opposed to two fares, was unwilling to agree to recommend to the House of Representatives any bill providing two classes of fares. The committee on the part of the Senate thereupon contended for a flat rate of two and one-half cents per mile, insisting that a majority of the Senate approved that rate if only one fare is to be fixed.

The members of the committee on the part of the House were unwilling to recommend as high a rate as two and one-half cents per mile as the maximum passenger charges on any railroad in the State. The members of the committee on the part of the Senate insisted that
they could not represent the sentiment of the Senate if they agreed to recommend as low a rate as two cents per mile for passenger charges on any railroad in this State as the maximum charge; and, it being absolutely necessary that there should be an agreement between the two houses on this important matter, your committee, after due consideration and in a spirit of concession and compromise, has agreed to recommend and does hereby recommend to the Senate and House of Representatives that the maximum charge for all railroad companies having a mileage of more than sixty miles be upon a basis of not exceeding two and one-fourth cents per mile; and, according with this agreement, we have drawn a substitute bill providing a flat rate of not exceeding two and one-fourth cents per mile, with certain exceptions, which are, in our opinion, necessary, and we respectfully recommend to the House and the Senate that the said substitute bill, which is hereto attached, be adopted by both houses to settle this question.

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. Daniel,
B. F. Aycock,
Chas. A. Webb,
Senate Committee.
J. S. Manning,
R. L. Stevens,
B. B. Winborne,
House Committee.

To the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina:

Your conferees, appointed to meet a committee on the part of the Senate of North Carolina, composed of Senators Daniel, Aycock and Webb, to consider the conflicting views of the Senate and House of Representatives on the relation of passenger fares to be charged by railroad companies in North Carolina, as contained in the bills which have passed the two respective bodies and submitted to the conference committee, respectfully report:

House bill entitled a bill to be entitled an act to establish rates for passenger traffic in the State of North Carolina was sent to the Senate, and a bill entitled a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers having been adopted as a substitute for the House bill, and the House having failed to concur in the Senate substitute, the duty was imposed upon this conference committee to draft a bill which would come as near meeting the conflicting views of the two houses as possible.

The conference committee realized the great importance of the legislation proposed by the bills of the two houses which it had before it for consideration, and felt impelled to reach a conclusion about the matter entrusted to it if this could be done by mutual compromise and concessions of the matters of difference between the two houses.
The members of the committee on the part of the House fully realize that it was the sense of that body that the maximum rate which should be allowed to be charged by certain railroad companies doing business in North Carolina was two cents and there should be but one fare, and the members of the committee appointed by the Senate felt that the opinion of a large number of the Senators—perhaps a majority—was that the rate should be two and one-half cents on these railroad lines in the State of North Carolina, and was for two fares.

The members of the committee on the part of the House were unwilling to agree to as high a rate as two and one-half cents as the maximum passenger charge on all railroads within the State; and the members of the committee on the part of the Senate felt that they could not represent the sentiment of the Senate if they agreed to as low a rate as two cents per mile for passenger tickets on any railroads within the State as a maximum charge.

It was, therefore, apparent that if an agreement was to be reached it could be done only by mutual concessions. Your committee agreed to recommend, and does recommend, that the two houses agree to two and one-quarter cents per mile as a maximum charge for all railroad companies in North Carolina having mileage of more than sixty miles. The lines of all companies not exceeding sixty miles long, operated independently of all other railroad companies, it was thought proper to except from the operation of the provisions of the proposed law fixing two and one-quarter cents as the maximum charge for transporting passengers. If these provisions of the bill proposed by the conference committee are adopted, then and in that event all of the lines of railroads operated by the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company, the Seaboard Air Line Railway Company, the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, the Norfolk and Southern Railway Company, as well as the Atlantic and North Carolina, the Ashboro and Aberdeen Railroad Company and the East Carolina and Virginia Railroad Company, or lines of railroad of subsidiary companies, or of companies which are in any way managed, controlled or operated by any of these companies, will come within the provisions of the law fixing two and one-quarter cents per passenger per mile as the maximum charge for transporting passengers. All independent railroad companies having not an excess of sixty miles of road within the State of North Carolina will come within the provisions of the law allowing the rate to be fixed by the North Carolina Corporation Commission not exceeding the present rates charged.

Interchangeable mileage tickets may be used on all railroads having the same or less maximum passenger charges, and are to be kept on sale by all railroad companies in the State. The conference committee felt that if the law with respect to the maximum passenger charges is to be enforced, there should be provided severe penalties, which would deter those disposed to violate the law from doing so, unless they know the same to be invalid, in which event no evil can come to them by this
violation. The committee has investigated the question of the legality of the provisions of the proposed bill which it has prepared and which accompanies the joint report of the conference committee, and believes it to be in all respects legal; and it is believed, furthermore, that the rates fixed are substantially just and equitable, both to the railroads and to the people. The only difference which has seriously troubled the committee was the difference of opinion as to whether the rate of charge should be more or less than that fixed in the accompanying bill, which is a part of this report. The committee believes that, under the circumstances, however, its differences should be adjusted and the bill prepared by the conference committee as an attempted adjustment of the differences between the two houses of the General Assembly of North Carolina should be adopted.

It does not deem it necessary to cite authorities or statistics to sustain this report of your committee, or to give further reasons for its action, inasmuch as the matter has been fully discussed upon the floors of the Senate and the House of Representatives by the respective members, and this information has been called to the attention of the two houses.

Respectfully submitted,

J. S. Manning,
B. B. Winborne,
R. L. Stevens.

Conference on the part of the House.

The reports are read, and Mr. Manning, on the part of the joint committee, submits the following bill as a substitute agreed upon by the joint committee: H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the maximum charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers in North Carolina, which is placed on the Calendar and, on motion of Mr. Manning, is made the special order for to-morrow at the expiration of the morning hour.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of the territory included the question of the creation of the county of Lee from portions of Moore and Chatham.

The House resumes consideration of the bill.

The question is upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading. The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their vote: Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Galloway of Greene, John, Mangum, Mial, Preston.

Mr. Gillam is excused from voting.

Mr. Gordon announces that he is paired with Mr. Brewer. Mr. Brewer, had he been present, would have voted "Aye" and Mr. Gordon would have voted "No."
Mr. Rodwell announces that he is paired with Mr. Harshaw. Mr. Rodwell would have voted "Aye" and Mr. Harshaw "No."

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar and is also made a special order for Friday, March 1st, at 11 o'clock A. M.:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


A message is received from his Excellency, R. B. Glenn, Governor of North Carolina, conveying certain information.

Mr. Sharp moves that 300 copies of the same be printed.

The order is made, and 300 copies are ordered printed and ordered spread upon the desks of the members.

On motion of Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1559, S. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled an act for the systematic retirement of the members of the Board of Education of the Burlington City Graded Schools and the appointment of successors, is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Education.

On motion of Mr. Watts, H. B. 1603, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district of a portion of Alexander and Iredell Counties, to be known as County Line District, is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1461, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Zebulon Graded School District, in Wake County, is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the House takes a recess until to-night at 8 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to recess, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair.

The Speaker lays before the House H. B. 1200, S. B. 750, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of commissioners for the county of Sampson and to appoint the same.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Mr. Clifford moves to take the bill from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and recommit the same to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

The motion is lost.

Mr. Doughton moves that the bill be recalled from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and placed on the Calendar, and, on motion of Mr. Doughton, is made a special order for Saturday, March 2, 1907, at the expiration of the morning hour.

By unanimous consent, the following bills are introduced, pass their first readings and are disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 1730, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to issue bonds to refund a portion of the bonded debt of Rutherford County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1731, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for bridge purposes.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt, H. B. 1732, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Ayden, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1733, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Winterville, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

Placed on the Calendar.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The Speaker lays before the House H. B. 1695, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unlawful restraint of trade and commerce, being a substitute for H. B. 1565, a bill to be entitled an act denouncing conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce, for consideration.

Mr. Gallert sends forward an amendment to the original bill.

Mr. Winborne calls the previous question.

Before the call is placed before the House Mr. Winborne allows Mr. Grant to send forward an amendment and allows him five minutes to make his argument.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment.

The question is upon the amendment of Mr. Winborne.
The amendment is adopted.
The substitute is adopted.
The question recurs upon the adoption of the last amendment by Mr. Grant. Upon this he demands the ayes and noes.
Call sustained, and the amendment is lost by the following vote:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative are:
The amendments offered by the following gentlemen are lost:
Messrs. Gallert, Grant and Turlington.
The substitute offered by Mr. Manning is lost.
The question then recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading, and upon this Mr. Manning demands the ayes and noes.
Call sustained.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and is ordered placed on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative are:
Messrs. Baley, Grant, Morton, Pickett, Pugh—5.
By unanimous consent, the bill is placed upon its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

March 1, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Yount, in the absence of the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Tyree, of Raleigh.

Mr. Watts, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

On motion of Mr. Weaver, the courtesies of the floor are extended to Honorable Mr. Murphy, ex-Representative from Buncombe County.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the Calendar of bills is placed in charge of the Speaker the balance of the session.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Rodwell, petition from merchants of the town of Warren- ton to abolish the homestead exemption.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 1578, a bill to be entitled an act concerning the Superior Courts of Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Weaver, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1488, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the water-powers of North Carolina, with a favorable report, with a minority report against the bill.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 1647, S. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time for holding the Superior Courts of Henderson County, in the Seventh Judicial District, with a favorable report.
Corporations.

H. B. 1724, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Alleghany and South-eastern Railway Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1712, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 4047 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to tax titles, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 795, S. B. 598, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 975 of the Revisal of 1905, to provide for the increase of power of Cherokee Indians and others to trade or barter.

H. B. 1683, S. B. 282, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the poll tax in municipalities in North Carolina.

H. B. 873, S. B. 549, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 37, section 1726 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time in which surveys of land may be recorded, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1207, S. B. 727, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1512 of the Revisal of 1905, with reference to special terms of the Superior Court.

H. B. 1090, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1131 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to mortgages by corporations, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1706, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage of a certain portion of Indian Creek, in Lincoln County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unlawful cutting of timber, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1582, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the impounding of live-stock within the corporate limits of the town of Cranby, in Columbus County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1115, a bill to be entitled an act relative to bankrupts, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1494, a bill to be entitled an act to protect laborers, mechanics and artisans in New Hanover County.

H. B. 1602, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3715 of the Revisal relative to gambling, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1063, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5226 of the Revisal so as to give justices of the peace jurisdiction of the misdemeanor of failing to list property and polls for taxation, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 731, S. B. 464, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to landlord and tenant act for Lincoln County.

H. B. 1684, S. B. 1275, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize George P. Pell of Forsyth County to use the contents of the Revisal of 1905 in publishing an annotated edition of the statute laws, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Weaver, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1451, a bill to be entitled an act to allow rail-
roads to construct belt lines in towns of the State, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1416, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the probate of deeds taken before a notary public without seal.

H. B. 586, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, entitled "Railroads," relating to the procedure for condemning lands.

H. B. 669, a bill to be entitled an act to enable citizens of the State engaged in fishing shad and other migrating fishes to sue for and recover damages resultant from the building by any corporation, firm or person of any bridge in the navigable waters of this State.

H. B. 1406, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the use of business names in copartnership, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 874, S. B. 601, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of deeds, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. McLean, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Salem, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 1606, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a ferry across Yadkin River.

H. B. 1640, S. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Monroe.

H. B. 1620, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 359, Private Laws of 1899, the charter of the town of Apex.

H. B. 1726, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Southern Baptist Assembly, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1351, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and provide for the organization of the county of Park from parts of Mitchell and Watauga Counties, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1725, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Davidson County to call an election for bonds for public roads.

H. B. 1719, a bill to be entitled an act to change the township lines of Winston, Middle Fork, Old Town, and South Fork Townships of Forsyth County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Washington, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1064, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Castalia Railroad Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 906, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Morganton Graded School laws, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 892, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Public School
District No. 2, in Webster Township, Jackson County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1661, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Claudia Wiley, a public school teacher of Anson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1461, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Zebulon Graded School District, in Wake County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1603, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district out of a portion of Alexander and Iredell Counties, to be known as County Line District, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1702, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4099 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to public schools, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1697, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 21, chapter 382 of the Public Laws of 1903, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 1191, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4795, chapter 100, insurance law of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1348, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Murphy, Cherokee County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Kitchin, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1723, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 374, Private Laws of 1905, relating to the Appalachian Electric Power and Transit Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1660, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate two stock-law districts in the upper part of White Oak Township, in Bladen County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1728, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads in certain townships in Polk County.

H. B. 1398, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the compensation of the Sheriff of Halifax County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1652, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2055 of the Revisal, in regard to agricultural liens in Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1730, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to issue bonds to refund a portion of the bonded debt of said county.

H. B. 1626, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 362, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Coats, in Harnett County.

H. B. 1704, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Alexander County.
H. B. 1713, a bill to be entitled an act requiring non-resident hunters to obtain a license from the Clerk of the Court before shooting in the county of Randolph.

H. B. 1691, S. B. 1215, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Shoals Panel Company.

H. B. 1618, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Laurinburg.

H. B. 1765, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3472 of the Revisal, relative to Alexander County.

H. B. 1701, a bill to be entitled an act for the government of the town of Beaufort, Carteret County.

H. B. 1733, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Winterville, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 956, a bill to be entitled an act to require railway companies to keep their passenger cars clean and decent, with an unfavorable report as to bill, and a new bill No. 1772 is introduced as a substitute.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 1732, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Ayden, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1587, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county commissioners to offer rewards for defaulting county officers, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1387, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the stock law for Watauga County.

H. B. 1507, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the establishing of free ferries in Bladen County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1043, S. B. 1124, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of A. P. Harris, Clerk of the Superior Court of Stanly County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1624, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 577, Public Laws of 1905, relating to cotton-weigher for the town of Dunn, Harnett County.

H. B. 1727, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust into the waters of certain streams of Chatham County.

H. B. 1644, S. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 640 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to the depredations of domestic fowls.

H. B. 1526, a bill to be entitled an act to allow hogs and other stock to run at large in Sand Hill Township, Lenoir County, with a favorable report.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the fol-
lowing bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to
the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon
public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year between the
ages of eight and fourteen.

H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365 of the
Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 1417, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the
town of Hertford.

H. B. 1446, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of
Washington to issue bonds for street improvement.

Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the
following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly
ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1050, S. B. 1265, an act to incorporate the town of Ever-
green, in Columbus County.

H. B. 1204, S. B. 1261, an act to consolidate and amend the charter
of the town of Mebane.

H. B. 1283, S. B. 1271, an act to provide for the holding of an
election in Liberty Township, Yadkin County, in regard to the
Statesville Air Line Railroad.

H. B. 842, S. B. 1264, an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws
of 1899, relating to the road law of the township of Smith Creek,
in Warren County.

H. B. 843, S. B. 1244, an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws
of 1899, relating to the road law of the township of Six Pound, in
Warren County.

H. B. 1315, S. B. 818, an act to secure the better drainage of
Big Beaver Dam Creek, in Gaston County.

H. B. 1303, S. B. 1239, an act to authorize the Aldermen of the
Town of Bryson City to issue bonds.

H. B. 1085, S. B. 1266, an act to authorize the Board of Com-
misioners of Durham County to designate and purchase a new site
for a court-house and to purchase additional lands for the county
home and work-house.

H. B. 1312, S. B. 817, an act to amend the charter of the town of
Cherryville, in Gaston County.

H. B. 1325, S. B. 819, an act to amend the road laws of Gaston
County.

H. B. 989, S. B. 1259, an act to authorize the city of Durham
to issue bonds for the purpose of improving and repairing the
streets and sidewalks of the city of Durham.

H. B. 1273, S. B. 1238, an act to authorize the Board of Com-
misioners of Greene County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1189, S. B. 1229, an act to incorporate the town of Bonsal.

H. B. 1330, S. B. 845, an act authorizing the Mayor and Com-
missioners of the Town of Reidsville, in the county of Rocking-
ham, to issue bonds for the establishment of a system of sewerage for said town and for street improvements.

H. B. 1134, S. B. 1230, an act to provide good roads in Mt. Gilead Township, Montgomery County.

H. B. 616, S. B. 1262, an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City and to authorize the board of aldermen of said city to issue bonds and levy a special tax for paving the streets of said town.

H. B. 1253, S. B. 1274, an act to incorporate the town of Hookerton, in the county of Greene.

H. B. 401, S. B. 53, an act to establish a graded school in certain specific territory in Moore County.

H. B. 1328, S. B. 783, an act to provide for working the public roads of Hillsboro Township, Orange County, and to authorize the Commissioners of Orange County to submit to the qualified voters of said township the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads in said township.

H. B. 1245, S. B. 1260, an act to provide for the issue of bonds by the Louisburg Graded School District.

H. B. 1291, S. B. 1231, an act to provide for the redemption of the bonds issued by the county of Onslow under provisions of chapter 233, Acts of 1895, and acts amendatory thereof.

H. B. 1279, S. B. 1232, an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, an act to incorporate the town of Wendell, in Wake County.

H. B. 1314, S. B. 827, an act to empower the County Commissioners of Harnett County to levy a special tax to pay the expenses of building a stock-law fence in portions of Barbecue and Upper Little River Townships.

H. B. 1237, S. B. 1235, an act to authorize the city of Hickory to establish and operate an electric light plant and to issue bonds therefor.

H. B. 765, S. B. 723, an act to enlarge the Whittier stock-law boundary, in Swain County.

H. B. 1127, S. B. 1267, an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Transylvania County.

H. B. 1182, S. B. 1253, an act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Hickory to issue bonds to pay off a debt contracted for sewerage extension.

H. B. 1168, S. B. 1251, an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Murphy, in Cherokee County, to issue bonds and for water-works and sewerage.

H. B. 1224, S. B. 1233, an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Belhaven, Beaufort County, to issue bonds.

H. B. 1296, S. B. 1106, an act to provide a board of audit and finance for the county of Robeson and to fix the duties of the same.
H. B. 1114, S. B. 1249, an act to establish a graded school in Madison District, Rockingham County.

H. B. 674, S. B. 1263, an act to incorporate the Virginia and Eastern Carolina Railroad Company.

H. B. 1059, S. B. 1240, an act for the better working of the public roads of Wilkes County.

H. B. 940, S. B. 1250, an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Hot Springs.

H. B. 1335, S. B. 753, an act to amend the charter of the town of Belmont, in Gaston County.

H. B. 1316, S. B. 765, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to macadamize and improve public roads thereof.

H. B. 1075, S. B. 1237, an act to incorporate the town of Brookford, in Catawba County.

H. B. 1313, S. B. 809, an act allowing the people of Brevard Township to vote bonds for the purpose of macadamizing and amending certain public roads and streets of said township.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 546, H. B. 1734, a bill to be entitled an act to protect quail in Yadkin County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. B. 663, H. B. 1735, a bill to be entitled an act to protect ruffled grouse and pheasants in Transylvania County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. B. 744, H. B. 1736, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 70, Private Laws of 1903, pertaining to the charter of the town of West Tarboro.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1132, H. B. 1737, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the limits of the city of Wilmington.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1138, H. B. 1738, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 423 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to service upon foreign corporations.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1142, H. B. 1739, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for the organization of the Graham County Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1192, H. B. 1740, a bill to be entitled an act, substitute for S. B. 1015, to appoint a finance committee for Polk County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.
S. B. 1194, H. B. 1741, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Winston Bank and Trust Company.

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

S. B. 1195, H. B. 1742, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72, Public Laws of 1903, to change boundary line of Morris Chapel School District, in Harnett County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1196, H. B. 1743, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Brown Marsh Township, in Bladen County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads of said township.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1197, H. B. 1744, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal certain stock-law boundaries in Harnett County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1198, H. B. 1745, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory of chapter 28, section 1506, of the Revisal of 1905, creating an additional term of the Superior Court for the county of Edgecombe.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 1199, H. B. 1746, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2776 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to fees of the Register of Deeds for Lenoir County for registering short form of lien bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 1200, H. B. 1747, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Walnut Cove, in Stokes County.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1201, H. B. 1748, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 175, Private Laws of 1901, and to extend the corporate limits of Lawrence, in Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1202, H. B. 1749, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hollyville, in Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1204, H. B. 1750, a bill to be entitled an act to protect certain game in Montgomery County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. B. 1205, H. B. 1751, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Raleigh and Winston-Salem Railway Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1212, H. B. 1752, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Speed, in Edgecombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1211, H. B. 1753, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080, Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relating to shipment of liquor in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 1210, H. B. 1754, a bill to be entitled an act to require the
County Commissioners of Columbus County to use the road tax in townships where collected.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1213, H. B. 1755, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Guilford County to place the management and control of all schools which have voted for the same special school tax in one township under one committee.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1214, H. B. 1756, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Stone Mountain Railway Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1216, H. B. 1757, a bill to be entitled an act concerning certain disordered records and documents in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Lincoln County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1218, H. B. 1758, a bill to be entitled an act to validate an act of E. H. Walker, a justice of the peace of Bertie County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1219, H. B. 1759, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Duplin County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1220, H. B. 1760, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 247 of the Public Laws of 1899, by adding Wake County to the list of counties having a short form for agricultural liens.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1221, H. B. 1761, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. H. Burwell and A. H. Haughawont, public school teachers in Caswell County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1222, H. B. 1762, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Samaria School District, in Ferrell's Township, Nash County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1223, H. B. 1763, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain a graded school district in the town of Biscoe, Montgomery County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1224, H. B. 1764, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 202, Private Laws of 1895, entitled an act to incorporate the town of South Gaston, Halifax County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1225, H. B. 1765, a bill to be entitled an act for the working, laying out and repairing, improving and draining of the public roads of Bertie County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1272, H. B. 1766, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 712 of the Public Laws of 1905.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 1285, H. B. 1767, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1302, H. B. 1768, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 95, Private Laws of 1903, establishing a graded school in the town of Roxboro.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1303, H. B. 1304, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 95, Private Laws of 1903, establishing a graded school in the town of Roxboro.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 1359, H. B. 1771, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of C. L. Cook of the county of Wilkes.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

Substitute for S. B. 274, H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk and to prevent fraud in such sale.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1068, H. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 77, Tract No. 1312.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1270, H. B. 1280, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of $500,000 for municipal ownership of water-works and sewerage.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1245, H. B. 1281, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of $400,000 for street improvements.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1159, H. B. 1429, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 330 of the Public Laws of 1903, changing the boundary line of Wesley Chapel Graded School District, in Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 952, H. B. 1635, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Weldon and Roanoke Rapids Electric Railway Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1122, H. B. 1818, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the stock law in Chatham County.

Placed on the Calendar.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1773, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3066 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to weight of bushel of corn meal.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 1774, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the County Commissioners of Rowan County to condemn certain lands for road purposes in conformity with the provisions of the Mecklenburg road law.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 1775, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to appoint trustees to take over and loan the Coddle Creek Railroad bond fund of Iredell County until said bonds become due, which was ratified January 30, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 1776, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a superintendent of roads and bridges for Guilford County and to fix his duties.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1777, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2712 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the pay of supervisors of roads.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1778, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Gibsonville Graded School District, enlarge its boundaries and to provide for its management.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Griffin, H. B. 1779, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Castalia, in Nash County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. McLean, H. B. 1780, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Bladen County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 1781, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stovall, in Granville County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Foushee, by request, H. B. 1782, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Liberty, in Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 1783, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the sidewalks of the town of Ashboro, in Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1784, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Randolph and Yadkin Railway Company.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 1785, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County in respect to the sale of liquor.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 1786, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Durham.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Watts, H. B. 1787, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1876-'77, to secure the better drainage of the lowlands of the South Yadkin River, in the county of Alexander, between Crouch’s Mill and Sharpe’s Mill.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hooker, H. B. 1788, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize certain citizens to erect stock gates across public roads in Richland Township, Beaufort County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 1789, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a system for keeping up, building and repairing of the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Jones of Johnston, H. B. 1790, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Cleveland Township, Johnston County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Keener, H. B. 1791, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff and Tax Collector for Lincoln County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 1792, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the rights of unborn children and innocent purchasers.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1793, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock-law boundary in Haywood County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1794, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 440 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the graded school in Pigeon River Township, Haywood County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 1795, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Metta Smith, an insane girl of Catawba County, and to provide for her admission into the State Hospital for the Insane at Morgan-ton.

Referred to the Committee on Institutions for the Insane.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1796, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in Cecil Township, Haywood County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1797, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in Cata-loochee Township, in Haywood County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
H. B. 1798, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 485, section 6, relative to the Waynesville Graded School.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1799, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the cleaning out of the head of Pungo River and for building a channel to relieve the pressure of water at the head of said river, and for the drainage of the land around the head of said river and either side of the same.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1800, a bill to be entitled an act in reference to the naval militia.

Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1801, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the road law of Haywood County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1802, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the stock law for New Hanover County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1803, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt certain persons from jury duty in New Hanover County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Hampton, H. B. 1804, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Currituck County to levy a special tax for the purpose of providing a county home for the poor.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1805, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 375 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the road improvements in Waynesville Township.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1806, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the compensation of the County Surveyor of Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1807, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school district in Lilesville Township, Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dilling, H. B. 1808, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district in Gaston County, and to provide for an election upon the question of levying a special tax therein.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1809, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of East Kings Mountain, in Gaston County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1810, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 73 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to towns.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Avery, H. B. 1811, a bill to be entitled an act to protect counsel from loss in the collection of contingent fees.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1812, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of liquor.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1813, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the people of Lexington to vote on the question of a dispensary.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1814, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 324, Public Laws 1901, relative to School District No. 3, in Chadbourn Township, Columbus County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. Rodwell, H. B. 1815, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of the Revisal, relative to contracts between landlords and tenants.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
By Mr. Clifford, H. B. 1816, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 8, Laws of 1854-'55, changing the line between the county of Harnett and the county of Cumberland.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
H. B. 1817, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Angier, upon a majority vote of its citizens, to establish a dispensary.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1919, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Blue Ridge Association for Christian Conference and Training.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
By Mr. Midyette, H. B. 1820, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 367 of the Laws of 1891, entitled an act to incorporate the Northampton and Hertford Railroad Company, so as to enable said company to purchase or construct railroads, to unite or merge with other roads, to lease and operate other roads, and to lease its road and corporate rights to others.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
By Mr. Ehringhaus, by request, H. B. 1821, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Blount, H. B. 1822, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4029, 4087, 4109, 4110, 4115, 4134, 4161, 4162, 4163 and 4177 of chapter 89 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to education.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1823, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage and protect the industry of growing strawberries and other perishable fruits, vegetables and truck crops in North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.
By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1824, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Charitable Brotherhood.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 1825, a bill to be entitled an act for the testing of water, electric and gas meters.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Buchan, H. B. 1826, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Moore County to issue bonds for road improvements.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Stevens, by request, H. B. 1827, a bill to be entitled an act to pay the officers of Union County full fees in criminal actions.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1828, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the Private Laws of 1903, entitled an act to incorporate the Presbyterian Hospital of Charlotte.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House for consideration H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled an act to create a firemen's relief fund, and to increase the efficiency of the fire departments in the several towns and cities of North Carolina.

The substitute offered by Mr. Royster fails of adoption.

The amendments to the original bill offered by the committee are adopted.

Mr. Gordon offers an amendment which is adopted.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered, and the amendment offered by Mr. Gordon is reconsidered, and on a vote the amendment is lost.

The bill then passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

The report of the Joint Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate and House filed yesterday, on H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers, as amended by the Senate substitute, S. B. 616, a bill to be entitled an act establishing rates for passenger traffic in the State of North Carolina, was placed before the House, and on motion of Mr. Manning, the joint report of the Senate and House Committee on Conference was adopted, and the report of the committee on the part of the House, appointed to confer with the
Senate committee, which was, on motion of Mr. Manning, adopted, the same being H. B. 1729, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the maximum charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers in North Carolina, is, on motion of Mr. Manning, adopted as the substitute for the bills in difference, and on motion of Mr. Manning, the bill is placed on its second reading, upon which he calls for the ayes and noes, and the call is sustained.

The following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:

The following gentlemen vote in the negative:
Messrs. Dilling, Morton, Murphy, Pugh—4.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its third reading.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered held in the House until the Senate may make a report.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of the territory included, the question of the creation of the county of Lee from portions of Moore and Chatham Counties, upon its third reading.

Mr. London sends forward an amendment.
Upon the adoption of his amendment he demands the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.
The amendment is lost by the following vote:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Avery, Bowman, Buchan, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Iredell, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Griffin, Hampton, Hankins, Harris, Jacobson, Jones of Johnston, Liverman, London, McLean, McRae, Manning, Morgan, Morton, Mull,

Those voting in the negative are:


The question recurs upon the passage of the bill, and it passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1578, a bill to be entitled an act concerning the Superior Courts of Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1818, S. B. 122, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock law in Chatham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 1280, S. B. 1270, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of $500,000 for municipal ownership of water-works and sewerage.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1281, S. B. 1245, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds in the sum of $400,000 for street improvements.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1223, S. B. 1068, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 77, Tract No. 1312.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 726, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Clinton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 925, S. B. 622, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Troy Township, Montgomery County, to create a special road commission for said township and to work the same by taxation.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Bruton, Bryant, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Gaston, Gillam, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian,
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1504, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Fayetteville.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1520, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Raleigh to fund its indebtedness for necessary current expenses.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1535, S. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Jonesboro to issue bonds to provide for lighting and furnishing a supply of water to said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1536, S. B. 810, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Siler City, in Chatham County, to issue bonds for the purpose of improving the public streets, etc.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1549, S. B. 988, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Greenville to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Bruton, Bryan, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1586, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Franklin County the question of issuing bonds for improving the public roads of said county, etc.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1596, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and to provide for the payment of the same.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1598, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax for Wayne County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1601, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cumberland County to issue bonds and build bridges.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1612, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the city of Randleman, in Randolph County, to issue bonds for street improvements, to be left to a vote of the people.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to provide for working the public roads and highways of Halifax County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1658, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Bruton, Bryant, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Foushee,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1602, a bill to be entitled an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1681, a bill to be entitled an act to charter the Wilmington, Pender, Duplin and Sampson Railroad.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
H. B. 1362, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school district in Lilesville Township, Anson County. Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro. Substitute adopted. Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1482, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County and to levy a special tax therefor.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1532, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1533, S. B. 779, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Rocky Mount to issue bonds for paving its streets and for other municipal improvements.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Bryant, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Hankins, Harris, Hollowell, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 947, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Lincolnton to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1537, S. B. 828, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act for the working of the public roads of Gates County, ratified the 13th day of February, 1897.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1538, S. B. 936, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate and restore corporate power to the town of Gatesville, in Gates County, and extend the corporate limits of said town.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1592, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Rowland to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1614, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the County Commissioners of Randolph to issue bonds for good roads, to be left to a vote of the people.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Bruton, Bryant, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1615, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the trustees of Asheboro Graded Schools to issue bonds, to be left to a vote of the people.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1623, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Dunn Road District and provide for working roads in same.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1629, S. B. 982, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Grifton and to amend the charter of said town.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1636, S. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to levy and collect a special tax for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said county, providing for an election.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1637, S. B. 1011, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to issue bonds for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said county.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1638, S. B. 1018, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the county of Pitt to issue bonds for certain purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1639, S. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Union County to levy a special tax to build bridges.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Bruton, Bryant, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Gaston, Gillam, Grant, Grier,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1642, S. B. 1929, a bill to be entitled an act to re-enact the charter of the town of Germanton, in the county of Stokes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1649, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds not exceeding $300,000 for macadamizing and improving the roads of said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1659, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the county commissioners to issue bonds to build a court-house and jail, to be left to a vote of the people of Randolph County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1673, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Rutherfordton to issue bonds and levy a special tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1675, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Union County and to authorize a special tax therefor and to issue bonds for said purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1685. S. B. 938, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Seaboard, Greensboro and Great Western Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1087. S. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Wise, Warren County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Bruton, Bryant, Coleman, Cox, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Doughton, Dowd, Ehrlinghaus, Foushee, Galler, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Hankins, Harris, Hollowell, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Kennedy, Laughinghouse, Liverman, Lockhart, London, McDaniel, McLean, McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Mangum, Man-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1688, S. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Tryon Township, Polk County, the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said township and to create a highway commission therein.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1689, S. B. 1138, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Indian Trail, in Union County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1600, S. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the Water and Light Commission of the City of New Bern.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Clifford, Washington, Pugh. McDaniel, Carter and Albright.

The Speaker announces that Mr. Edgerton is added to the Committee on Calendar Bills.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the House takes a recess until to-night at 8 o'clock.

**EVENING SESSION.**

The House meets pursuant to recess, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair.

The Chair lays before the House, H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide fire escapes and to protect human life.

The bill passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

Mr. Winborne rises to a question of personal privilege in regard to certain statements made in to-day's Evening Times.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.**

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1823, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage and protect the industry of growing strawberries and other perishable fruits, vegetables and truck crops in North Carolina, with a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Koonce, H. B. 968, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal sections 2012, 2013 and 2014 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to libel and slander, is made a special order for Monday evening, March 4th, at 8 o'clock.
A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bill, which is read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1012, H. B. 1829, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Deep and Forney’s Creek Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the farmers of Alexander County against sawdust.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 570, S. B. 321, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 130, Public Laws of 1905, in relation to killing squirrels in Bertie and Martin Counties.

As amended by the substitute, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment for concurrence.

H. R. 810, S. R. 327, resolution to furnish Lincoln County with copies of Volumes 8 and 9 of the Colonial Records, which have been burned.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 607, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 231 of the Public Laws of 1897, by giving the board of supervisors power to employ labor, to require working and grading all public roads in Monroe Township, Union County, and to require road supervisors to publish annual statements of moneys received and expended for working roads.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1608, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the dispensary in Jackson and to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in the town of Jackson, Northampton County, which act was passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session 1907, and was ratified February 25, 1907.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1609, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Windsor to convey certain school property to the Windsor Graded School.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1610, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Randleman, in the county of Randolph.
PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1616, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing in Little River, in Wake County, with seine or trap.

PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1624, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing in Little River, in Wake County, with seine or trap.

PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1600, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in McDowell and Yancey Counties.

PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1597, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City Fire Company No. 2.

PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1595, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 577, Public Laws of 1905, relating to cotton-weigher for the town of Dunn, Harnett County.

PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1600, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in McDowell and Yancey Counties.

PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

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PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1597, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Private Laws of 1874 and 1875, chapter 10, relating to the town of Newport, in the county of Carteret.

PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1568, a bill to be entitled an act to elect a tax collector for School District No. 5, Hunting Quarter Township, Carteret County.

PASSES its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 993, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate and restrict child labor in manufacturing establishments and to regulate the hours of labor.

On motion of Mr. Gallert, is made a special order for next Monday at the expiration of the morning hour, and 200 copies are ordered printed.

H. B. 1656, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the open and closed seasons for hunting quail and partridges in Camden County.

On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, the vote is reconsidered, a substitute is adopted and the bill as amended by the substitute, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

The original bill is laid on the table.
H. B. 1661, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Claudia Wiley, a public school teacher of Anson County.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1787, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1876 and 1877, to secure the better drainage of the lowlands of the South Yadkin River, in the county of Alexander, between Crouche's Mill and Sharp's Mill.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1697, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 21, chapter 322 of the Public Laws of 1901.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1706, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage of a certain portion of Indian Creek, in Lincoln County.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1713, a bill to be entitled an act requiring non-resident hunters to obtain a license from the Clerk of the Court before shooting in the county of Randolph.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1727, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust into the waters of certain streams of Chatham County.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1705, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3472 of the Revisal, relative to Alexander County.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1806, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the compensation of the County Surveyor of Anson County.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1663, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 241, Private Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 286 of the Private Laws of 1901, with reference to route of Wilkesboro and Jefferson Turnpike.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1606, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a ferry across Yadkin River.
Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1773, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3066 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to weight of a bushel of corn meal.

Passes its second reading and is ordered on the Calendar.

H. B. 1653, a bill to be entitled an act to pay the salary of a public school teacher of Randolph County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1655, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the killing of deer in Jones County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1570, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. W. Bynum, a former school teacher of Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1571, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize D. J. Sanders, ex-Sheriff of Onslow County, to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1902, 1903 and 1904.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1574, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Warren County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1464, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for the cotton-weigher of Mooresville to take oath of office.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1470, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for making proper entries on judgment dockets of the Superior Courts, where judgments have been reversed, modified or affirmed.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 1234, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Private Laws of 1895, relating to the Waynesville dispensary.

Substitute adopted, and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 731, S. B. 464, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 3367 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to the landlord and tenant act for Lincoln County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide fire escapes and protect human life.

Passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 1278, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a of
the Revisal of 1905, relating to dumping sawdust into streams, Mark’s Creek, Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1387, S. B. 950, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the stock law for Watauga County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1496, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 59, Laws of 1903, relative to working roads in Smithfield Township, in Johnston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1495, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the management and control of automobiles and other vehicles upon public roads and highways in Forsyth County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1497, a bill to be entitled an act amending sections 3366 and 3367, chapter 81 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to landlords and tenants.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1777, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2712 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to pay of supervisors of roads.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1776, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a superintendent of roads and bridges for Guilford County and to fix his duties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1783, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the sidewalks of the town of Ashboro, in Randolph County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1628, S. B. 1172, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Virginia and Carolina Southern Railway Company and to allow it to increase its capital stock.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1562, S. B. 968, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1895, it being an act to incorporate the town of South Biltmore, in Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1564, S. B. 972, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 285 of the Public Laws of 1899, in regard to prohibiting the running of sawdust into the streams of Watauga County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1556, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the family of Hastings the correct and proper name.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1557, S. B. 977, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 5, of the Public Laws of 1891, relating to the protection of fish in McDowell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1821, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1821, S. B. 977, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 5, of the Public Laws of 1891, relating to the protection of fish in McDowell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1545, S. B. 1021, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1546, S. B. 1014, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and deputy sheriffs at Draper and Avalon, Rockingham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1547, S. B. 1013, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fast driving over the county bridge across New River, Jacksonville, Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1539, S. B. 1141, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the holding of the Spring Term of Surry Superior Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1541, S. B. 1030, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act passed at this session of the General Assembly, entitled an act to amend chapter 83, Private Laws of 1891, as amended by chapter 127, Private Laws of 1895, and chapter 63, Private Laws of 1901, relating to the charter of the town of Weldon, being H. B. 771, S. B. 19.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1544, S. B. 1022, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Superior Courts of the Fifteenth Judicial District.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1518, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3367 of the Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1519, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1674, chapter 35 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the stock law in Moore County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1760, S. B. 1220, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 247 of the Public Laws of 1889, by adding Wake County to the list of counties having a short form for agricultural liens.

Passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1507, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the control and management of automobiles and other vehicles upon public roads and highways in Guilford County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

H. B. 1508, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 257, Private Laws of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

H. B. 1510, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Mattamuskeet Railway Company, and for other purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

H. B. 1476, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 70 of the Laws of 1883, establishing the stock law for Greene County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1480, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 830 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the public roads of Lillington Township, Harnett County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1487, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the compensation of the County Commissioners of Madison County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1458, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 598, of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to half fees where "not a true bill" is found.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1459, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Laurinburg Cemetery Company.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1462, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 30, chapter 201, Private Laws of 1905, in regard to municipal taxes on merchants in the town of Mount Olive.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1414, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the fishing of certain nets in North Creek, Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1418, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within one mile of Gryder's School-house, in Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1425, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit corporations from preventing public improvements by other corporations, by preventing the occupation of land for the purposes of right-of-way.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1148, S. B. 764, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors or wine and cider within two miles of Friendship Church, Faison Township, Duplin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1213, S. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1183 of the Revisal of 1905, to enlarge the power of minority stockholders in the election of the boards of directors of corporations.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1263, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1475, a bill to be entitled an act to transfer certain persons from Sandy Ridge School District to Alton School District, in Union County is, on motion of Mr. Stevens, recommitted to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1604, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate municipal elections in the town of Elizabeth City is, on motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1242, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1881, chapter 40, Revisal of 1905, relating to hunting deer in Tyrrell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1274, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1283, chapter 22, Revisal of 1905, relative to court costs in Robeson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1271, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to a court stenographer for Cumberland County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1294, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Savings Bank and Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1371, a bill to be entitled an act to protect fish in Speight's Mill-pond, in Gates County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1015, a bill to be entitled an act ratifying certain deeds and leases in Person County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1037, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 718, Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish a graded school in the town of Columbia.

The bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1058, a bill to be entitled an act to put Sampson County under the State Anti-jug Law, and to prevent the soliciting of orders for whiskey to be shipped into the county of Sampson.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1075, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and to fix certain fees and expenses to be incurred in the administration of the law in Burke County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1083, S. B. 1116, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of the County Commissioners of Durham County.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1131, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080, chapter 49 of the Revisal of 1905, putting the town of Mount Olive under the provisions of the Anti-jug Law.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1297, S. B. 1073, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Robeson County.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1331, S. B. 922, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revisal of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1341, S. B. 813, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the com-
pensation of the Board of County Commissioners of Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

Substitute for H. B. 986, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the village of Royall Cotton Mills.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 996, S. B. 1082, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the village of Royall Cotton Mills.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

Substitute for II. B. 986, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the village of Royall Cotton Mills.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

II. B. 996, S. B. 1082, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City, relative to the mayor's salary.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Causey Pugh to peddle medicine in Randolph and Alamance Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for II. B. 1397, S. B. 588, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time for holding the Superior Court in Ashe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled— for ratification.

H. B. 1398, S. B. 729, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Winston a special court, to be called the Recorder's Court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

II. B. 1411, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine and cider within two miles of Center Roads Baptist Church, in Bladen County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1448, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in the county of Stokes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1454, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game birds in Burke County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1457, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of wills.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1433, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Cabarrus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1443, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine within two miles of Sidney Church, in Beaufort County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1447, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the overflow of Lyon Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1485, a bill to be entitled an act to protect certain fur-bearing animals in Clay County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1481, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Nannie McPhail Yarborough, a public school teacher of Chatham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1499, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 760, Public Laws of 1905, to prevent the overflow of White Oak Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1510, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 182, Private Laws of 1905, incorporating Andrews' School District No. 4, in Cherokee County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1503, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 165 of the Public Laws of 1901, establishing the Epsom High School District in Vance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1529, S. B. 975, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122, Private Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 35, Private Laws of 1893, being an act to incorporate the Branch Banking Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1530, S. B. 981, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Greenville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1531, S. B. 954, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 230 of the Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, in regard to working the public roads of Montgomery County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 1548, S. B. 988, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Colerain, in Bertie County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1550, S. B. 775, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Farmville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1554, S. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit saw-dust from being thrown into streams in Iredell County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

H. B. 1524, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the Highway Commission of Rutherford County to acquire gravel pits and stone quarries, and to require them to make an itemized report of their receipts and disbursements.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1525, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 413 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to a cotton-weigher for the town of Laurinburg.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1526, a bill to be entitled an act to allow hogs and other stock to run at large in Sand Hill Township, Lenoir County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1513, a bill to be entitled an act to charter Kinston College, Kinston, Lenoir County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1514, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the disposition of the proceeds of the dispensary of Lenoir County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1511, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3001 and 3006 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the fees for the inspection of buildings in the town of Graham, Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1472, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a free school district in Crooked Creek Township, McDowell County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1477, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent obstructions being placed in Moccasin River, or Big Contentnea Creek and Little Contentnea Creek.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1478, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 393, Public Laws of 1905, concerning the hunting of squirrels and opossums in Greene County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1560, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1785, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County in respect to the sale of liquor.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1898, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the compensation of the Sheriff of Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1579, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of certain school claims in Ashe and Alleghany Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1588, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the bondsmen of A. W. Aman, ex-Sheriff of Sampson County, to collect taxes charged to said officer.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1591, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of J. B. Collins, Clerk Superior Court of Jones County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1604, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Liledon Church and School-house, in Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1603, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district out of a portion of Alexander and Iredell Counties, to be known as County Line District.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1606, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Mecklenburg County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1627, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 290 of the Private Laws of 1905, being an act to amend the charter of the
Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Electric Railroad Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1644, S. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 640 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to depredations of domestic fowls.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1646, S. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 640 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to depredations of domestic fowls.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1647, S. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time for holding the terms of the Superior Courts in Robeson County, in the Seventh Judicial District.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1648, S. B. 1175, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2431, chapter 58, Revisal of 1905, in regard to fish and eels being caught in Currituck County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1652, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2055 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to agricultural liens in Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1657, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the jurisdiction of the justices of the peace of Columbus County, and the Mayor of the Town of Whiteville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1678, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit trapping fish in Lumber River in Columbus and Robeson Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1679, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Barker's High School.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1719, a bill to be entitled an act to change the township lines of Winston, Middle Fork, Old Town and South Fork Townships of Forsyth County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1723, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 374, Private Laws of 1905, relating to the Appalachian Electric Power and Transit Company.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1726, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Southern Baptist Assembly.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1684, S. B. 1275, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize George P. Pell of Forsyth County to use the contents of the Revisal of 1905, in publishing an annotated edition of the statute laws.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1686, S. B. 985, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint additional trustees for the Appalachian Training School, Boone, Watauga County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 906, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Morganton Graded School laws.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Salem.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Bowman, Boyd, Bruton, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Foushee, Galloway of Greene, Gaston, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Harris, Helsebeck, Hol-
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1064, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Castalia Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1461, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Zebulon Graded School District, in Wake County.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1479, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365 of the Private Laws of 1905, relative to a special tax for Ahoskie Graded School.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1618, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Laurinburg.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 359, Private Laws of 1899, concerning the charter of the town of Apex.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1626, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 362, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Coats, in Harnett County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1640, S. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Monroe.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1660, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate two stock-law districts in the upper part of White Oak Township, in Bladen County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1704, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Alexander County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1724, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Alleghany and Southern Railway Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1725, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Davidson County to call an election for bonds for public roads.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1730, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to issue bonds to refund a portion of the bonded debt of Rutherford County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1731, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for bridge purposes.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1732, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Ayden, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1733, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Winterville, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Dilling, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow at 10 o'clock A. M.

FORTY-FIFTH DAY.

House of Representatives,

March 2, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Morgan, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Messrs. Edgerton, Mangum, Jones of Johnston and Farthing.

On motion of Mr. Vestal, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Judge Jacob Battle of Rocky Mount.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Edgerton, a petition from merchants of Wayne County for repeal of the homestead law.

Referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Koonee, a petition from certain citizens of Onslow County relative to catching of menhaden in the waters of New River.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

A petition from citizens of Onslow County asking for legislation looking to the better cultivation of shell-fish in the waters of New River.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Neal, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 1192, a bill to
be entitled an act to secure for the people of North Carolina a square deal in the matter of insurance.

H. B. 1225, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of persons whose property is insured against loss by fire, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Weaver, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1376, a bill to be entitled an act to require railroad companies to record deeds and contracts for rights-of-way, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 1431, a bill to be entitled an act to stimulate high school instruction in the public schools of the State and teacher training, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1799, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the cleaning out of the head of Pungo River and for building a channel to relieve the pressure of water at the head of said river, and for drainage of the lands around the head of said river and either side of same, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 1633, S. B. 776, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the time for holding court in Dare County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1797, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in Cataloochee Township, in Haywood County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of C. P. Holden, a public school teacher of Sampson County.

H. B. 1244, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the publication of the apportionment of the school funds to the school districts, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 801, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Will D. Peterson, a public school teacher of Anson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 596, a bill to be entitled an act exempting the graded schools of the town of Rockingham from using only text-books adopted by the State Commission, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1822, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4029, 4087, 4109, 4110, 4115, 4161, 4162, 4163 and 4177 of chapter 89 of the revision of 1905, relating to education.

H. B. 1755, S. B. 1213, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Guilford County to place the management and control of all schools which have voted for the same special school tax in one township under one committee, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1762, S. B. 1222, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Samaria School District, in Ferrells Township, Nash County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1742, S. B. 1195, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
72, Public Laws of 1903, to change the boundary line of Morris' Chapel Public School District, in Harnett County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1794, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 479 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the graded school in Pigeon River Township, Haywood County.

H. B. 1761, S. B. 1221, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. H. Burwell and A. H. Haughawont, public school teachers in Caswell County.

H. B. 1390, S. B. 940, a bill to be entitled an act to define the boundaries of Jackson Township White School District No. 1, in Nash County.

H. B. 1763, S. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain a graded school district in the town of Biscoe, Montgomery County.

H. B. 1559, S. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the systematic retirement of members of the Board of Education of the Burlington Graded Schools and the appointment of successors.

H. B. 1266, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Adelaide Bulgin and Silas J. Dunn, public school teachers of District No. 1, Franklin Township, Macon County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1722, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between the counties of Ashe and Wilkes.

H. B. 1781, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stovall, in Granville County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1580, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between the counties of Ashe and Wilkes, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1767, S. B. 1285, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness.

H. B. 1779, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Castalia, in Nash County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 279, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 1105 and 1118 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to Corporation Commissioners, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Parker, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1703, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Orange County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the making and improvement of public roads, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Williams, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2748, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to and regulating the salary of the State Librarian, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1572, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the repair of
Blue's bridge, on Drowning Creek, by Moore and other counties, with a favorable report.

H. B. 856, a bill to be entitled an act to limit admission of white deaf children to residents of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1146, S. B. 666, a bill to be entitled an act to limit admission of white deaf children to residents of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Institutions for the Deaf, H. B. 857, a bill to be entitled an act to compel white deaf children to attend school, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Wood, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1790, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Cleveland Township, Johnston County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb, H. B. 1332, S. B. 668, a bill to be entitled an act to compel deaf children to attend school, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1543, S. B. 1024, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. R. Greene, ex-Sheriff of Stanly County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Price of Union, for the Committee on Corporation Commission, H. B. 1395, S. B. 808, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the powers of the Railroad Commission, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1613, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dr. Dowd to practice medicine without paying tax in Randolph County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1740, S. B. 1192, a bill to be entitled an act substitute for S. B. 1015, to appoint a finance committee for Polk County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1789, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a system for keeping up, building and repairing the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1819, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Blue Ridge Association for Christian Conference and Training, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1826, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Moore County to issue bonds for road improvements, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1758, S. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled an act to validate an act of E. H. Walker, a justice of the peace of Bertie County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1788, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize certain citizens to
erect stock gates across public roads in Richland Township, Beaufort County.

H. B. 1815, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 375 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to road improvements in Waynesville Township.

H. B. 1501, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the road law of Haywood County.

H. B. 1759, S. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Duplin County.

H. B. 1743, S. B. 1196, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Brown Marsh Township, in Bladen County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads of said township, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1757, S. B. 1216, a bill to be entitled an act concerning certain disordered records and documents in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Lincoln County.

H. B. 1766, S. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 712 of the Public Laws of 1905, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hanks, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1736, S. B. 744, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 70, Private Laws of 1903, pertaining to the charter of the town of West Tarboro.

H. B. 1748, S. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 175, Private Laws of 1901, and to extend the corporate limits of Lawrence, in Edgecombe County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 991, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Durham, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1786, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Durham.

H. B. 1752, S. B. 1212, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Speed, in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1764, S. B. 1224, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 202, Private Laws of 1895, entitled an act to incorporate the town of South Gaston, Halifax County.

H. B. 1740, S. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hollyville, in Pamlico County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the terms and elections of officers of State institutions.

H. B. 1792, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the rights of unborn children and innocent purchasers, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1211, a bill to be entitled an act to protect counsel from loss in the collection of contingent law fees, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1815, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of the Revisal, relative to contracts between landlords and tenants, with a favorable report.
H. B. 733, S. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a standard time throughout the State, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1738, S. B. 1133, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 423 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to service upon foreign corporations, with a favorable report.

Substitute for H. B. 905, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate bird hunting in Montgomery County, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 893, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates and registrations, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Oyster Interests, H. B. 854, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Oyster Commissioners to borrow $2,000 to pay for a patrol boat, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 720, a bill to be entitled an act to facilitate transfers of real property, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. John, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1718, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cerro Gordo, Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Griar, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1632, S. B. 761, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Brunswick County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Wood, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1791, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Lincoln County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 640, S. B. 25, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the assessment of real estate of railroad companies in the stock-law territory for local benefit, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1099, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 65, Public Laws of 1905, relative to sheriffs and tax collectors, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1817, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Angier, upon a majority vote of its citizens, to establish a dispensary, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1715, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit sale of intoxicating liquors in Lakeview School District, in Moore County.

H. B. 1810, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 73 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to towns.
H. B. 1753, S. B. 1211, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080, Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relating to shipment of liquor into Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1803, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt certain persons from jury duty in New Hanover County.

H. B. 1802, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the stock law for New Hanover County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1793, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock-law boundary in Haywood County.

H. B. 1754, S. B. 1210, a bill to be entitled an act to require the County Commissioners of Columbus County to use the road tax in townships where collected.

H. B. 1825, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the testing of water, electric and gas meters.

H. B. 1744, S. B. 1197, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal certain stock-law boundaries in Harnett County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1796, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in Cecil Township, Haywood County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 1565, substitute for H. B. 280 and 458, a bill to be entitled an act denouncing conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce.

H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled an act to create a firemen's relief fund and to increase the efficiency of the fire departments of the several cities and towns in North Carolina.

Mr. Manning submits the following:

Inasmuch as the House of Representatives, on March 1, 1907, adopted the report of the joint conferees of the Senate and House of Representatives on the passenger rate bills, and the substitute offered by the committee was a part of the report of the conferees, the action of the House in putting the bill offered as a part of the report of the conferees of the Senate and House of Representatives upon the several readings was unnecessary; and, under parliamentary usage, when the report of the conferees was or is adopted by both the Senate and House of Representatives, the bill was or will be ready to be enrolled, and the vote by which the bill was separately considered upon its third reading should be reconsidered, and I move its reconsideration.
The motion prevails and the vote by which the bill passed its third
reading on yesterday is reconsidered and the bill is ordered held for
enrollment pending the report of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER.

Mr. Speaker:—It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of
Representatives informing that honorable body that the Senate, hav-
ing had under consideration the report of the conferees on the part of
the Senate and of the House of Representatives on S. B. 616, bill to
be entitled an act to establish rates for passenger traffic in the State
of North Carolina, which had been adopted by the Senate as a sub-
stitute for H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the
charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers,
that the Senate has adopted the report of the said conferees on the
part of the Senate and House of Representatives, and having been
advised by message that the said report has been adopted by your
honorable body, the bill embodied in the report of the said conferees,
entitled a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the maximum charges
railroad companies may make for transporting passengers in North
Carolina, has been ordered enrolled for ratification.

A. J. Maxwell,
Principal Clerk.

The message is read and the Speaker orders the bill enrolled for
ratification, in accordance with the action of the Senate and House of
Representatives.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed
of as follows:

By Mr. Douglass. H. B. 1830, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 2058, chapter 49, of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to de-
natured alcohol.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Jacobson. H. B. 1831, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 4656 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to fish inspectors for
Beaufort County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Winborne. H. R. 1832, resolution supplementary to S. R. 354
and H. R. 502, ratified January 29, 1907, in respect to the Jamestown
Exposition.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning. H. B. 1833, a bill to be entitled an act to amend
section 1589 of the Revisal, relative to removing cloud upon the
title of property.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Gaston, H. B. 1834, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing of quail or partridges in Avery's Creek Township, in Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1835, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1005 of the Revival of North Carolina of 1905, relating to the execution of deeds by corporations.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Davis of Hyde, H. B. 1836, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Lake Landing Graded School District, in Hyde County, the question whether or not said district shall be abolished.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 1837, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 729, Laws of 1901, allowing townships in Randolph County to work public roads.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, H. B. 1838, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for hunting deer in Brunswick County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 1839, a bill to be entitled an act to aid in the support of the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training School.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 1840, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the dumping of sawdust into the streams of Franklin County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1841, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3057, in regard to water supply of Fayetteville.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Yount, H. B. 1842, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Long View, in Catawba County.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 1843, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to barbed-wire fences in Franklin County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1844, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Bunn High School, in Franklin County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, H. B. 1845, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 298, in Transylvania County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 1846, a bill to be entitled an act to aid the farmers of North Carolina in marketing their crops.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
By Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, H. B. 1847, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain registrations.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Justice, H. B. 1848, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the execution of criminals in capital cases in the State's Prison.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Buchan, H. B. 1849, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Carthage.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 1850, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of the town of Jason, in Greene County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1851, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Snow Hill, Greene County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Gibbs, H. B. 1852, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 207 of the Private Laws of 1891, relative to the powers of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Bryson City, in Swain County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 1853, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Pender County to order an election and to levy a special tax in Special School District No. 1, in Burgaw Township, Pender County, for the purpose of erecting a graded school building in said district.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1854, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a finance committee for Pender County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1855, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the bridges and public roads in Pender County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 1856, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the town of Rutherfordton.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1857, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe a compensation of the County Commissioners of the County of Rutherford.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Brinson, H. B. 1858, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the fees in a short form of lien bond in Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1859, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of Volume I of the Revisal of 1905, it being to add the county of Pamlico to those counties affected by said section.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 1860, a bill to be entitled an act to
authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy a tax for better educational facilities.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 1861, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Commissioners of the City of Concord.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Blount, H. R. 1862, resolution to pay expenses of visiting committee to the University and the Normal College.

Is placed upon its immediate passage.

Passed its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Johnston of Caswell, H. B. 1864, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Rockingham and Caswell Railway Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. McDaniel H. B. 1865, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1866, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2060 of the Revisal of 1905, to enable the State to make proof in illegal sale of liquor.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1867, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 125 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to sale and shipping into Cumberland County of spirituous, malt or vinous liquors.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bill, which is read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1410, H. B. 1863, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Mitchell County the question of the removal of the county court-house from Bakersville to Altapass.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 990, S. B. 1269, an act to authorize the city of Durham to issue bonds for the construction and erection of a sewerage-disposal plant and to improve and extend the sewerage system of the city of Durham.

H. B. 1264, S. B. 1257, an act to establish the Iotla Graded School District, in Macon County, and providing for the running and maintenance of a graded school therein.

H. B. 1337, S. B. 844, an act to allow the town of Madison to issue bonds.

H. B. 1535, S. B. 587, an act to authorize the Board of Com-
missioners of the Town of Jonesboro to issue bonds to provide for
lighting and supplying the said town with water.
H. B. 1270, S. B. 1346, an act to amend the Aurora Graded School
District.
H. B. 1032, S. B. 1156, an act to regulate the sale of spirituous
liquors in the city of Hickory, Catawba County.
H. B. 1549, S. B. 983, an act to allow the town of Greenville to
issue bonds.
H. B. 1410, S. B. 1278, an act to protect game in Mitchell County.
H. B. 1292, S. B. 1230, an act to authorize the town of Canton to
issue bonds amounting to $65,000 for a water supply, sewerage,
electric lights, a graded school building and street improvements,
and to levy a special tax to meet the interest and pay said bonds
and for the maintenance of a graded school.
H. B. 1413, S. B. 1277, an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal
of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the killing of deer in Carteret
County.
H. B. 1365, S. B. 1163, an act to remove any doubt as to whether
chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 339 of the Public
Laws of 1905, known as the Watts and Ward laws, apply to Bun-
combe County.
H. B. 415, S. B. 684, an act to regulate pound charges in the
towns of Murphy and Andrews, Cherokee County.
H. B. 460, S. B. 629, an act to provide suitable compensation for
jurors in Washington County.
H. B. 57, S. B. 177, an act to amend section 3931 of the Revisal of
1905, and to require the commissioners of agriculture and the mem-
bers of the board of agriculture to be practical farmers engaged in
their profession.
H. B. 271, S. B. 1282, an act to provide separate public schools
for Croatian Indians and Creoles in Cumberland County.
H. B. 707, S. B. 839, an act for the relief of W. J. Davis, ex-Chair-
man of the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County.
H. B. 1180, S. B. 1256, an act to incorporate the town of Burns-
ville, in Yancey County.
H. B. 471, S. B. 630, an act to amend section 2785, chapter 66,
Volume I of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, regulating the
compensation of the County Commissioners in Washington County.
H. B. 428, S. B. 404, an act to amend chapter 426, Public Laws of
1905, relating to stock law in McDowell County.
H. B. 1260, S. B. 1270, an act to allow the city of Wilmington
to issue bonds for water and sewerage.
H. B. 1238, S. B. 1235, an act for the improvement and mainten-
ance of the streets and sidewalks of the city of Hickory.
H. B. 1128, S. B. 1268, an act to incorporate the Piedmont and
Atlantic Railway Company.

H. B. 765, S. B. 1104, an act to amend Revisal, section 5361.

H. B. 1178, S. B. 1246, an act to improve the public roads in Selma Township, in Johnston County.

H. B. 818, S. B. 1281, an act to protect wild animals, game birds and fish and to regulate the catching of fur-bearing animals in Columbus County.

H. B. 1281, S. B. 1245, an act to allow the city of Wilmington to issue bonds for street improvement.

H. B. 1641, S. B. 1628, an act to amend chapter 186, Public Laws of 1903, entitled an act to provide for working the public roads and highways of Halifax County.

H. B. 1818, S. B. 1122, an act to establish, construct and maintain a system of public roads for Madison County.

H. B. 1190, S. B. 1253, an act to establish, construct and maintain a system of public roads for Madison County.

H. B. 1111, S. B. 1247, an act to re-charter the town of Belhaven, Beaufort County, and to repeal former charter.

H. B. 1062, S. B. 1252, an act to authorize the corporation of Thomasville to establish and operate a system of water-works and sewerage and to issue bonds therefor and for street improvements and electric lights.

H. B. 1223, S. B. 1068, an act to correct State Grant No. 77, Tract No. 1512.

H. B. 1203, S. B. 1356, an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Richmond County.

H. B. 1729, S. B. 1379, an act prescribing the maximum charges railroad companies may make for transporting passengers in North Carolina.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 1200, S. B. 750, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners of the County of Sampson and to appoint the same.

Mr. Dowd offers a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Mr. Owen upon this motion demands the ayes and noes.

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The motion of Mr. Dowd for re-reference is lost by the following vote:
Mr. Avery is excused from voting.
Mr. Byrd is excused from voting.
Mr. Rose and Mr. Stickley are paired.
The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their vote:
Messrs. Blount, Ehringhaus, Julian, McNeill, McRae, Mangum, Wells.
The following gentlemen vote in the affirmative:
Those voting in the negative are:
The question recurs upon the passage of the bill on its second reading.
The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their votes on the passage of the bill on its second reading: Messrs. Dowd, Julian, Stevens.
Mr. Stickley and Mr. Rose are paired. Mr. Stickley would vote aye and Mr. Rose no.
The question then recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative are:

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

On motion of Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1576, an act to improve the livestock of the State, is withdrawn from the Calendar and from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1726, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Southern Baptist Assembly, is ordered recalled from the Senate to the end that the vote by which it passed its second reading on yesterday may be reconsidered.

The bill is returned as requested and on motion of Mr. Weaver, the vote by which the bill passed its second and third readings on yesterday is reconsidered, and the bill is placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess at 8 o'clock P. M., and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

The House resumes consideration of the bills on the Calendar.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1498, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the search of places where intoxicating liquors are sold, with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1864, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Rockingham and Caswell Railway Company.

H. B. 1751, S. B. 1205, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Raleigh and Winston-Salem Railway Company, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1716, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Randolph and Cumberland Railroad Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1558, S. B. 943, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Lower Creek and Linville Transportation Company.

H. B. 1739, S. B. 1112, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the
time for the organization of the Graham County Railroad Company, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1829, S. B. 1012, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Deep and Forney’s Creek Railroad Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1635, S. B. 952, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Weldon and Roanoke Rapids Electric Railway Company.

H. B. 1708, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Ladies’ Civic Society of Fayetteville.

H. B. 1842, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Long View, in Catawba County.

H. B. 1775, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to appoint trustees to take over and loan the Coddle Creek Railroad bond fund of Iredell County until said bonds become due, which was ratified January 30, 1907.

H. B. 1828, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 138 of the Laws of 1903, entitled an act to incorporate the Presbyterian Hospital of Charlotte.

H. B. 1824, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Charitable Brotherhood.

H. B. 1756, S. B. 1214, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Stone Mountain Railway Company.

H. B. 1747, S. B. 1200, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Walnut Cove, in Stokes County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1670, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 403, Private Laws of 1905, extending the time for commencement of work by the Southport, Northern and Western Railroad Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1452, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public service corporations from extending free service or other favors to certain classes.

H. B. 955, a bill to be entitled an act to compel railway and telegraph companies to obey the lawful orders of the Corporation Commission.

H. B. 1019, S. B. 408, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3844 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to railroads carrying freight.

H. R. 3, joint resolution concerning the investigation of railroads and other public service corporations.

H. B. 358, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the earnings of public service corporations, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1837, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 729, Laws of 1901, allowing townships in Randolph County to work public roads.
H. B. 1523, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction, repair and maintenance of the public roads of Nash County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1778, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Gibsonville Graded School District, enlarge its boundaries and provide for its management, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 1814, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 324, Public Laws of 1901, relative to School District No. 3, in Chadbourn Township, Columbus County.

H. B. 1836, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Lake Landing Graded School District, in Hyde County, the question whether or not said school district shall be abolished.

H. B. 1853, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Pender County to order an election and to levy a special tax in Special School District No. 1, in Burgaw Township, Pender County, for the purpose of erecting a graded school building in said district, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1475, a bill to be entitled an act to transfer certain persons from Sandy Ridge School District to Alton School District, in Union County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1856, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the town of Rutherfordton, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Military Affairs, H. B. 1800, a bill to be entitled an act in reference to the naval militia, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Parker, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1854, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a finance committee for Pender County, with a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Hooker, H. B. 766, a bill to be entitled an act to create a stock law in portions of Pamlico County by adding additional territory to the Stonewall District west of Lupton bridge, is withdrawn from unfavorable Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Mr. Winborne rises to a question of personal privilege as to a newspaper article in the Raleigh Evening Times.

Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1209, S. B. 750, an act to increase the number of Commissioners for the County of Sampson and to appoint the same.
H. B. 445, S. B. 570, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Caswell County. House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 891, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Will D. Peterson, a public school teacher of Yancey County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute H. B. 965, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate bird hunting in Montgomery County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1266, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss Adelaide Bulgin and Silas J. Dean, public school teachers of District No. 1, Franklin Township, Macon County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1390, S. B. 940, a bill to be entitled an act to define the boundaries of Jackson Township White School District No. 1, in Nash County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1543, S. B. 1024, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of S. R. Greene, ex-Sheriff of Stanly County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1559, S. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the systematic retirement of members of the Board of Education of Burlington City Graded Schools and the appointment of successors.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1613, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Dr. Dowd to practice medicine without paying tax in Randolph County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1572, a bill to be entitled an act for the repair of Blue's bridge, on Drowning Creek, Moore and other counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1633, S. B. 776, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the time for holding courts in Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1715, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in Lakeview School District, Moore County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1722, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between Ashe and Wilkes Counties.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1728, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads in certain townships in Polk County.
Passes its second reading and is ordered recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
H. B. 1740, S. B. 1192, a bill to be entitled an act, substitute for H. B. 1013, to appoint a finance committee for Polk County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1744, S. B. 1197, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal certain stock-law boundaries in Harnett County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 1753, S. B. 1211, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080, Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relating to shipment of liquor in Columbus County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1754, S. B. 1210, a bill to be entitled an act to require the County Commissioners of Columbus County to use the road tax in townships where collected.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1755, S. B. 1213, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Education of Guilford County to place the management and control of all schools who have voted for the same special school tax in one township under one committee.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1757, S. B. 1216, a bill to be entitled an act concerning certain disordered records and documents in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Lincoln County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 1758, S. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled an act to validate an act of F. H. Walker, a justice of the peace for Bertie County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 1761, S. B. 1221, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. H. Burwell and A. H. Haughawont, public school teachers in Caswell County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 1762, S. B. 1222, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Samaria School District, in Ferrell's Township, Nash County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 1764, S. B. 1224, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter
202, Private Laws of 1895, entitled an act to incorporate the town of South Gaston, Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1766, S. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 712 of the Public Laws of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2748, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to and regulating the salary of the State Librarian.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2762, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905.

On motion of Mr. Yount, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled an act to permit railroad companies to acquire lands for double tracking.

The amendment of Mr. Grant is adopted, and the amendment offered by Mr. Lockhart is adopted.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 734, S. B. 419, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905, as to attaching seal of Clerk of Court to deeds and other written instruments and validating same.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 63, S. B. 274, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk and to prevent fraud in such sale.

House non-concurs in Senate amendment and asks for a committee of conference.

H. B. 461, S. B. 238, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the separation of prisoners suffering with tuberculosis from other prisoners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1179, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the Insurance Commissioner by the people.

As amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 943, a bill to be entitled an act to promote loyalty and greater respect for the sovereignty of the State.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 763, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of manu-
facturers and shippers of mineral waters, soda waters and other beverages and dealers in the same.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled an act to furnish and maintain a woman's annex to the State Hospital at Raleigh.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act to create a State Board of Arbitration for settling claims against counties, cities, towns and townships in North Carolina.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment which is adopted, and the committee amendment is adopted.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 262, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1594 of the Revisal, relating to certain printed documents as evidence.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 441, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3334 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to burglary.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1582, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit impounding live-stock within the corporate limits of the town of Cronly, in Columbus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 96 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the State Historical Commission.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Substitute H. B. 597, a bill to be entitled an act requiring railway police to give bond.

Substitute adopted and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 786, S. B. 342, a bill to be entitled an act to validate marriages heretofore solemnized by unordained ministers of the gospel.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 113, Volume II, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, in relation to State boundaries.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 736, S. B. 347, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section
2598, chapter 61, Revival of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to roads.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 791, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the separate accommodation of white and colored passengers upon street cars and for other purposes.
Mr. Douglass offers an amendment which is adopted.
As amended, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1819, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Blue Ridge Association for Christian Conference and Training.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
On motion of Mr. Gordon, the House adjourns to meet Monday morning, March 4th, at 9:30 o'clock.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

March 4, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Massee of Raleigh.
Mr. Watts, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday, March 2, 1907, has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.
The Speaker announces the appointment of the Journal Committee for the present week: Messrs. Johnston of Caswell, Galloway of Transylvania and Hanes.
The Speaker appoints as the Calendar Committee: Messrs. Avery, Weaver and Edgerton.
On motion of Mr. McRacken, the courtesies of the floor are extended to Mr. McIntyre, an ex-Senator. The same courtesies are extended to Mr. Boney of New Hanover and to ex-Senator Empie.
Mr. Jones of Pitt files the following protest, which is ordered on the Journal:

PROTEST OF S. M. JONES.

I, S. M. Jones, a member of the House of Representatives, Session of 1907, representing the county of Pitt, do, enter my most vigorous and emphatic protest against the action of the House of Representa-
tives in adopting, without my consent, an amendment excepting my county from the operations of H. B. 388, relative to compulsory education, said bill having been introduced by Mr. Dilling, a representative of Gaston County, and meeting my hearty approval as introduced.

S. M. Jones.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Lockhart, a petition from citizens of Morven Township in regard to the road law.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Foushee, a petition by the citizens of Trinity Township, Randolph County, for the issue of bonds, and levy of taxes to macadamize and improve the roads of said township.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1734. S. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act to protect quail in Yadkin County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1735, S. B. 663, a bill to be entitled an act to protect ruffled grouse and pheasants in Transylvania County.

H. B. 1834, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing of quail or partridges in Avery's Creek Township, in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1750, S. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled an act to protect certain game in Montgomery County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hooker, for the Committee on Justices of the Peace, H. B. 716, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the efficiency of justices of the peace, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 1771. S. B. 1359, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of C. L. Cook of the county of Wilkes, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1581, a bill to be entitled an act to allow T. Lester Jones to practice medicine in Ashe County without obtaining a license from the State Medical Board or being registered, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1841, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3057 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the water supply of Fayetteville, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McNeill, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1849, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Carthage.
H. B. 1850, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of the town of Jason, in Greene County.

H. B. 1859, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of Volume I of the Revisal of 1905, it being to add the county of Pamlico to those counties affected by said section, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, for the Committee on Federal Relations, H. R. 1696, a joint resolution in relation to a statue of Nathaniel Macon.

H. B. 1493, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize a painting of the landing of the Raleigh Colony on Roanoke Island in 1584.

H. R. 1763, S. R. 1303, joint resolution of the Senate and House urging the Congress of the United States to take the necessary steps to secure an amendment to the Federal Constitution to prohibit polygamy in the United States, without prejudice.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Byrd, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1655, S. B. 1350, an act authorizing the Board of Trustees of Belhaven Graded School to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping a graded school building at Belhaven.

H. B. 1194, S. B. 1344, an act authorizing and directing the Board of Commissioners of Montgomery County to build a bridge at Tony's Ford on Little River, between Mt. Gilead and Cheek's Creek Townships.

H. B. 1373, S. B. 1326, an act for the relief of Public School District No. 70 of Cleveland County.

H. B. 1183, S. B. 1339, an act to amend the charteg of the town of Lincolnton.

H. B. 1323, S. B. 824, an act authorizing the town of Lincolnton to sell certain lots belonging to said town.

H. B. 370, S. B. 1345, an act to incorporate Mt. Pleasant Episcopal Church, in Catawba County.

H. B. 1483, S. B. 1316, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Robeson to issue bonds to build a court-house.

H. B. 1647, S. B. 1169, an act to fix the time for holding the terms of the Superior Courts of Robeson County, in the Seventh Judicial District.

H. B. 1646, S. B. 1137, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Union County to dispose of the home for the aged and infirm in said county, and to purchase a more suitable location for the same.

H. B. 1301, S. B. 1338, an act to consolidate certain stock-law territory in Pamlico County.

H. B. 1297, S. B. 1073, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Robeson County.
H. B. 1686, S. B. 985, an act to appoint additional trustees for the Appalachian Training School for Teachers, Boone, Watauga County.

H. B. 1648, S. B. 1175, an act to amend section 2431, chapter 58, Revisal of 1905, in regard to fish and eels being caught in Currituck County.

H. B. 859, S. B. 1351, an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Haywood County to purchase a home for the aged, infirm and poor indigents.

H. B. 1405, S. B. 1324, an act for the improvement of the sidewalks of the town of Gastonia.

H. B. 1684, S. B. 1275, an act to authorize George P. Pell of Forsyth County to use the contents of the Revisal of 1905 in publishing an annotated edition of the statute law.

H. B. 1644, S. B. 1127, an act to amend chapter 640 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to depredations of domestic fowls.

H. B. 1545, S. B. 1021, an act to prevent fast driving over the county bridge across New River at Jacksonville, Onslow County.

H. B. 1764, S. B. 1224, an act to repeal chapter 202, Private Laws of 1895, entitled an act to incorporate the town of South Gaston, Halifax County.

H. B. 1136, S. B. 1355, an act to act to allow the Commissioners of Watauga County to levy a special tax to pay the indebtedness incurred in erecting a new court-house.

H. B. 1740, S. B. 1192, an act to appoint a finance committee for Polk County.

H. B. 925, S. B. 622, an act to improve the public roads of Troy Township, Montgomery County, to create a road commission for said township and work the same by taxation.

H. B. 1536, S. B. 810, an act to authorize the town of Siler City, in Chatham County, to issue bonds for the purpose of improving the public streets and sidewalks of said town.

H. B. 1547, S. B. 1013, an act to validate and make legal certain acts of the justices of the peace of Upper Little River Township, in Harnett County.

H. B. 1397, S. B. 588, an act to fix the time for holding the Superior Court of Nash County.

H. B. 1633, S. B. 776, an act regulating the time for holding court in Dare County.

H. B. 786, S. B. 342, an act to validate marriages heretofore solemnized by unordained ministers of the gospel.

H. B. 756, S. B. 347, an act to amend section 2598 of chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

H. B. 1213, S. B. 382, an act to amend section 1183, of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1543, S. B. 1024, an act for the relief of S. R. Green, ex-Sheriff of Stanly County.
H. B. 906, S. B. 1082, an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City, relative to the mayor's salary.

H. B. 1083, S. B. 1110, an act to increase the pay of the County Commissioners of Durham and Orange Counties.

H. B. 1531, S. B. 954, an act to repeal chapter 230 of the Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, in regard to working roads in Montgomery County.

H. B. 1755, S. B. 1213, an act to authorize the Board of Education of Guilford County to place the management and control of all schools which have voted for the same special school tax in one township under one committee.

H. B. 1760, S. B. 1272, an act to repeal chapter 712, Public Laws of 1905, relating to dog tax on Roanoke Island.

H. B. 1762, S. B. 1222, an act to incorporate the Samaria School District No. 4, white race, in Ferrell's Township, Nash County.

H. B. 1758, S. B. 1218, an act to validate an act of E. H. Walker, a justice of the peace for Bertie County.

H. B. 1754, S. B. 1210, an act to require the County Commissioners of Columbus County to use the road tax in townships where collected.

H. B. 1753, S. B. 1211, an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the shipment of liquor in Columbus County.

H. B. 1529, S. B. 975, an act to amend chapter 122 of the Private Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 35 of the Private Laws of 1893, being an act to incorporate the Branch Banking Company.

H. B. 1770, S. B. 1304, an act to provide for the registration of trained nurses, ratified March 3, 1903.

H. B. 1556, S. B. 979, an act to restore to the family of Hastings the correct and proper name.

H. B. 731, S. B. 464, an act to amend chapter 3367 of The Code.

H. B. 1550, S. B. 775, an act to amend the charter of the town of Farmville.

H. B. 1557, S. B. 977, an act to amend chapter 5 of the Public Laws of 1891, relating to the protection of fish in McDowell County.

H. B. 1539, S. B. 1141, an act to regulate the holding of the spring term of Surry Superior Court.

H. B. 1148, S. B. 764, an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors or wine and cider within two miles of Friendship Methodist Church, Faison Township, Duplin County.

H. B. 1544, S. B. 1022, an act relating to the Superior Courts of the Fifteenth Judicial District.

H. B. 1691, S. B. 1215, an act to incorporate the Shoals Power Company.

H. B. 755, S. B. 1328, an act to authorize and empower the counties of New Hanover and Pender to establish and construct a highway and erect a public free bridge between the two counties, across the North East River, near Castle Hayne.
H. B. 1530, S. B. 981, an act to amend the charter of the town of Greenville.
H. B. 1578, S. B. 1414, an act concerning the Superior Courts of Wake County.
H. B. 1375, S. B. 1325, an act to establish the Mocksville Graded Schools.
H. B. 1331, S. B. 922, an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to repeal section 3461, chapter 18, Revisal of 1905, in regard to Currituck Sound.
H. B. 1442, S. B. 1321, an act for the improvement of the public roads in Beaufort County.
H. B. 1593, S. B. 1331, an act to regulate the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County.
H. B. 1364, S. B. 1333, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Anson County to levy a special tax.
H. B. 1355, S. B. 1335, an act to work the roads by taxes in the townships of Craven County.
H. B. 1120, S. B. 1340, an act to increase the pensions of Confederate soldiers and the widows of such in Cumberland County, and to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to levy a special tax therefor.
H. B. 1369, S. B. 1327, an act to establish a stock law in certain townships in Madison County.
H. B. 1170, S. B. 1348, an act to amend the charter of the town of Columbia, Private Laws of 1899, chapter 147, section 2.
H. B. 1466, S. B. 1318, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to issue bonds to pay and fund its bonded and floating debt and to aid in the construction of a bridge between Harnett and Cumberland Counties.
H. B. 1467, S. B. 1317, an act for the better drainage and straightening of Noe Creek, in Davie County.
H. B. 1408, S. B. 1280, an act to appoint a finance committee for the county of Surry.
H. B. 1387, S. B. 950, an act to amend the stock law for Watauga County.
H. B. 1444, S. B. 1320, an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds.
H. B. 1562, S. B. 968, an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1895, it being an act to incorporate the town of South Biltmore, in Buncombe County.

H. B. 445, S. B. 570, an act to provide for the better working of the public roads and highways of Caswell County.

H. B. 1341, S. B. 813, an act to fix the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Edgecombe County.

H. B. 1368, S. B. 1332, an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax for the purpose of erecting a court-house in said county.

H. B. 1757, S. B. 1216, an act concerning certain disordered records and documents in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Lincoln County.

H. B. 1546, S. B. 1014, an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and deputy sheriffs at Draper and Avalon, Rockingham County.


H. B. 1390, S. B. 940, an act to define the boundaries of Jackson Township, White School District No. 1, in Nash County.

H. B. 1628, S. B. 1172, an act to amend the charter of the Virginia and Carolina Southern Railroad Company, and to allow it to increase its capital stock.

H. B. 1744, S. B. 1197, an act to repeal certain stock-law boundaries in Harnett County.

H. B. 1564, S. B. 972, an act to amend chapter 285 of the Public Laws of 1899, in regard to prohibiting the running of sawdust into the streams of Watauga County.

H. B. 461, S. B. 238, an act providing for the separation of prisoners suffering with tuberculosis from other prisoners.

H. B. 1363, S. B. 1353, an act to amend chapter 569 of the Public Laws of 1903, the Morven Township road law.

H. B. 985, S. B. 1354, an act to provide for the improvement of the graded schools in the town of Waynesville, aid to provide for the issuance of bonds to purchase land and construct and equip an additional building.

H. B. 1548, S. B. 988, an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Colerain.

H. B. 938, S. B. 906, an act to authorize Williamson Township, in Martin County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the roads.

H. B. 1346, S. B. 1337, an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Whiteville, in Columbus County to order an election and issue bonds.

H. B. 1366, S. B. 1334, an act to amend chapter 177 of the Private Laws of 1889.

H. B. 1169, S. B. 1247, an act to improve the roads of Anson County.
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H. B. 1445, S. B. 1319, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds.

H. B. 1398, S. B. 729, an act to establish in the city of Winston a special court to be called the Recorder's Court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

H. B. 437, S. B. 689, an act to incorporate the Washington Trust Company.

H. B. 1380, S. B. 1352, an act to amend the charter of the town of Creswell, in Washington County.

H. R. 810, S. R. 327, resolution to furnish Lincoln County with Volumes VIII and IX of the Colonial Records.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled an act to permit railroad companies to acquire lands for double tracking.

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to abolish the dispensary in Jackson and to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within the town of Jackson, Northampton County, which act was passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session of 1907, and was ratified February 25, 1907.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3334 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to burglary.

H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the farmers of Alexander County from the damaging effects of placing sawdust in the streams of Alexander County.

H. B. 1015, a bill to be entitled an act ratifying certain deeds and laws in Person County.

H. B. 1073, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors and to fix certain fees and expenses to be incurred in the administration of law in Burke County.

H. B. 1418, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors within one mile of Gryder's Schoolhouse, in Alexander County.

H. B. 1443, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine within two miles of Sydney Church, in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1459, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Laurinburg Cemetery Company.

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H. B. 1464, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for the cotton-weigher of Mooresville to take the oath of office.

H. B. 1472, a bill to be entitled an act to re-establish a free school district in Crooked Creek Township, McDowell County.

H. B. 1568, a bill to be entitled an act to elect a tax collector for School District No. 5, in Hunting Quarters Township, Carteret County.

H. B. 1595, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City Fire Company No. 1.

H. B. 1603, a bill to be entitled an act to re-establish County Line Public School District, in the counties of Iredell and Alexander.

H. B. 1604, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Liledoun Church and School-house, in Alexander County.

Substitute for H. B. 1656, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1884 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to hunting quail in certain counties.

H. B. 1666, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public ferry across Yadkin River, in Surry and Yadkin Counties.

H. B. 1701, a bill to be entitled an act for the government of the town of Beaufort, Carteret County.

H. B. 1713, a bill to be entitled an act requiring non-resident hunters to obtain a license from the Clerk of the Superior Court before shooting in the county of Randolph.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Edgerton, by request, H. B. 1868, an act to secure the enforcement of the laws against the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors in Goldsboro Township, Wayne County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 1869, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of South Mills, in Camden County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wood, H. B. 1870, an act to allow the Commissioners of Randolph County to issue bonds for Trinity Township, Randolph County, and to levy a tax.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1891, an act to allow the Commissioners of Randolph County to levy a tax to build a court-house and jail.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1872, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Wadesboro to collect certain taxes.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 1873, a bill to be entitled an act to allow ex-Confederate soldiers in North Carolina that have arrived at the age
of 75 or over a pension, regardless of property qualifications, is, by request of Mr. Wells, withdrawn.

By Mr. Simpson, by request, H. B. 1874, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of fish in Gates County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Burnett, H. B. 1875, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize District No. 1, Franklin Township, Macon County, to levy a special tax for public schools and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Johnson of Johnston, H. B. 1876, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fishing in Black Creek, in Elevation and Pleasant Grove Townships, in Johnston County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1877, an act entitled an act to fix the salaries for officers of Pitt County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Price, H. B. 1878, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fraud on boarding houses and hotels.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1879, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 461 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the stock-law territory in Tatums Township, in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1880, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Pinetown, in Beaufort County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 1881, a bill to be entitled an act to protect oysters and clams in Carteret County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Baley, H. B. 1882, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marshall, and to declare void and irregular elections held thereunder.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1883, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Dr. T. C. Hansley, to practice medicine in No. 2 Township, in Madison County.

Referred to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1884, a bill to be entitled an act to divide the profits of Grifton dispensary for Pitt County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1885, a bill to be entitled an act to repair, renew and renovate the interior and furnishings of the Governor's Mansion.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Boyd, H. B. 1886, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Treasurer of Haywood County to pay a school claim.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Washington, H. B. 1887, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wilson County to issue bonds for improvement of the public roads of Wilson Township, in Wilson County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

H. B. 1888, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary at Black Creek.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bolton, H. B. 1889, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the salary of jurors and special veniremen in Cumberland County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 1891, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2749 of the Revisal, to allow the Agricultural Board to fix the salary of the Commissioner of Agriculture, which shall be paid out of the fertilizer tax.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1925, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the bonds of fiduciaries.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1928, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the people to vote on bonds to build the Bladen and Northern Railroad.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1929, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve Pamulco Lodge No. 73, Knights of Pythias of Washington, from taxation for ten years.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hankins, H. B. 1930, a bill to be entitled an act to provide better drainage for Brushy Fork Creek, Davidson County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate recalling H. B. 63, S. B. 274, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk, and to prevent fraud in such sale.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the vote of non-concurrence in this bill on the part of the House is reconsidered, and the bill is ordered returned to the Senate, as requested by that honorable body.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 780, H. B. 1890, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Rocky Mount Road District, in the counties of Nash and Edgecombe, and to provide the means and regulations for working the same.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 132, H. B. 1892, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the punishment of youthful offenders.

Referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

Substitute for S. B. 620, H. B. 1893, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff of Nash County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 754, H. B. 1894, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2838 of the Revisal, to make general election day a legal holiday.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 773, H. B. 1895, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of liquors in Anson County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 944, H. B. 1896, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate the Aberdeen and West End Railroad Company, the Ashboro and Montgomery Railroad Company and the Jackson Springs Railroad.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1016, H. B. 1897, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Aberdeen and Rockfish Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1130, H. B. 1898, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4271 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to vacancies in the office of Trustees of the University by reason of non-attendance.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1217, H. B. 1899, a bill to be entitled an act to allow members of the County Boards of Education of Cherokee and Lincoln Counties to sell books and other supplies to the public schools and patrons of said counties.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1286, H. B. 1900, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Matthews.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1288, H. B. 1901, a bill to be entitled an act to merge and consolidate Runnymede Hosiery Mills and the Runnymede Land Company, two corporations of the county of Edgecombe, into one corporation.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1289, H. B. 1902, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1290, H. B. 1903, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caldwell County to issue bonds to macadamize the public roads of said county.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1291, H. B. 1904, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Hoyle's Creek, in Lincoln and Gaston Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 1293, H. B. 1905, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the home for the aged and infirm and locate same elsewhere.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1294, H. B. 1906, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tabernacle Baptist Church of Raleigh.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.

S. B. 1295, H. B. 1907, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marion.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1296, H. B. 1908, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of New Hill.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1300, H. B. 1909, a bill to be entitled an act to issue bonds for road improvement for Cabarrus County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1301, H. B. 1910, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the felling of trees and obstructing and damming of the streams of Cypress Swamp and Haws Run, in Onslow County, with petition attached.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1308, H. B. 1911, a bill to be entitled an act to permit railroad companies to acquire lands for double tracking and other public purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.

S. B. 1311, H. B. 1912, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Marion Township, county of McDowell.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1312, H. B. 1913, a bill to be entitled an act to revise the charter of the town of Lumberton.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1314, H. B. 1914, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate, revise and amend the charter of the town of Wilson.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1368, H. B. 1915, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Black Mountain.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1370, H. B. 1916, a bill to be entitled an act to establish additional civil courts for Pitt County.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.

S. B. 1375, H. B. 1917, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary of the Whittier Special School District, in Swain County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1380, H. B. 1918, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the adoption of an official map of the town of Kings Mountain.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 1382, H. B. 1919, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the M. L. Jones Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 1384, H. B. 1920, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Southern Pines to levy a special tax to pay the interest on its debt.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.
S. B. 1385, H. B. 1921, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1901, chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the application of taxes on the highways within Charlotte Township.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.
S. B. 1386, H. B. 1922, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Monroe Township, in Union County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads in said township.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
S. B. 1406, H. B. 1923, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act, entitled an act to secure compulsory school attendance in Goldsboro Township, in Wayne County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 1443, H. B. 1924, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in and for Montgomery County.

Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 1039, H. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled an act to create a highway commission in Vance County and prescribe its duties, for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in the Senate amendment.
S. B. 1330, H. B. 1650, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Salisbury a special court to be called the Recorder's Court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof, for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in the Senate amendment.
S. B. 274, H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of goods in bulk and to prevent fraud in such sale.

The Senate informs the House that that body has corrected its entries on its amendment to this bill, and again asks the concurrence of the House therein.

House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.
S. B. 651, H. B. 1926, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unfair and unjust discrimination in freight rates and correct abuses in freight charges by railway companies.

Referred to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.
S. B. 1310, H. B. 1927, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Toisnot Banking Company.

Placed on the Calendar, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
A message is received from the Senate asking the House to return to the Senate S. B. 1370, H. B. 1916, a bill to be entitled an act to establish additional civil courts for Pitt County and to change one week of Greene County court.

On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, the bill is ordered returned to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House for consideration H. B. 993, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate and restrict child labor in manufacturing establishments and to regulate the hours of labor.

Amendments are offered by the committee, Mr. Parsons and Mr. McNeill.

Mr. Blount offers an amendment.

Mr. Vestal offers an amendment.

Mr. Galloway of Greene offers an amendment.

Mr. Cowles offers an amendment.

Mr. Dilling calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

Mr. McNeill demands the ayes and noes on his amendment.

Call sustained.

The amendment of Mr. Galloway of Greene is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Vestal is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Blount is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Parsons is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. McNeill is lost upon the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:

The question then recurs upon the passage of the bill as amended. The bill passes its second reading, and under a suspension of the rules passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Ehrlinghaus, H. B. 1694, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate municipal elections in the town of Elizabeth City, is withdrawn from the committee and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, H. B. 1831, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4656 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to fish inspector for Beaufort County, is withdrawn from the Committee on Fish and Fisheries and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Blount, H. B. 1431, a bill to be entitled an act to stimulate high school instruction in the public schools of the State, and for teacher training, is made a special order for next Tuesday, March 5th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

On motion of Mr. Peele, H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent and punish certain negligences of the employees of railroad companies, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1718, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cerro Gordo, in Columbus County, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

On motion of Mr. Kitchin, H. B. 1680, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Spring Hill, is withdrawn from further consideration.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1558, S. B. 943, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Lower Creek and Linville Transportation Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1635, S. B. 952, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Weldon and Roanoke Rapids Electric Railway Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1670, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 403, Private Laws of 1905, extending the time for commencement of work by the Southport, Northern and Western Railroad Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1708, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Ladies Civic Society of Fayetteville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1739, S. B. 1142, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the
time for the organization of the Graham County Railroad.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1747, S. B. 1200, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the
charter of the town of Walnut Cove, in Stokes County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1775, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act
titled an act to appoint trustees to take over and loan the Coddle
Creek Railroad bond fund of Iredell County, until said bonds become
due, which was ratified January 30, 1907.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1786, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the
city of Durham.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1788, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize certain citizens
to erect stock gates across public roads in Richland Township, Beaufort County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1791, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff
and Tax Collector of Lincoln County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1793, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock-law
boundary in Haywood County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1796, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in Cecil
Township, Haywood County.
As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered
sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1797, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in Cata-
loochee Township, in Haywood County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1801, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 771 of the
Public Laws of 1905, relating to the road law of Haywood County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1814, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 324, Pub-
lic Laws of 1901, relative to School District No. 3, in Chadbourn
Township, Columbus County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1805, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 375 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the road improvements in Waynesville Township.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1824, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Charitable Brotherhood.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1828, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 138 of the Private Laws of 1903, entitled an act to incorporate the Presbyterian Hospital of Charlotte.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1829, S. B. 1012, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Deep and Forney's Creek Railroad Company.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1836, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Lake Landing Graded School District, in Hyde County, the question whether or not said school district shall be abolished.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1838, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for hunting deer in Brunswick County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1852, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 207 of the Private Laws of 1801, relative to the powers of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Bryson City, in Swain County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1854, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a finance committee for Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1855, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the bridges and public roads in Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1803, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt certain persons from jury duty in New Hanover County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1810, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 73 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to towns, is, on motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, withdrawn from further consideration.
H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide fire escapes and protect human life.

Mr. Winborne offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. McRae, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1906, S. B. 1294, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Tabernacle Baptist Church of Raleigh.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 787, a bill to be entitled an act providing for appeals in civil actions where judges set aside verdicts.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 873, S. B. 549, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 37, section 1726 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time in which surveys of land may be recorded.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2234 of the Revisal relating to days of grace.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows.

Recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 739, S. B. 74, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2770, chapter 66 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the Supreme Court Marshal.

Substitute is adopted, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1744, S. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Winston Bank and Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 628, S. B. 346, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 160, section 4761, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to fire insurance policies and losses thereunder.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 571, S. B. 345, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3052 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to water supplies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1634, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate municipal elections in the town of Elizabeth City.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1429, S. B. 1150, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
330 of the Public Laws of 1903, by changing the boundary lines of Wesley Chapel Graded School District.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1523, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction, repair and maintenance of the public roads of Nash County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1632, S. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Brunswick County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Brewer, Brinson, Brutton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Cole-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1716, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Randolph and Cumberland Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1726, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Southern Baptist Assembly.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Brewer, Brinson, Brunton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candle, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehrringhaus, Foushee, Galloway of Greene, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hankins, Harris, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman,
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1736, S. B. 744, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 70, Private Laws of 1903, pertaining to the charter of the town of West Tarboro.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1737, S. B. 1132, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the limits of the city of Wilmington.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1743, S. B. 496, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Brown Marsh Township, in Bertie County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads of said township.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1748, S. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 175, Private Laws of 1901, and to extend the corporate limits of Lawrence, in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1749, S. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hollyville, in Pamlico County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1751, S. B. 1205, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Raleigh and Winston-Salem Railway Company.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1752, S. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Speed, in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Brewer, Brinson, Brunt, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Ire-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1756, S. B. 1214, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Stone Mountain Railway Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1759, S. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Duplin County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1763, S. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain a graded school district in the town of Biscoe, Montgomery County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1765, S. B. 1225, a bill to be entitled an act for the working, laying out and repairing, improving and draining the public roads of Bertie County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1767, S. B. 1285, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1778, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Gibsonville Graded School District, enlarge its boundaries and provide for its management.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1779, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Castoria, in Nash County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and is ordered on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1781, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stovall, in Granville County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1782, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Liberty, in Randolph County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those in the affirmative, none.

H. B. 1784, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Randolph and Yadkin Railway Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1789, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a system for keeping up, building and repairing the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1790, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Cleveland Township, Johnston County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1794, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 449, Public Laws of 1903, relating to the graded schools of Pigeon River Township, Haywood County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1799, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the cleaning out of the head of Pungo River, and for building a canal to relieve the pressure of water at the head of said river, and for the drainage of the land around the head of said river and either side of the same.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1807, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the stock law for New Hanover County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1807, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Lilliesville, Township, Anson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehring-
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1808, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district in Gaston County and to provide for an election upon the question of levying a special tax therein.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1809, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of East Kings Mountain, in Gaston County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1826, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Moore County to issue bonds for road improvements.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1837, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 729, Laws of 1901, allowing townships in Randolph County to work public roads.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1842, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Long View, in Catawba County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1853, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Pender County to order an election and to levy a special tax in Special School District No. 1, in Burgaw Township, Pender County, for the purpose of erecting a graded school building in said district.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1856, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the town of Rutherfordton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1860, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds to levy a tax for better educational facilities.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1864, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Rockingham and Caswell Railway Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Brewer, Brinson, Bruto n, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Doughton, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Galloway of Greene, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hankins,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1865, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, H. B. 882, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent hunting game in the waters of eastern North Carolina, is withdrawn from further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, the House takes a recess until to-night at 7:30 o'clock.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess at 7:30 P. M., with Mr. Manning in the chair, and resumes consideration of the Calendar as follows:

Reports of committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Parker, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1893, S. B. 620, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff of Nash County, with a favorable report.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 1931, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 723 of the laws published as the Public Laws of 1905, concerning fishing in Tyson Marsh Mill Run, in Greene County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 1932, a bill to be entitled an act to protect Murfreesboro Township, in Hertford County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 1933, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the South and Western Railroad Company to purchase the railroads between Marion and Shelby.

Placed on the Calendar.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 1934, a bill to be entitled an act to create the office of tax collector and to place the Sheriff and Treasurer of Columbus County on a salary.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 1935, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to hunting birds in Franklin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1936, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 263, Public Laws of 1903, defining the boundary of a graded school district in Alamance County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1849, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 263, Public Laws of 1903, defining the boundary of Graded School District No. 1, in Cobbs Township, Alamance County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bowman, H. B. 1938, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a new court-house in the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1849, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Carthage.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Craw-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1850, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of the town of Jason, in Greene County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 906, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Morganton Graded School laws.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Salem.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1064, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Castalia Railroad Company.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1636, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school district in Lilesville Township, Anson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hollowell, Hooker, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Julian, Kennedy, Laughinghouse, Lockhart, McNell, McRacken, Manning, Morgan, Morton, Mull, Neal, Owen, Park, Parker, Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Royster, Sharp, Simpson, Stevens, Taylor of Bruns-

Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1461, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Zebulon Graded School District, in Wake County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1470, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365 of the Private Laws of 1905, relative to the levying of a special tax for Ahoskie Graded School.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Gallert, Galloway

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Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1482, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction and the repair of the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy a special tax therefor.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1532, S. B. 945, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1533, S. B. 779, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the
city of Rocky Mount to issue bonds for paving its streets and for other municipal improvements.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 947, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the town of Lincolnton to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1537, S. B. 828, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act for working the public roads of Gates County, ratified the 13th day of February, 1907.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hollowell, Hooker, Johnston of Cas-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1538, S. B. 936, a bill to be entitled an act to re-incorporate and restore corporate power to the town of Gatesville, Gates County, and extend the corporate limits of said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute H. B. 1592, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Rowland to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1614, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Randolph County to issue bonds for good roads, left to a vote of the people.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1615, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the trustees of Ashboro Graded Schools to issue bonds, left to a vote of the people. Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1618, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Laurinburg.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1620, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 359, Private Laws of 1839, the charter of the town of Apex.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1623, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Dunn Road District and provide for working roads in same.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1626, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 362, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Coats, in Harnett County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1629, S. B. 982, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Grifton and to amend the charter of said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1636, S. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to levy and collect a special tax for the purpose of macadamizing the roads of said county, and providing for an election.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1637, S. B. 1011, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to issue bonds for the purpose of macadamizing the roads of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1638, S. B. 1018, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the County of Pitt to issue bonds for certain purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1639, S. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Union County to levy a special tax to build bridges.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Dilling, Davis

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1640, S. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Monroe.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1642, S. B. 1029, a bill to be entitled an act to re-enact the charter of Germanton, in the county of Stokes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1649, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of
Commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds not exceeding §500,000 for macadamizing and improving the roads of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1659, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the county commissioners to issue bonds to build a court-house and jail in Randolph County, left to a vote of the people.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1660, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate two stock-law districts in the upper part of White Oak Township, in Bladen County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1673, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Rutherfordton to issue bonds and levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1675, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads in Union County and to authorize a special tax therefor, and to issue bonds for said purpose.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1685, S. B. 938, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Greensboro, Seaboard and Great Western Railroad Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1687, S. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in the town of Wise, Warren County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1688, S. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Tryon Township, Polk County, the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said township and to create a highway commission therein.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gas-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1689, S. B. 1138, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Indian Trail, in Union County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1690, S. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the Water and Light Commission of the city of New Bern.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1704, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Alexander County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1724, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Alleghany and Southern Railway Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1725, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Davidson County to call an election for bonds for public roads.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hollowell, Hooker, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Julian, Keener, Kennedy, Laughinghouse, Lockhart, McNeill, McRacken, Manning, Morgan,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1730, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to issue bonds to refund a portion of the bonded debt of Rutherford County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1731, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for bridge purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1732, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Ayden in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1733, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Winterville, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1023, S. B. 1039, a bill to be entitled an act to create a highway commission in Vance County and to prescribe its duties.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1475, a bill to be entitled an act to transfer certain persons from Sandy Ridge School District, in Union County.

Amendment is adopted and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1493, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the painting of the landing of Raleigh's Colony on Roanoke Island in 1584, is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 1734, S. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act to protect quail in Yadkin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1735, S. B. 663, a bill to be entitled an act to protect ruffled grouse and pheasants in Transylvania County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1750, S. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled an act to protect certain game in Montgomery County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1771, S. B. 1359, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of C. L. Cook of the county of Wilkes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1834, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing of quail or partridges in Avery's Creek Township, Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1481, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3057 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the water supply of Fayetteville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1550, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of Volume I. of the Revisal of 1905, it being to add the county of Pamlico to those counties affected by said section.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1882, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marshall and to declare void and irregular election held thereunder.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1884, a bill to be entitled an act to divide the profits of the Grifton dispensary, for Pitt County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1889, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the salary of jurors and special veniremen in Cumberland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1831, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4656 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to fish investigators of Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Pitt, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. DuBose of Raleigh.

Mr. Hanes, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

**PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.**

Petitions and memorials are presented, read by their titles and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Cowles, petition of citizens of Moravian Falls, Wilkes County, asking that a constitutional amendment be submitted to the people providing for a reduction of the homestead.

Referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.**

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 766, a bill to be entitled an act to create a stock law in a portion of Pamlico County by adding additional territory to the Stonewall District, west of the Lupton Bridge, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1920, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Southern Pines to levy a special tax to pay interest on debt, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1929, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve Pamlico Lodge, No. 73, Knights of Pythias, of Washington, from taxation for ten years, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Simpson, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, H. B. 1402, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the fishing laws of New Hanover, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute offered by the committee.

H. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the fishing laws of New Hanover, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rodwell, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1879, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 461 of the
Public Laws of 1905, relative to the stock-law territory in Tatam's Township, in Columbus County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1728, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads in certain townships in Polk County.

H. B. 1887, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wilson County to issue bonds for improvement of the public roads of Wilson Township, in Wilson County.

H. B. 1909, S. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to issue bonds for road improvements for Cabarrus County.

H. B. 1922, S. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Monroe Township, in Union County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads in said township.

H. B. 1902, S. B. 1289, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1857, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe compensation for the County Commissioners of the County of Rutherford.

H. B. 1877, a bill to be entitled an act to fix salaries for officers of Pitt County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1848, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the execution of criminals in capital cases in the State's Prison, without prejudice.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1934, a bill to be entitled an act to create the office of tax collector and to place the Sheriff and Treasurer of Columbus County on a salary, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1835, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1005 of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relating to the execution of deeds by corporations, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1858, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the fees in a short form of lien bond in Pamlico County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1891, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2749 of the Revisal, to allow the Board of Agriculture to fix the salary of the Commissioner of Agriculture, which shall be paid out of the fertilizer tax, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to protect and prohibit the sale of game in Nash and Edgecombe Counties, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1912, S. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Marion Township, county of McDowell, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Youn千古, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 621, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, transferring Yadkin County to the 13th Judicial District, and for changing the time of holding the courts of Rowan and Davidson Counties, without prejudice.

H. B. 1745, S. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory of chapter 28, section 1506, of the Revisal of 1905, creating an additional term of the Superior Court for the county of Edgecombe, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1699, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 424 of the Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, H. B. 1874, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of fish in Gates County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 706, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the Judges of the Superior Court their compensation for holding special terms of court as allowed from 1875 to 1901, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Fish Interests, H. B. 1876, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fishing in Black Creek, in Elevation and Pleasant Grove Townships, in Johnston County, with an unfavorable report as to bill, but with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Jacobson, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1768, S. B. 1302, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 95, Private Laws of 1903, establishing a graded school in the town of Roxboro, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1798, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 485, section 6, relative to Waynesville Graded School, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1875, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize District No. 1, Franklin Township, Macon County, to levy a special tax for public schools and for other purposes, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1899, S. B. 1217, a bill to be entitled an act to allow members of the County Boards of Education of Cherokee and Lincoln Counties to sell books and other supplies to the public schools and patrons of said counties, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1914, S. B. 1314, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate, revise and amend the charter of the town of Wilson.

H. B. 1918, S. B. 1280, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the adoption of an official map of the town of Kings Mountain.

H. B. 1869, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of South Mills, in Camden County.

H. B. 1905, S. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the home for the aged and infirm and locate same elsewhere.
H. B. 1907, S. B. 1295, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marion.

H. B. 1908, S. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of New Hill, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1833, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1559 of the Revisal, relative to removing cloud upon the title to property, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1707, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Bethel M. E. Church, in Union County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Preston, for the Committee on Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1325, S. B. 471, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Governor to employ counsel to appear before Interstate Commerce Commission, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1915, S. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Black Mountain.

By Mr. Lockhart, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1435, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to master and servant, tenants and croppers.

H. B. 1434, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3365, Revisal of 1905, relative to the master and servant law in regard to enticing servants, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Preston, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1553, S. B. 762, a bill to be entitled an act to protect and promote the commerce of the port of Wilmington and the State of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report, and with a minority report.

By Mr. Lockhart, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 627, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 81 of the Revisal of North Carolina by adding a section thereto immediately following section 3367, to make indictable the violation of certain written contracts by tenants, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bickett, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 1692, a bill to be entitled an act to require insurance companies to deposit a certain amount in cash or securities with the Insurance Commissioner of the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 1693, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of holders of preferred dividend policies, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Dilling, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1903, S. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caldwell County to issue bonds to macadamize the public roads of said county, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Julian, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor
Traffic, H. B. 1888, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary at Black Creek, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1895, S. B. 773, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of liquor in Anson County, with an unfavorable report, and with a minority report.

By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1746, S. B. 1199, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2776 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to fees of the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County for registering short form of lien bonds.

H. B. 1585, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors for Perquimans County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Julian, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1867, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 125 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to sale and shipping into Cumberland County of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors.

H. B. 1844, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Bunn High School, in Franklin County.

H. B. 1866, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2060 of the Revisal of 1905, to enable the State to make possession of United States license proof of illegal sale of liquor.

H. B. 1551, S. B. 769, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Hinson Cross Roads Church and Hinson Cross Roads School, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1711, a bill to be entitled an act to vest certain lands in the State Board of Education, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1905, a bill to be entitled an act for the better keeping of the public peace, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1816, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 8, Laws of 1854 and 1855, changing the line between the county of Harnett and the county of Cumberland, with a favorable report as amended by the committee, with a minority report attached.

Mr. Gibbs, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act to create a State Board of Arbitration for settling claims against counties, cities, towns and townships in North Carolina.

H. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 96 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the State Historical Commission.

H. B. 993, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate and restrict child labor in manufacturing establishments and to regulate the hours of labor.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Royster, H. B. 1964, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and direct the Governor to appoint a Board of Audit and a Treasurer of the Colored Orphan Asylum of North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNeill, H. B. 1965, a bill to be entitled an act for the better keeping of the public peace.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 1966, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage of a portion of Sandy Run Creek, in Rutherford and Cleveland Counties.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1967, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 55 of the Private Laws of 1893, relating to the charter of the town of Hampton, in Rutherford County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1968, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton, in Rutherford County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 1969, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to increase the number of Commissioners for Sampson County and to appoint the same.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Cowles, H. B. 1970, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the County Board of Education of Wilkes County to purchase a site and erect a building in conjunction with Pleasant Mount Lodge No. 441, A. F. & A. M.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1971, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. L. Glass, a public school teacher in District No. 3, Wilkesboro Township, Wilkes County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Preston, H. B. 1972, a bill to be entitled an act to correct certain clerical omissions in substitute bill for H. B. 246, S. B. ——.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1973, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50 of the Public Laws of 1901, entitled an act relating to highways, public roads, bridges, ferries and fords.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

* By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 1974, a bill to be entitled an act to enforce payment of poll tax in Union County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 1975, a bill to be entitled an act
to prohibit the running at large of hogs on Harker's Island, in Carteret County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mangum, H. B. 1976, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police protection upon the residents of the premises of the Loray Mills.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 1977, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the obstruction of the streams of Sanderlin's Swamp, in Camden County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Sharp, H. B. 1978, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 206 of the Acts of 1905, relating to sawdust in Hogan's Creek, in New Bethel and Huntsville Townships, Rockingham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 1979, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the live-stock of the State of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. London, H. B. 1980, a bill to be entitled an act to sell or lease the Pittsboro Academy.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 1981, a bill to be entitled an act to require solicitors to secure certified lists of all persons licensed to deal in liquors in their judicial districts by the United States.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

H. B. 1982, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the writing of prescriptions by physicians.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1983, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the investments of funds of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Buchan, H. B. 1984, a bill to be entitled an act to allow Treasurer of Moore County to pay T. M. Seawell amount due as public school teacher.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 1985, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 807, Public Laws of 1905, authorizing the Board of Elections for Mecklenburg County to contribute to the free public library in the city of Charlotte.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 1986, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public school building in Cleveland County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Crawford, H. B. 1987, a bill to be entitled an act to
authorize the town of Old Fort to issue bonds for water works and sewerage.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Weaver, H. B. 1988, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize certain townships in Buncombe and Henderson Counties to subscribe stock to aid in the construction of a competing railroad from Rutherfordton to Asheville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 1989, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor within two miles of Antioch Church, Alleghany County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 1990, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the compensation of departmental employees.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Avery, II. B. 2050, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act, H. B. 89, S. B. 176, passed at this session of the General Assembly, to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in Burke County, and to prevent the importation thereof into said county.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

H. B. 2051, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain disabled Confederate soldiers in the practice of medicine.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2052, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherford College, in Burke County.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1439, H. B. 1939, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 400, Public Laws of 1887, relating to Croatan Normal School, in Robeson County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1433, H. B. 1940, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Broadway, in Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1434, H. B. 1941, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Vass, in Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1383, H. B. 1942, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 865 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1383, H. B. 1943, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the filing of accounts by trustees.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 978, H. B. 1944, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the sale of contingent remainders.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 980, H. B. 1945, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of keepers of hotels, inns and boarding and lodging houses.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1174, H. B. 1946, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5242, chapter 110 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to sheriffs' settlements.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 64, H. B. 1947, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2727 of the Revisal of 1905, regulating the running and operation of traction engines and road steamers on the public roads of Iredell County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 772, H. B. 1948, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the form of life insurance contracts.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 267, H. B. 1949, a bill to be entitled an act defining the status of persons soliciting life insurance.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 530, H. B. 1950, a bill to be entitled an act to pay the registrars and judges of election in Guilford County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1441, H. B. 1951, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Monroe Southern Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1387, H. B. 1952, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the special tax for the Kings Mountain Graded School, in the town of Kings Mountain.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1439, H. B. 1953, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving, etc., the public highways of said county.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1408, H. B. 1954, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Patetown, in Wayne County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1440, H. B. 1955, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Kings Mountain, in the counties of Cleveland and Gaston, to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1442, H. B. 1956, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue township bonds.
to build public roads in the different townships in said county, if requested by a majority of the voters therein.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1388, H. B. 1957, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Polloksville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1412, H. B. 1958, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1897, it being an act to incorporate the Mountain Retreat Association.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1438, H. B. 1959, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1401, H. B. 1960, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Tarboro School Board to issue bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1284, H. B. 1961, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to issue bonds for enlarging its sewerage system and for paving the streets of said city.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1432, H. B. 1962, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act, ratified February 28, 1907, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lingfield.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 253, H. B. 1991, a bill to be entitled an act to amend certain sections of chapter 83, Volume II, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to building and loan associations.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 679, H. B. 1992, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Abstract and Guarantee Company of Asheville.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 777, H. B. 1993, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 345, Public Laws of 1905, regulating the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Sheriff of Dare County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 987, H. B. 1994, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the perpetration of fraud by giving worthless checks, drafts and orders.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1023, H. B. 1995, a bill to be entitled an act giving the consent of the State of North Carolina to the acquisition by the United States of land within the State for public uses.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1123, H. B. 1996, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 66 of the Laws of 1905, and to re-enact chapter 300 of the Private Laws of 1901, in relation to the government of the town of Kernersville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 1128, H. B. 1997, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, entitled "Railroads," so as to require one of the incorporators and one of the directors of railroads chartered under the general laws of this State to be citizens and residents of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

S. B. 1129, H. B. 1998, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture or sale of liquor within certain districts of Surry County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 1136, H. B. 1999, a bill to be entitled an act to create a special court for the city of Monroe, to prescribe its jurisdiction and the proceedings applicable thereto.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1171, H. B. 2000, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the acts of sheriffs and other officers.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1299, H. B. 2001, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within certain territory in Surry County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1313, H. B. 2002, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 832 of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to the dispensary of Pikeville.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.


Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1306, H. B. 2004, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1152 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to annual statements to be made by corporations.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.


Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1381, H. B. 2006, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the Board of County Commissioners of Person from three to five members.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1399, H. B. 2007, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of New London, passed by the General Assembly at the Session of 1907, and ratified on the 18th day of February, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 1362, H. B. 2008, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Ellen F. Wyckoff, administratrix and widow of J. H. Wyckoff, deceased, late ex-Sheriff of Iredell County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1364, H. B. 2009, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Eastatoe Land and Improvement Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1371, H. B. 2010, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Holt-Granite Manufacturing Company, Haw River, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1390, H. B. 2011, a bill to be entitled an act to grant the privilege of raising their dam to the South River Milling Company, South River, Rowan County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1391, H. B. 2012, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the provisions of chapter 123, Acts of 1887, providing for the drainage of lowlands, to the county of Rowan.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1394, H. B. 2013, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between Ferrell’s and Drywell’s Townships, in Nash County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1396, H. B. 2014, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a suitable monument to the Confederate soldiers of Granville County.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

S. B. 1398, H. B. 2015, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better construction and keeping in repair the roads of Wayne County, the same being S. B. 696 and H. B. 1096, ratified February 27, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1399, H. B. 2016, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the charter of the town of Essex, Halifax County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1400, H. B. 2017, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of McDowell County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1409, H. B. 2018, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for pure and adequate water supplies for the schools and colleges of the State.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.

S. B. 1413, H. B. 2019, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Board of Trustees of the Stanley-McCormick School.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.
S. B. 1431, H. B. 2020, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the
protection of quail in Iredell County.
    Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 1437, H. B. 2021, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter
672 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to pasturage in Robeson
County.
    Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 1444, H. B. 2022, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game
in Union County.
    Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 1542, H. B. 2023, a bill to be entitled an act to accept for the
use of the Agricultural Experiment Station the "Adams Fund," aris-
ing from an appropriation of the Congress of the United States.
    Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 1544, H. B. 2024, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate
the Shining Light Association of Kings Mountain.
    Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 1545, H. B. 2025, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint
John A. Bailey a justice of the peace for Grassy Creek Township,
Mitchell County.
    Referred to the Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 1546, H. B. 2026, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief
of Mrs. Harriet Vaughn, a public school teacher of Stokes County.
    Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 1548, H. B. 2027, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of
W. W. Alderman, late of Pender County.
    Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 1608, H. B. 2028, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunt-
ing and for the better protection of game in Transylvania County.
    Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 1607, H. B. 2029, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent stock
from running at large in certain territory in Tow River Township, in
Mitchell County.
    Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 1603, H. B. 2030, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
763 of the Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish Ruffin
Graded School.
    Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 1601, H. B. 2031, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the
sale of intoxicating liquors within two hundred feet of any church
in North Carolina.
    Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
S. B. 1600, H. B. 2032, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the
charter of the American Warehouse Company.
    Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 1590, H. B. 2033, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Spray Water Power and Land Company.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 1598, H. B. 2034, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the ex-Sheriff of Gaston County.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.
S. B. 1595, H. B. 2035, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Monroe Trust Company.
Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.
S. B. 1593, H. B. 2036, a bill to be entitled an act for the preservation of quai in Lincoln County.
Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 1592, H. B. 2037, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the erection and keeping of magazines or other buildings for the storage of gunpowder, dynamite or other explosives on Eagles Island, in Brunswick and New Hanover Counties.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 1591, H. B. 2038, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1885, incorporating the Law Library Association of Charlotte.
Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.
S. B. 1589, H. B. 2039, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. M. Davis, Sheriff of Surry County.
Referred to the Committee on Finance.
S. B. 1582, H. B. 2040, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Cumberland County Genealogical and Historical Society.
Referred to the Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 1579, H. B. 2041, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Wind Thorpe Church, in Iredell County.
Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 1560, H. B. 2042, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 89, section 2077, Revisal of 1905, relating to what shall be taught in the public schools of the State.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 1558, H. B. 2043, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time for holding the courts of Wilson County.
Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
S. B. 1524, H. B. 2044, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of J. W. Burton, former Clerk of the Superior Court of Onslow County, and N. S. Cochran, a notary public of Onslow County.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 1557, H. B. 2045, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the commissions of the Sheriff of Gaston County.
Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
S. B. 1553, H. B. 2046, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Winston.
Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 1552, H. B. 2047, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Roanoke Institute to Roanoke Collegiate Institute.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 444, H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to liquor traffic.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1472, H. B. 1263, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Alamance and Orange Counties.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1043, H. B. 1240, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of adulterated ciders in Mecklenburg County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1496, H. B. 1457, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of wills.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1457, H. B. 1652, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2055 of the Revisal, in regard to agricultural liens in Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1370, H. B. 1916, a bill to be entitled an act to establish additional civil courts for Pitt County and change one week of Greene court.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 1435, H. B. 1963, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Moore County to issue bonds for road improvements.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 571, H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Thomas S. Wright, ex-Sheriff of Richmond County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1336, H. B. 1349, a bill to be entitled an act for improving and macadamizing the public roads of the different townships of Cherokee County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1423, H. B. 1522, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Apex, in the county of Wake, to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1870, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Randolph County to issue bonds for Trinity Township, Randolph County, and to levy a tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1871, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Randolph County to levy a tax to build a court-house and jail.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1872, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Wadesboro to collect certain taxes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Dowd, Eddins, Ehrlinghaus, Farthing, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1880, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Pinetown, in Beaufort County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1900, S. B. 1286, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Matthews.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1921, S. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1901, chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1903 and chapter 834 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the application of taxes on the highways within Charlotte Township.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1429, S. B. 1159, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 330 of the Public Laws of 1903 by changing the boundary lines of Wesley Chapel Graded School District, in Union County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1523, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction, repair and maintenance of the public roads of Nash County.

Passes its third reading, as amended, by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1632, S. B. 761, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Brunswick County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1716, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Randolph and Cumberland Railroad Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1726, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Southern Baptist Assembly.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1736, S. B. 744, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 70, Private Laws of 1903, pertaining to the charter of the town of West Tarboro.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1737, S. B. 1132, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the limits of the city of Wilmington.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1743, S. B. 1196, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Brown Marsh Township, in Bladen County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads of said township.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1748, S. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 175, Private Laws of 1901, and to extend the corporate limits of Lawrence, in Edgecombe County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1749, S. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hollyville, in Pamlico County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1751, S. B. 1205, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Raleigh and Winston-Salem Railway Company.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Dowd, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Farthing, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Grier, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Keener, Kennedy, Kitchin,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1752, S. B. 1212, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Speed, in Edgecombe County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1756, S. B. 1214, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Stone Mountain Railway Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1763, S. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled an act to establish and maintain a graded school district in the town of Biscoe, Montgomery County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1765, S. B. 1225, a bill to be entitled an act for the working, laying out and repairing, improving and draining of the public roads of Bertie County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1767, S. B. 1285, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1778, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Gibsonville Graded School District, enlarge its boundaries and provide for its management.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1779, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Castalia, in Nash County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Dowd, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gibbs, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1781, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Stovall, in Granville County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1782, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Liberty, in Randolph County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Turlington, Vann, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Wood, Yount—89.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1784, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Randolph and Yadkin Railway Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1789, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a system for the keeping up, building and repairing of the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1790, a bill to be entitled an act to levy a special tax in Cleveland Township, Johnston County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1794, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 449, Public Laws of 1903, relative to the graded schools in Pigeon River Township, Haywood County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1799, a bill to be entitled an act for the cleaning of the head of Pungo River and for building a channel to relieve the pressure of water at the head of said river, and for the drainage of the lands around the head of said river and either side of same.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Car-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1802, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the stock law for New Hanover County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1807, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school district in Lilesville Township, Anson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1808, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public school district in Gaston County and to provide for an election upon the question of levying a special tax therein.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1809, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of East Kings Mountain, in Gaston County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1826, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Moore County to issue bonds for road improvements.
As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1837, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 729, Laws of 1901, allowing townsships in Randolph County to work public roads.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1842, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Long View, in Catawba County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bowman, Brinson, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Dowd, Eddins, Ehthinghaus, Farthing, Gallert, Gal-

Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1849, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Carthage.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1850, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of the town of Jason, in Greene County.

Passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1853, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Pender County to order an election and levy a special tax in Special School District No. 1, Burgaw Township, Pender County, for the purpose of erecting a graded school building in said district.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1856, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in the town of Rutherfordton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1864, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Rockingham and Caswell Railway Company.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1860, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and to levy a special tax for better educational facilities.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1865, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Brinson, Buchan, Burnett, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Farthing, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway
The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 1431, a bill to be entitled an act to stimulate high school instruction in public schools of the State and teacher training.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The Speaker lays before the House the second special order, H. B. 1553, S. B. 762, a bill to be entitled an act to promote and protect the commerce of the port of Wilmington.

A minority report is filed with the bill.

Mr. Preston calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

Mr. McRacken demands the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their vote:

Messrs. Bickett, Douglass and McRae.

Mr. Doughton is paired with Mr. Gallert, who would have voted "Aye," and Mr. Doughton would have voted "No."

Mr. Hankins is excused from voting.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill, and Mr. Mull sends forward an amendment.

Upon the adoption of the amendment Mr. Parsons calls for the ayes and noes.

Not a sufficient number rises.

The amendment is lost.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House takes a recess until 3:30 o'clock P. M.

Afternoon Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, at 3:30 o'clock, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and proceeds with the consideration of the bills on the Calendar, as follows:

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Parsons, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1847, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain registrations, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. John, for the Committee on Counties, Cities Towns and Townships, H. B. 1913, S. B. 1312, a bill to be entitled an act to revise the charter of the town of Lumberton, with a favorable report.

Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Avery, H. B. 2051, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain disabled Confederate soldiers engaged in the practice of medicine.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2052, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherford College, in Burke County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Peele, H. B. 2053, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquors in Scotland County.
By unanimous consent the bill is placed on the Calendar and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 2054, substitute for H. B. 1825, entitled an act to provide for the testing of water, gas and electric meters.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Eddins, by request, H. B. 2055, a bill to be entitled an act to allow C. W. Lyon, Sheriff of Bladen County, to refund stock-law tax.

On motion of Mr. Eddins, the bill is placed on its immediate passage, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2056, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified on the 23d day of February, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Liverman, H. B. 2057, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent dishonesty.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 2058, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3315 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to killing cattle and failing to show hide and ears.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1240, S. B. 1043, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of adulterated ciders in Mecklenburg County.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1652, S. B. 1457, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2055 of the Revisal, in regard to agricultural liens in Wake County.

On motion of Mr. Koonce, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1457, S. B. 1496, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of wills.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1263, S. B. 1472, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Alamance and Orange Counties.

House concurs in the amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1916, S. B. 1370, a bill to be entitled an act to establish additional civil courts for Pitt County and change one week of Greene court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1650, S. B. 1330, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the city of Salisbury a special court to be called the Recorder's Court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.
House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1349, S. B. 1336, a bill to be entitled an act for improving and macadamizing the public roads of the different townships in Cherokee County.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1522, S. B. 1423, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Apex, in the county of Wake, to issue bonds.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2019, S. B. 1413, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Board of Trustees of the Stanley-McCormick School.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 376, S. B. 444, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2080 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the liquor traffic.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1668, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the salaries of the public officers of Robeson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1909, S. B. 1136, a bill to be entitled an act to create a special court for the city of Monroe, to prescribe its jurisdiction and the proceedings applicable thereto.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment for concurrence in the amendment.

H. B. 2018, S. B. 1400, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for pure and adequate water supplies for the schools and colleges of the State.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the fishing laws of New Hanover.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1768, S. B. 1302, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 95, Private Laws of 1903, establishing a graded school in the town of Roxboro.

Recommitted to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 766, a bill to be entitled an act to create a stock law in a portion of Pamlico County by adding additional territory to the Stonewall District, west of the Lupton Bridge.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to protect and prohibit the sale of game in Nash and Edgecombe Counties.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Substitute for H. B. 1402, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the fishing laws of New Hanover County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1551, S. B. 769, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Hinson Cross Roads School.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1746, S. B. 1199, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2776 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the fees of Register of Deeds of Lenoir County for registering short form of lien bonds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1844, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Bunn High School, in Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1857, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the compensation of the County Commissioners of the county of Rutherford.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1858, a bill to be entitled an act to prescribe the fees in a short form of lien bond in Pamlico County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1867, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 125 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the sale and shipment into Cumberland County ofspirituous, vinous or malt liquors.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1869, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of South Mills, in Camden County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1585, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Perquimans County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1707, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture
and sale of any spirituous, malt or vinous liquors within three miles of Bethel M. E. Church, in Union County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1745, S. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory of chapter 28, section 1506, of the Revisal of 1905, creating an additional term of the Superior Court for the county of Edgecombe.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1975, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the running at large of hogs on Harker’s Island, in Carteret County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1978, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 206 of the Acts of 1905, relating to sawdust in Hogan’s Creek, in New Bethel and Huntsville Townships, Rockingham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1986, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public school buildings in Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1874, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of fish in Gates County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1876, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fishing in Black Creek, in Johnston County.

Substitute is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1877, a bill to be entitled an act to fix salaries for officers of Pitt County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1985, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 807, Public Laws of 1905, authorizing the Board of Education for Mecklenburg County to contribute to the free public library in the city of Charlotte.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1976, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police protection upon the residents of the premises of the Loray Mills.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1970, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the County Board of Education of Wilkes County to purchase a site
and erect a building in conjunction with Pleasant Mount Lodge, No. 441, A. F. and A. M.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1888, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a dispensary at Black Creek by a vote of the people.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 868, S. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 479, section 6, paragraph 5, Public Laws of 1901, relating to sales of fertilizers.

The substitute passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 449, S. B. 571, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Thomas S. Wright, ex-Sheriff of Richmond County.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1905, S. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the home for the aged and infirm and locate the same elsewhere.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1918, S. B. 1380, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the adoption of an official map of the town of Kings Mountain.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1931, a bill to be entitled an act to create the office of tax collector and place the Sheriff and Treasurer of Columbus County on a salary.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1950, S. B. 830, a bill to be entitled an act to pay the registrars and judges of elections in Guilford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1972, a bill to be entitled an act to correct certain clerical omissions in substitute bill for H. B. No. 246 and S. B. ....

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2038, S. B. 1591, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1885, incorporating the Law Library Association of Charlotte, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2042, S. B. 1560, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter, 89, section 2087, Revisal of 1905, relating to what shall be taught in the public schools of the State.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1989, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor within two miles of Antioch Church, Alleghany County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1875, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize District No. 1, Franklin Township, Macon County, to levy a special tax for public schools and for other purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1887, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wilson County to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads of Wilson Township, in Wilson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1902, S. B. 1289, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar, and on motion of Mr. Harshaw is referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1903, S. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caldwell County to issue bonds to macadamize the public roads of said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, and on motion of Mr. Harshaw is referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1907, S. B. 1295, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marion.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Doughton, Dowd, Edgerton, Foushee, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Grant, Griffin, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Hollowell, Hooker, John, Johnston of

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1908, S. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of New Hill.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1909, S. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to issue bonds for road improvements for Cabarrus County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1912, S. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Marion Township, county of McDowell.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1914, S. B. 1314, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate, revise and amend the charter of the town of Wilson.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1915, S. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Black Mountain.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1920, S. B. 1384, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Southern Pines to levy a special tax to pay interest on its debts.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1922, S. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Monroe Township, in Union County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads in said township.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Manning, H. B. 1528, a bill to be entitled an act
to prevent unjust discriminations in freight rates and to fix a maximum charge therefor, is made a special order for to-night.

On motion of Mr. Park, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.

**Evening Session.**

The House meets pursuant to recess, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and resumes consideration of business as follows:

The Speaker extends the courtesies of the House to Messrs. I. Bailey of Richmond County, and, on motion of Mr. Morton, the same courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Representative George Rountree of New Hanover, and to Hon. Herbert McClammy of Wilmington.

**Reports of Committees.**

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. McRacken, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 740, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Joseph G. L. Crocker of Northampton County, with a favorable report.

**Enrolled Bills.**

Mr. Rector, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 1579, S. B. 1511, an act to provide for the payment of certain school claims in Ashe and Alleghany Counties.

H. B. 986, S. B. 1489, an act to incorporate the village of Royall Cotton Mills.

H. B. 1492. S. B. 1425, an act to incorporate the town of Cherry, in Washington County.

H. B. 1787, S. B. 1541, an act to amend chapter 86 of the Laws of 1876 and 1877, to secure the better drainage of the lowlands of the South Yadkin River and its tributaries in the county of Alexander, between Deals (now Crouch's) Mill and Mehaffey's (now Sharps), Mill.

H. B. 885, S. B. 992, an act to prohibit the sale of wine and cider within three miles of Hickory Grove Baptist Church, Bladen County.

H. B. 1222, S. B. 1042, an act to correct the calls of Grant No. 70 for Tract No. 1314, issued to M. Fain.

H. B. 1057, S. B. 1416, an act to amend chapter 365 of the Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 1785, S. B. 1484, an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County in respect to the sale of liquor.

H. B. 1265, S. B. 1085, an act to correct State Grant No. 7071 of Macon County.
H. B. 638, S. B. 346, an act to amend chapter 100, section 4761, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fire insurance policies and losses thereunder.
H. B. 873, S. B. 549, an act to increase the time for the county surveyor and his deputies for recording surveys.
H. B. 1446, S. B. 1417, an act to authorize the city of Washington to issue bonds for street improvements.
H. B. 1513, S. B. 1505, an act to charter Kinston College, Kinston, Lenoir County.
H. B. 1663, S. B. 1534, an act to amend chapter 241, Private Laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 286 of the Private Laws of 1901, with reference to the route of the Wilkesboro and Jefferson Turnpike.
H. B. 1777, S. B. 1540, an act to amend section 2712 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the pay of supervisors of roads.
H. B. 1706, S. B. 1453, an act to provide for the drainage of a certain portion of Indian Creek, in Lincoln County.
H. B. 1719, S. B. 1482, an act to change the township lines of Winston, Middlefork, Old Town and South Fork Townships, in Forsyth County.
H. B. 1739, S. B. 1142, an act to extend the time for the organization of the Graham County Railroad Company.
H. B. 1588, S. B. 1512, an act to authorize and empower the bondsmen of A. W. Aman, ex-Sheriff of Sampson County, to collect the taxes charged to said officer.
H. B. 1661, S. B. 1533, an act for the relief of Miss Claudia Wiley, a public school teacher of Anson County.
H. B. 571, S. B. 345, an act to amend section 3052 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to water supplies.
H. B. 1611, S. B. 1487, an act to allow Causey Pugh to peddle medicine in Alamance and Randolph Counties.
H. B. 1433, S. B. 1492, an act to protect game in Cabarrus County.
H. B. 1524, S. B. 1507, an act to enable the Highway Commission of Guilford County to acquire gravel pits and stone quarries and to require them to make an itemized report of their receipts and disbursements.
H. B. 1480, S. B. 1448, an act to amend chapter 830 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the working of the public roads of Lillington Township, in Harnett County.
H. B. 1514, S. B. 1506, an act to provide for the disposition of the proceeds of the dispensaries in Lenoir County.
H. B. 1486, S. B. 1698, an act to regulate the compensation of the Sheriff of Halifax County.

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H. B. 1677, S. B. 1456, an act regulating the jurisdiction of the justices of the peace of Columbus County and the Mayor of the Town of Whiteville.

H. B. 1606, S. B. 1488, an act to protect game in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1697, S. B. 1452, an act to amend section 21, chapter 382, of the Public Laws of 1903.

H. B. 570, S. B. 321, an act to amend chapter 130, Public Laws of 1905, in relation to killing squirrels in Bertie and Martin Counties.

H. B. 1447, S. B. 1493, an act to prevent the overflow of Lyon Swamp, in Bladen County, by the waters of the Cape Fear River.

H. B. 1554, S. B. 1168, an act to prohibit sawdust being thrown into streams in Iredell County.

H. B. 1627, S. B. 1485, an act to amend chapter 290 of the Private Laws of 1905, being an act to amend the charter of the Winston, High Point and Wadesboro Interurban Electric Railroad Company.

H. B. 1508, S. B. 1450, an act to amend chapter 257, Private Laws of 1905, in regard to the Carolina Valley Railway Company.

H. B. 1679, S. B. 1483, an act to incorporate Barker's High School.

H. B. 1610, S. B. 1530, an act to amend the charter of the city of Randleman.

H. B. 1776, S. B. 1539, an act to appoint a superintendent of roads and bridges for Guilford County, and to fix his duties.

H. B. 1478, S. B. 1498, an act to repeal chapter 393, Public Laws of 1905, concerning the hunting of squirrels and opossums in Greene County.

H. B. 1485, S. B. 1500, an act to protect certain fur-bearing animals in Clay County.

H. B. 1131, S. B. 1490, an act to amend section 2080, chapter 49, Volume I, of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1497, S. B. 1518, an act to amend sections 3366 and 3367, chapter 81, of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to landlords and tenants.

H. B. 1727, S. B. 1468, an act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust into the waters of certain streams in Chatham County.

H. B. 1655, S. B. 1477, an act to amend section 1881 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the killing of deer in Jones County.

H. B. 1481, S. B. 1499, an act for the relief of Mrs. Nannie McPhail Yarborough, a public school teacher of Chatham County.


H. B. 1496, S. B. 1517, an act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to working the public roads and highways of Smithfield Township, in the county of Johnston.

H. B. 1501, S. B. 1502, an act to amend chapter 182, Private Laws of
1905, incorporating Andrews School District No. 4, in Cherokee County.

H. B. 1571, S. B. 1522, an act to authorize D. J. Sanders, ex-Sheriff of Onslow County, to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1902, 1903 and 1904.

H. B. 1462, S. B. 1475, an act to amend section 30 of chapter 201 of the Private Laws of 1905, being the charter of the town of Mount Olive.

H. B. 1458, S. B. 1476, an act to amend chapter 508 of the Public Laws of 1905.

H. B. 1734, S. B. 546, an act to protect quail in Yadkin County.

H. B. 1678, S. B. 1447, an act to prohibit trapping fish in Lumber River and its tributaries, in Columbus and Robeson Counties.

H. B. 1574, S. B. 1523, an act to amend chapter 64, Public Laws of 1905, relative to the road law of Warren County, Judkins Township.

H. B. 1747, S. B. 1200, an act to amend the charter of the town of Walnut Cove, in Stokes County, chapter 60 of the Private Laws of 1889.

H. B. 1311, S. B. 1258, an act to establish a special tax school district in Caswell County, to be known as Semora Graded School.

H. B. 1609, S. B. 1464, an act authorizing and directing the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Windsor to convey certain school property to the Windsor Graded School.

H. B. 1448, S. B. 1494, an act to protect game in Stokes County.

H. B. 1635, S. B. 952, an act to incorporate the Weldon and Roanoke Rapids Electric Railway Company.

H. B. 1500, S. B. 1424, an act to build bridges in Haywood County.

H. B. 1927, S. B. 1310, an act to amend the charter of the Toisnot Banking Company.

H. B. 1507, S. B. 1454, an act relating to the control and management of automobiles and other vehicles upon public roads and highways in Guilford, Wake and Wayne Counties.

H. B. 1558, S. B. 943, an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Lower Creek and Linville Valley Transportation Company, being chapter 564 of the Laws of 1891.

H. B. 1597, S. B. 1526, an act regulating the establishment of free ferries across the Cape Fear River in Bladen County.

H. B. 1477, S. B. 1497, an act to prevent obstructions in Moccasin River or Big Contentnea Creek and Little Contentnea Creek.

H. B. 1570, S. B. 1521, an act for the relief of S. W. Bynum, a former school teacher of Onslow County.

H. B. 1569, S. B. 1510, an act to incorporate certain churches in Carteret County.

H. B. 1526, S. B. 1509, an act to allow hogs and other stock to run at large in Sand Hill Township, Lenoir County.

H. B. 1411, S. B. 1491, an act to prohibit the sale of wine and cider within two miles of Center Roads Baptist Church, Bladen County.

H. B. 1906, S. B. 1294, an act to incorporate the Tabernacle Baptist Church, in Raleigh.

H. B. 1601, S. B. 1513, an act to validate certain probates of J. B. Collins, Clerk of the Superior Court of Jones County.

H. B. 1600, S. B. 1528, an act to prevent the depredations of domestic fowls in McDowell and Yancey Counties.

H. B. 1653, S. B. 1478, an act to authorize the Treasurer of Randolph County to pay a public school teacher of said county remainder of salary for 1905.

H. B. 1271, S. B. 1515, an act in relation to a court stenographer for Cumberland County.

H. B. 1278, S. B. 1516, an act to amend section 3382a of the Revisal of 1905, relative to dumping sawdust into streams.

H. B. 1525, S. B. 1508, an act to amend chapter 413 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to a cotton-weigher for the town of Laurinburg.

H. B. 1294, S. B. 1479, an act to incorporate the North Carolina Savings Bank and Trust Company.

H. B. 1741, S. B. 1194, an act to incorporate the Winston Bank and Trust Company.

H. B. 1242, S. B. 1458, an act to amend section 1888, chapter 40, Revisal of 1905, relating to hunting in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 1624, S. B. 1532, an act to amend chapter 577, Public Laws of 1905, relating to cotton-weigher of the town of Dunn, Harnett County.

H. B. 1417, S. B. 1416, an act to amend the charter of the town of Hertford.

H. B. 1533, S. B. 779, an act to authorize the city of Rocky Mount to issue bonds for paving its streets and for other municipal improvements.

H. B. 813, S. B. 1640, an act to permit railroad companies to acquire lands for double tracking.

H. B. 1429, S. B. 1159, an act to amend chapter 330 of the Public Laws of 1903 by changing the boundary line of Wesley Chapel Graded School District, in Union County.

H. B. 63, S. B. 274, an act to prohibit the sale of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors.

H. R. 276, S. R. 1241, joint resolution instructing the removal of the arsenal from the Capitol Square.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 2059, a bill to be entitled an act to pay jurors in Caldwell County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Harshaw, H. B. 2060, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the hiring of convicts to work on the Watauga Railroad from Edgemont to Boone.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Hooker, by request, H. B. 2061, a bill to be entitled an act to locate the public school-house in District No. 3, Township No. 3, Pamlico County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Winborne. H. R. 2062, resolution of the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring.

Placed on the Calendar.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1883, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Dr. D. C. Hundle to practice medicine in No. 2 Township, in Madison County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1088, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3777 and 3778 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to damage to roads by hauling logs, lumber, timber and other heavy substances over the public roads.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 574, S. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for obtaining grants for entries of land.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1555, H. B. 2049, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Manning, H. R. 2063, resolution to investigate charges which reflect upon the conference committee of the House of Representatives on the subject of passenger rate reduction; etc.

Placed upon the Calendar upon a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Doughton offers a substitute.

Mr. Johnson of Johnston moves to lay the bill and the substitute on the table.

Motion carries, and the bill is tabled by the following vote:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


H. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the terms and elections of officers of State institutions.

Mr. Dowd offers an amendment.

The amendment is adopted, and, as amended, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the vote by which H. R. 2063, resolution to investigate charges which reflect upon the conference committee of the House of Representatives on the subject of passenger rate reduction, etc., was tabled, is reconsidered, and the resolution is placed on the Calendar.

Mr. Doughton withdraws his substitute, and the resolution is adopted, and the chair names as a special committee under the resolution Messrs. Williams, Midyette and Yount.

On motion of Mr. Justice, S. B. 651, H. B. 1926, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unfair and unjust discriminations in freight rates and to correct abuses in freight charges by railway companies, is made a special order for Friday, March 8th, at the expiration of the morning hour.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, it being consideration of H. B. 1528, an act to be entitled an act to prevent unjust discrimination in freight rates and to fix the maximum charges therefor, being on its third reading.

Mr. Douglass offers an amendment.

Mr. Carter offers an amendment.

Mr. Justice offers an amendment.

Pending consideration of this bill, the House, upon motion of Mr. Parsons, adjourns until 9:30 o'clock to-morrow.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday, morning session, afternoon session and evening session, has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

On motion of Mr. Gallert, the courtesies of the floor are extended to ex-Representative J. F. Alexander of Rutherford County.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.**

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 2048, S. B. 385, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Florence P. Tucker, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Dilling, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1955, S. B. 1440, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Kings Mountain, in the counties of Cleveland and Gaston, to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Blount, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1956, S. B. 1442, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue township bonds to build public roads in the different townships in said county if requested by a majority of the voters therein, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1939, S. B. 1430, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 400, Public Laws of 1887, relative to Croatan Normal School, in Robeson County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1971, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. L. Glass, a public school teacher in District No. 3, in Wilkesboro Township, Wilkes County.

H. B. 1930, S. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Tarboro School Board to issue bonds.

H. B. 1980, a bill to be entitled an act to sell or lease the Pittsboro Academy.

H. B. 1886, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Treasurer of Haywood County to pay a school claim.

H. B. 2026, S. B. 1546, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Harriet Vaughn, a public school teacher of Stokes County.
H. B. 2023, S. B. 1542, a bill to be entitled an act to accept for the use of the Agricultural Experiment Station "The Adams' Fund," arising from an appropriation of the Congress of the United States.

H. B. 1917, S. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary of the Whittier Special School District, in Swain County.

H. B. 2047, S. B. 1552, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Roanoke Institute to Roanoke Collegiate Institute.

H. B. 2030, S. B. 1603, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 763 of the Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish Ruffin Graded School, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1984, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Treasurer of Moore County to pay J. M. Seawell amount due as public school teacher, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows, with a favorable report.

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1941, S. B. 1434, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Vance, in Moore County.

H. B. 2016, S. B. 1399, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the charter of the town of Essex, Halifax County.

H. B. 1890, S. B. 780, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Rocky Mount Road District, in the counties of Nash and Edgecombe, and to provide the means and regulations for working the same, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1962, S. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified February 28, 1907, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lingfield.

H. B. 2046, S. B. 1553, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Winston.

H. B. 1957, S. B. 1388, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Polloksville.

H. B. 1996, S. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 66 of the Laws of 1905, and to re-enact chapter 360 of the Private Laws of 1901, in relation to the government of the town of Kernersville.

H. B. 1961, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to issue bonds for enlarging its sewerage system and for paving the streets of said city.

H. B. 1988, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize certain towns- ships in Buncombe, Henderson and Rutherford Counties to subscribe stock to aid in the construction of a competing railroad from Rutherfordton to Asheville.

H. B. 2013, S. B. 1394, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between Ferrells and Drywells Townships, in Nash County.
H. B. 1967, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 550 of the Private Laws of 1893, relating to the charter of the town of Hampton in Rutherford County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Dowd, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1868, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the enforcement of the law against the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors in Goldsboro Township, Wayne County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1674, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 417, Private Laws of 1905, by striking out section 22 of said chapter, relating to the sale of liquor in the town of Richlands, Onslow County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1963, S. B. 1435, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Moore County to issue bonds for road improvements.

On motion, is laid on the table.

By Mr. Dowd, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1605, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit public drunkenness within one mile of Liledoun Church and School-house in Alexander County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1968, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton, in Rutherford County.

H. B. 1940, S. B. 1433, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Broadway, in Moore County.

H. B. 2007, S. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of New London, passed by the General Assembly at the Session of 1907 and ratified on the 18th day of February, 1907.

H. B. 1718, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cerro Gordo, Columbus County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1863, S. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Mitchell County the question of the removal of the county court-house from Bakersville to Altapass, reported without prejudice.

H. B. 1954, S. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Paletown, in Wayne County, with a favorable report as amended.

H. B. 1945, S. B. 980, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of the keepers of hotels, inns and boarding and lodging houses, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1953, S. B. 1439, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving, etc., the public highways of said county, with a favorable report.
By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1759, S. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowman, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 2015, S. B. 1398, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better construction and keeping in repair the roads of Wayne County, the same being S. B. 696, H. B. 1096, ratified February 27, 1907.

H. B. 2017, S. B. 1400, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of McDowell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Pugh, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1671, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the Judges of the Superior Courts their compensation for holding special terms of court as allowed by law from 1875 to 1901.

On motion, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 1780, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Bladen County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1827, a bill to be entitled an act to pay the officers of Union County full fees in criminal actions.

H. B. 1720, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2788 of the Revisal of 1905, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1709, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 249 of the Revisal of 1905, regulating the fees for the examination of State banks, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 2054, substitute for H. B. 1825, entitled an act to provide for the testing of water, gas and electric meters.

On motion, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Health.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 2031, S. B. 1601, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor within two hundred feet of any church in North Carolina.

H. B. 2050, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act (H. B. 89, S. B. 176), passed at this session of the General Assembly, to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in Burke County and to prevent the importation thereof into said county.

H. B. 2002, S. B. 1313, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 832 of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to the dispensary of Pikeville, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1830, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2058, chapter 49 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to denatured alcohol, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1982, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the writing of prescriptions by physicians, with a favorable report.
H. B. 1813, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the people of Lexington to vote on the question of a dispensary, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1812, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of liquor, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 1907, S. B. 1023, a bill to be entitled an act giving the consent of the State of North Carolina to the acquisition by the United States of land within the State for public purposes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 2020, S. B. 1431, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County.

H. B. 2022, S. B. 1444, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Union County.

H. B. 2036, S. B. 1583, a bill to be entitled an act for the preservation of quail in Lincoln County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 2058, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3315 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to killing cattle and failing to show hide and ears.

H. B. 1942, S. B. 1383, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 865 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

H. B. 1944, S. B. 978, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the sale of contingent remainders.

H. B. 1943, S. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the filing of accounts by trustees.

H. B. 2000, S. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the acts of sheriffs and other officers, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2057, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent dishonesty.

H. B. 898, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the poll tax in Henderson County.

H. B. 738, S. B. 76, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 23 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1630, S. B. 235, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the retirement of capital stock in certain cases.

H. B. 998, a bill to be entitled an act for the recording of surveys of land heretofore made or that may hereafter be made, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 2028, S. B. 1608, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting and for the better protection of game in Transylvania County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Oyster Interests.
H. B. 1881, a bill to be entitled an act to protect oysters and clams in Carteret County, with a favorable report.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Substitute for H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Salem, as contained in chapter 40, Laws of 1881.

H. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the sale of game during the closed season in Edgecombe and Nash Counties.

Substitute for H. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 1461, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Zebulon Graded School District, in Wake County.

H. B. 1834, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing of quail and partridges in Avery's Creek Township, Buncombe County.

H. B. 1841, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3057 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the water supplies for the city of Fayetteville.

H. B. 1859, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of Volume I of the Revisal of 1905, it being to add the county of Pamlico to those counties affected by said section.

H. B. 1860, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy tax for better educational facilities.

H. B. 1088, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3777 and 3778 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the damage to roads by hauling logs, lumber, timber and other heavy substances over the public roads.

H. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the terms of and election of officers of State institutions.

Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as properly engrossed, and the same is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 1528, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unjust discrimination in freight rates and to fix the maximum charges therefor.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE:

A message is received from the Senate requesting the return of S. B. 1555, H. B. 2049, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305, entitled: an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway Power Company.

House grants request and the bill is returned.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 2064, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of pheasants in Rutherford County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Turlington, H. B. 2065, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to a special courthouse tax for Iredell County.
Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2066, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 729 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to the road law of Iredell County and other counties.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Winborne, H. B. 2080, an act to increase the compensation of stenographers for the Supreme Court.
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 2081, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Old North State Banking and Trust Company at High Point.
Referred to the Committee on Banks and Currency.

By Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 2082, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Anson County Road Law.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 2083, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fishing with traps in Bear Creek, Lenoir County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 2084, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Mecklenburg County.
Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2085, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 458 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, Session 1901, relative to building bridges in Mecklenburg County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Winborne, H. R. 2087, resolution as to limiting debates.
Adopted.

By Mr. McRae, H. B. 2088, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to the Confederate Monument in Robeson County.
Placed on the Calendar and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Clifford, H. B. 2089, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and county by a majority vote of its citizens to determine whether total prohibition or the provisions of the Ward and Watts law shall be in force therein.
Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
H. B. 2096, a bill to be entitled an act to declare the stock law in force in the village of Duke, Harnett County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 2091, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to enact ordinances relating to the streams therein and prevent the pollution and obstruction of the same.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Jacobson, H. R. 2092, joint resolution relative to the compensation of pages.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 2093, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50 of the Public Laws of 1901, as amended by chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1903, and by chapter 60 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to working public roads of Ashe County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Park, H. B. 2094, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 696 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to graded road in Ashe County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davis of Carteret, H. B. 2095, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Carteret County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

H. B. 2096, a bill to be entitled an act to protect food fish in Carteret County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

By Mr. Washington, H. B. 2097, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1884 of the Revisal, in regard to the game laws of Wilson County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 2098, H. B. 1307, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a State Board of Equalization for the assessment of real estate in North Carolina for taxation.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1145, H. B. 2067, a bill to be entitled an act providing for primary elections in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1207, H. B. 2068, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Tryon.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1305, H. B. 2069, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Forsyth County and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
S. B. 1361, H. B. 2070, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Hazel Creek Public Road District, in Swain County, and to provide for the building and maintaining of the public roads in said district by taxation.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1373, H. B. 2071, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 123 of the Public Laws of 1887.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1436, H. B. 2072, a bill to be entitled an act to provide an official court stenographer for the county of Robeson

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1395, H. B. 2073, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain physicians in Chatham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1550, H. B. 2074, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Rocky Mount to issue bonds for the promotion of its educational interests.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1551, H. B. 2075, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1609, H. B. 2076, a bill to be entitled an act to create office of Treasurer of Mt. Airy Township, Surry County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1612, H. B. 2077, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 616 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to an act to authorize the Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue road bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1614, H. B. 2078, a bill to be entitled an act to define the jurisdiction of the Recorder's Court of Rocky Mount.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1615, H. B. 2079, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the public roads of Yadkin County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

S. B. 1555, H. B. 2049, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1429, H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh, in the county of Wake.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1287, H. B. 2086, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Virginia-Carolina Power Company.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1528, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unjust discrimination in freight rates and fix the maximum charges therefor.

Upon its third reading,

Amendments are sent forward by Mr. Bickett.

Mr. Manning calls the previous question.

Call sustained.

The question recurs upon the amendment of Mr. Douglass.

The amendment of Mr. Douglass is lost.

The question recurs upon the amendment of Mr. Justice, upon which he demands the ayes and noes.

The call is sustained and the amendment is adopted by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


And the bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4731 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the investment of capital of insurance companies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1191, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4795, chapter 100, Insurance Laws of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1594, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3688 of the Revisal of 1905.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1905, S. B. 1023, a bill to be entitled an act giving the consent of the State of North Carolina to the aquisition by the United States of land within the State for public purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1870, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Randolph County to issue bonds for Trinity Township, Randolph County, and to levy a tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1871, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Commissioners of Randolph County to levy a tax to build court-house and jail.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1872, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Wadesboro to collect certain taxes.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1875, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize District No. 1, Franklin Township, Macon County, to levy a special tax for public schools and for other purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1880, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Pinetown, in Beaufort County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1887, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wilson County to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads of Wilson Township, in Wilson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1900, S. B. 1286, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Mathews.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1907, S. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marion.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1908, S. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of New Hill.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1909, S. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to issue bonds for road improvements for Cabarrus County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1914, S. B. 1314, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate, revise and amend the charter of the town of Wilson.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1915, S. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Black Mountain.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

II. B. 1920, S. B. 1384, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Southern Pines to levy a special tax to pay interest on debt.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1921, S. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1901, chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1903 and chapter 824 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the application of taxes on the highways within Charlotte Township.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1922, S. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Monroe Township, in Union County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads in said township.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1987, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Old Fort to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1958, S. B. 1412, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1897, it being an act to incorporate the Mountain Retreat Association.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1952, S. B. 1387, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the special tax for the Kings Mountain Graded School, in the town of Kings Mountain.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

McRae, Mangum, Manning, Morgan, Mull, Park, Parker, Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Price of Union, Pritchard, Rector, Rose, Royster, Simpson, Stevens, Taylor of Brunswick, Tillet, Turlington, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Yount—79.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 627, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 81 of the Revisal of North Carolina by adding section 3367, to make indictable the violation of certain written contracts by tenants. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 968, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal sections 2012, 2013 and 2014 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to libel and slander, with a report by the minority.

Mr. Douglass offers a substitute.
Mr. Kitchin offers an amendment.
Mr. Koonce calls the previous question.
Call sustained.
Mr. Dowd calls for the ayes and noes on the amendment of Mr. Kitchin.
Call sustained.
The amendment is lost.
The question recurs upon the substitute offered by Mr. Douglass, on which he calls for the ayes and noes.
Call sustained.
The substitute fails of adoption by the following vote:
Those voting in the affirmative are:
Those voting in the negative are:

The question then recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading, and, upon motion of Mr. Brewer, the bill is laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Harris, the motion to reconsider is laid on the table.
Those voting in the affirmative on Mr. Kitchin's amendment are:
Messrs. Candler, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Ehringhaus,
Hampton, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughhughouse, Lockhart, Mangum, Murphy, Pickett, Preston, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rodwell, Rose, Vann, Wells, White—21.

Those voting in the negative are:


On motion of Mr. Peele, the House takes a recess until 3:30 P. M.

Afternoon Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and lays before the House the Calendar bills.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Kitchin, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 2075, S. B. 1551, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

H. B. 2040, S. B. 1582, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Cumberland County Genealogical and Historical Society.

H. B. 1928, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the people to vote on bonds to build the Bladen and Northern Railroad.

H. B. 1951, S. B. 1441, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Monroe-Southern Railroad Company.

H. B. 1896, S. B. 941, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate the Aberdeen and West End Railroad Company, the Ashboro and Montgomery Railroad Company and the Jackson Springs Railroad Company.

H. B. 2024, S. B. 1544, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Shining Light Association of Kings Mountain.

H. B. 1992, S. B. 679, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Abstract and Title Guarantee Company of Asheville.

H. B. 2032, S. B. 1600, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the American Warehouse Company.

H. B. 2033, S. B. 1599, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Spray Water-power and Land Company.
H. B. 1897, S. B. 1016, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Aberdeen and Rockfish Railroad Company.

H. B. 1919, S. B. 1382, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the M. L. Jones Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts,

H. B. 937, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for holding Superior Courts in Haywood County.

H. B. 2069, S. B. 1503, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Forsyth County and for other purposes, with a favorable report.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1863, S. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Mitchell County the question of the removal of the county court-house from Bakersville to Altapass.

The bill fails to pass its second reading.

H. B. 1967, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 55 of the Private Laws of 1893, relating to the charter of the town of Hampton, in Rutherford County.

Passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1968, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton, in Rutherford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1974, a bill to be entitled an act to enforce payment of poll tax in Union County.

Fails to pass its second reading.

H. B. 2020, S. B. 1431, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2022, S. B. 1444, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Union County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2026, S. B. 1546, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Harriet Vaughn, a public school teacher of Stokes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2028, S. B. 1608, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting and for the better protection of game in Transylvania County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 2030, S. B. 1603, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 763 of the Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish Ruffin Graded School.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1980, a bill to be entitled an act to sell or lease the Pittsboro Academy.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1996, S. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 66 of the Laws of 1905 and to re-enact chapter 300 of the Private Laws of 1901, in relation to the government of the town of Kernersville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2002, S. B. 1313, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 832 of the Public Laws of 1905, in reference to the dispensary of Pikeville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2050, a bill to be entitled an act to pay jurors in Caldwell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2064, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of pheasants in Rutherford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2072, S. B. 1436, a bill to be entitled an act to provide an official court stenographer for the county of Robeson.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2073, S. B. 1395, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain physicians in Chatham County.

Passes its second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2082, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Anson County road law.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 449, S. B. 571, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Thomas S. Wright, ex-Sheriff of Richmond County.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 740, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Joseph G. L. Crocker of Northampton County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2058, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3315 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to killing cattle and failing to show hide and ears.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 737, S. B. 1109, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Smithfield.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1171, S. B. 1421, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh, in the county of Wake.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1305, S. B. 1121, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of H. C. Kearney, Sheriff of Franklin County.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2007, S. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of New London, passed by the General Assembly at the Session of 1907 and ratified the 18th day of February, 1907.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2009, S. B. 1364, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Eastatoe Land and Timber Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2013, S. B. 1394, a bill to be entitled an act to change the dividing line between Ferrells and Drywells Townships, in Nash County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2051, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain disabled Confederate soldiers engaged in the practice of medicine, is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 2052, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Rutherford College, in Burke County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2050, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act (H. B. S9, S. B. 176) passed at this session of the General Assembly to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in Burke County, and to prevent the importation thereof into Burke County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2036, S. B. 1593, a bill to be entitled an act for the preservation of quail in Lincoln County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2046, S. B. 1553, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Winston.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2047, S. B. 1552, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the Roanoke Institute to the Roanoke Collegiate Institute.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1901, S. B. 1288, a bill to be entitled an act to merge and consolidate Runnymede Hosiery Mills and Runnymede Land Company, two corporations of the county of Edgecombe, into one corporation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1964, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and direct the Governor to appoint a board of audit and a treasurer of the Colored Orphan Asylum.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1971, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. L. Glass, a public school teacher in District No. 3, Wilkesboro Township, Wilkes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1868, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the enforcement of the law against the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors in Goldsboro Township, Wayne County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1881, a bill to be entitled an act to protect oysters and clams in Carteret County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1886, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Treasurer of Haywood County to pay a school claim.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1582, S. B. 1563, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit impounding live-stock within the corporate limits of the town of Granby, in Columbus County.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1728, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better working of the public roads in certain townships in Polk County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1780, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Bladen County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2015, S. B. 1398, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the better construction and keeping in repair of the public roads of Wayne County, the same being S. B. 696 and H. B. 1006, ratified February 27, 1907.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 2016, S. B. 1399, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the charter of the town of Essex, Halifax County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 2017, S. B. 1400, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of McDowell County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 2066, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 729 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to the road laws of Iredell County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1974, a bill to be entitled an act to enforce payment of poll tax in Union County.
On motion of Mr. Parsons, the vote by which the bill failed to pass its second reading is reconsidered and the bill placed on the Calendar, and Mr. Stevens sends forward an amendment, which is adopted, and the bill as amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.
H. B. 2093, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 50 of the Public Laws of 1901 as amended by chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1903 and by chapter 60 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to working the public roads of Ashe County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2085, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 458 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1901, relative to building bridges by Mecklenburg County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2065, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to a special court-house tax for Iredell County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2004, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 696 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to graded road in Ashe County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2083, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent fishing with traps in Bear Creek, Lenoir County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2084, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Mecklenburg County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1718, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cerro Gordo, Columbus County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1759, S. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Duplin County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1890, S. B. 750, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Rocky Mount Road District, in the counties of Nash and Edgecombe, and to provide the means and regulations for working the same.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1917, S. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary of the Whittier Special School District, in Swain County. Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1938, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a new court-house in the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County. Substitute offered and adopted, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1940, S. B. 1433, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Broadway, in Moore County. Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

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Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1941, S. B. 1434, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Vass, in Moore County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1953, S. B. 1439, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving the public highways of said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1954, S. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Patetown, in Wayne County.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Doughton, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Galloway of Greene, Gaston, Gibbs, Grant, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Hollow-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1955, S. B. 1440, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Kings Mountain, in the counties of Cleveland and Gaston, to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Buchanan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Doughton, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Gallo-
way of Greene, Gaston, Gibbs, Grant, Hankins, Hanes, Harris, Hol-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1956, S. B. 1442, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue township bonds to build public roads in the different townships of said county, if requested by a majority of the voters therein.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Avery, Baley, Bickett, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Buchanan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Doughton, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Gallo-
way of Greene, Gaston, Gibbs, Grant, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Hol-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1957, S. B. 1388, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Pollocksville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1960, S. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Tarboro School Board to issue bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1961, S. B. 1284, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to issue bonds for enlarging the system of sewerage and for paving the streets of said city.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1962, S. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to
an act ratified February 28, 1907, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lingfield.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1988, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize certain townships in Buncombe and Henderson Counties to subscribe stock to aid in the construction of a competing railroad from Rutherfordton to Asheville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1863, S. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Mitchell County the question of the removal of the county court-house from Bakersville to Altapass, fails to pass its second reading by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, are:

Messrs. Avery, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Cowles, Crawford, Davis of Carteret, Dowd, Eddins, Edgerton, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Gibbs, Gillam, Grant, Grier, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Hollowell, Jacobson, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse,

The bill fails to pass.

On motion of Mr. Lockhart, H. B. 1983, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the investment of funds of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina, is taken from the Committee on Insurance and placed on the Calendar, and made a special order for to-night.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the House takes a recess until to-night at 8 o'clock.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

The consideration of the Calendar is taken up and proceeds as follows:

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1851, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Snow Hill, Greene County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 1910, S. B. 1391, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the felling of trees and obstructing and damming up the streams of Cypress Swamp and Haws Run, in Onslow County.

H. B. 2021, S. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 672, Public Laws of 1903, relating to pasturage in Robeson County.

H. B. 1843, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to barbed-wire fences in Franklin County.

H. B. 1840, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the dumping of sawdust into streams of Franklin County.

H. B. 2027, S. B. 1548, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. W. Alderman, late of Pender County.

H. B. 2001, S. B. 1299, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within certain territory in Surry County.

H. B. 1947, S. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2727 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to running and operating traction engines and road steamers on the public roads.

H. B. 2029, S. B. 1607, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in certain territory in Tow River Township, in Mitchell County.
H. B. 1906, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage of a portion of Sandy Run Creek, in Rutherford and Cleveland Counties.

H. B. 2041, S. B. 1579, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Wind Thorpe Church, in Iredell County.

H. B. 2037, S. B. 1592, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the erection and keeping of magazines or other buildings for the storage of gunpowder, dynamite and other explosives on Eagles Island, in Brunswick and New Hanover Counties.

H. B. 1977, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the obstruction of the streams of Sanderlin's Swamp, in Camden County.

H. B. 2011, S. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled an act to grant the privilege of raising their dam to the South River Milling Company, South River, Rowan County.

H. B. 2012, S. B. 1391, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the provisions of chapter 123, Acts of 1887, providing for the drainage of lowlands, to the county of Rowan.

H. B. 1930, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for better drainage for Brushy Fork Creek, in Davidson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1631, S. B. 365, substitute for S. B. 335, entitled an act to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated paint in North Carolina, with an unfavorable report and a minority report attached.

H. B. 1904, S. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Hoyles Creek, in Lincoln and Gaston Counties, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2003, S. B. 1372, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 358, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 165, Private Laws of 1905, relating to the management of the dispensary at Marshall, and the distribution of the funds therefrom, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1392, S. B. 937, a bill to be entitled an act to promote navigation in Barnett's Creek, in Gates County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2060, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the hiring of convicts to work on the Watauga Railroad from Edgemont to Boone, with the recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 1721, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Ellen F. Wyckoff, administratrix of J. H. Wyckoff, deceased, ex-Sheriff of Iredell County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 197, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the County Commissioners of Dare County to levy special taxes for the support of the poor and infirm, with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 1973, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Laws of 1901, entitled an act relating to the highways, public roads, bridges and fords, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1516, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness in Lake View, in Moore County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1243, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the interests of the special tax public school districts, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Foushee, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1923, S. B. 1406, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to secure compulsory school attendance in Goldsboro Township, in Wayne County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2061, a bill to be entitled an act to locate the public schoolhouse in District No. 3, Township No. 3, Pamlico County, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, but with a favorable report as to the substitute offered by the committee.

By Mr. Harris, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the salaries of the county officers of Wake County and to increase the road fund, with an unfavorable report, and with a minority report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1997, S. B. 1228, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, entitled "Railroads," so as to require one of the incorporators and one of the directors of railroads chartered under the general laws of the State to be citizens and residents of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

H. B. 654, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the safety of the traveling public, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1577, a bill to be entitled an act relating to liability of common carriers to their employees, with a favorable report.

H. B. 193, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a State Board of Examiners of Railroad Telegraph Operators.

H. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit unfair commercial discriminations between different sections, communities or localities, or unfair competition, and providing penalties therefor.

H. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to compel telephone companies to maintain joint receiving and transmitting stations.

H. B. 76, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to passengers delayed by carriers liable for expenses incurred thereby.

H. B. 266, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal, section 2611, to pay passengers for expenses caused by delay of trains, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 988, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the duties and enlarge the powers of the Attorney-General of North Carolina, with a favorable report.
H. B. 1235, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2578 of the Revisal, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2044, S. B. 1554, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of J. W. Burton, former Clerk of the Superior Court of Onslow County, and N. S. Cochran, a notary public of Onslow County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1845, a bill to be entitled an act to correct State Grant No. 298, in Transylvania County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1994, S. B. 987, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the perpetration of fraud by giving worthless checks, drafts and orders.

H. B. 1946, S. B. 1174, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5242, chapter 110, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to sheriffs' settlements.

H. B. 2004, S. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1152 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to annual statements to be made by corporations.

H. B. 2010, S. B. 1371, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Holt-Granite Manufacturing Company, Haw River, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness.

H. B. 1894, S. B. 754, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2828 of the Revisal, to make general election day a legal holiday, with a favorable report.

By Mr. London, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 1969, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to increase the number of commissioners for Sampson County and to appoint the same.

H. B. 1404, a bill to be entitled an act to transfer Topsail Township, in Pender County, to the county of New Hanover, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2090, a bill to be entitled an act to declare the stock law in force in the village of Duke, Harnett County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2061, S. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Tryon.

H. B. 2091, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to enact ordinances relating to the streams therein, and to prevent the pollution and obstruction of the same.

H. B. 2067, S. B. 1145, a bill to be entitled an act providing for primary elections in Columbus County, with a favorable report.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Gallert, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. B. 1272, S. B. 1538, an act to establish and to provide for the
organization of the county of Lee from the territory of Chatham and Moore Counties, provided the said proposition be ratified by the voters of said territory.

H. B. 1553, S. B. 762, an act to protect and promote the commerce of the port of Wilmington and the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 1520, S. B. 1520, an act to authorize the city of Raleigh to refund its indebtedness for necessary current expenses.

H. B. 1687, S. B. 1125, an act to establish graded schools in the town of Wise, Warren County.


H. B. 1274, S. B. 1461, an act to amend chapter 22, section 1283, of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, for the purpose of paying half fees to officers and witnesses in cases where "not a true bill" is found.

H. B. 1705, S. B. 1459, an act to amend section 3472 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1234, S. B. 1471, an act to amend the Private Laws of 1895, relating to the Waynesville dispensary.

H. B. 1783, S. B. 1462, an act for the improvement of the sidewalks of the town of Ashboro.

H. B. 1414, S. B. 1473, an act to prohibit fishing with certain nets in North Creek, Beaufort County.

H. B. 1639, S. B. 1025, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Union County to levy a special tax for bridges.

H. B. 1771, S. B. 1359, an act for the relief of C. L. Cook of the county of Wilkes.

H. B. 1765, S. B. 1225, an act for the working, laying out, repairing, improving and draining of the public roads of Bertie County.

H. B. 1819, S. B. 1561, an act to incorporate the Blue Ridge Association for Christian Conference and Training.

H. B. 376, S. B. 444, an act to better enforce the temperance laws of Stanly County.

H. B. 1263, S. B. 1472, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Alamance and Orange Counties.

H. B. 1749, S. B. 1202, an act to incorporate the town of Hollyville, in Pamlico County.

H. B. 1642, S. B. 1029, an act to re-enact the charter of the town of Germanton, in the county of Stokes.

H. B. 1658, S. B. 1335, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build, macadamize and improve the public roads of said county.

H. B. 1689, S. B. 1138, an act to incorporate the town of Indian Trail, in Union County.

H. B. 1690, S. B. 1126, an act to abolish the Water and Light Commission for the City of New Bern.
H. B. 1350, S. B. 1421, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Beaufort County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of building a new court-house.

H. B. 1905, S. B. 1293, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Duplin County to sell the home for the aged and infirm and locate the same elsewhere.

H. B. 1746, S. B. 1199, an act to amend section 2776 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to fees of the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County for registering short form of lien bonds, etc.

H. B. 1572, S. B. 1565, an act to provide for the repair of Blue’s Bridge on Drowning Creek.

H. B. 1421, S. B. 1420, an act to amend chapter 26, Private Laws of 1905, amending the charter of the town of Franklin, in Macon County.

H. B. 1750, S. B. 1204, an act to protect certain game in Montgomery County.

H. B. 1638, S. B. 1018, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the county of Pitt to issue bonds for certain purposes.

H. B. 1756, S. B. 1214, an act to amend the charter of the Stone Mountain Railway Company.

H. B. 1715, S. B. 1562, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in Lakeview School District No. 1, white race.

H. B. 679, S. B. 790, an act to regulate the primary and other elections in Mitchell County.

H. B. 1748, S. B. 1201, an act to amend chapter 175, Private Laws of 1901, so as to extend the corporate limits of the town of Lawrence, in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 574, S. B. 348, an act to extend the time for obtaining grants for entries of land.

H. B. 1918, S. B. 1380, an act to provide for the adoption of an official map of the town of Kings Mountain.

H. B. 1463, S. B. 1276, an act to amend section 3366, Volume I of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1681, S. B. 1536, an act to incorporate the Wilmington, Pender, Duplin and Sampson Railroad Company.

H. B. 1829, S. B. 1012, an act to incorporate the Deep and Forney’s Creek Railroad Company.

H. B. 2042, S. B. 1516, an act to amend chapter 89, section 4077, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to what shall be taught in the public schools of the State.

H. B. 1598, S. B. 1527, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Wayne County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1612, S. B. 1531, an act to authorize the city of Randleman to issue bonds and levy a special tax for street improvements.

H. B. 1266, S. B. 1566, an act for the relief of Miss Adelaide
Bulgin and Silas J. Dean, public school teachers of District No. 1, Macon County.

H. B. 1636, S. B. 1010, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to levy and collect a special tax for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said county and providing for an election.

H. B. 1240, S. B. 1043, an act to prevent the sale of certain adulterated ciders in Paw Creek Township, in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 2019, S. B. 1413, an act to incorporate the Board of Trustees for the Stanley-McCormick School.

H. B. 1916, S. B. 1370, an act to establish additional civil courts for Pitt County and change one week of Greene court.

H. B. 47, S. B. 1575, an act to amend section 2748, chapter 66, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to and regulating the salary of the State Librarian.

H. B. 1502, S. B. 1419, an act to incorporate the town of Garysburg, in the county of Northampton.

H. B. 1566, S. B. 1428, an act to allow the city of Salisbury to issue bonds.

H. B. 1608, S. B. 1605, an act supplemental to an act to abolish the dispensary in Jackson and to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in the town of Jackson, Northampton County, which act was passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session of 1907, and was ratified February 25, 1907.

H. B. 448, S. B. 405, an act to divide the net proceeds of the Vanceboro dispensary, in Craven County.

H. B. 1767, S. B. 1285, an act to authorize the city of Monroe to issue bonds to fund its current indebtedness incurred for necessary expenses.

H. B. 1371, S. B. 1460, an act to protect fish in Speight's Millpond, in Gates County.

H. B. 1723, S. B. 1481, an act to amend chapter 374, Private Laws of 1905, relating to the Appalachian Electric Power and Transit Company.

H. B. 1476, S. B. 1474, an act to amend chapter 70 of the Laws of 1883, establishing a stock law for Greene County.

H. B. 1763, S. B. 1223, an act to establish and maintain a graded school district including the town of Biscoe, Montgomery County.

H. B. 1454, S. B. 1495, an act to protect game birds in Burke County.

H. B. 1504, S. B. 1519, an act to amend chapter 153 of the Private Laws of 1893, entitled an act to incorporate the city of Fayetteville, and to amend chapter 311 of the Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act to create a Public Works Commission for the City of Fayetteville, and the acts amendatory thereof.

H. B. 1487, S. B. 1449, an act to regulate the compensation of the County Commissioners of Madison County.
H. B. 1532, S. B. 945, an act to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

H. B. 1537, S. B. 828, an act to amend an act entitled an act for the working of the public roads of Gates County, ratified the 12th day of February, 1907.

H. B. 1559, S. B. 1020, an act to provide for the systematic retirement of members of the Board of Education of the Burlington City Graded School and the appointment of successors.

H. B. 1607, S. B. 1463, an act to amend chapter 231 of the Public Laws of 1897, by giving to the board of supervisors power to employ labor, to require working and grading all public roads in Monroe Township, Union County, and to require road supervisors to publish annual statements of money received and expended for working the roads.

H. B. 1432, S. B. 1315, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the statutes that constitute the charter of the city of Charlotte, and to extend the corporate limits of said city.

H. B. 365, S. B. 429, an act to correct State Grant No. 3120, Cherokee County.

H. B. 1950, S. B. 830, an act to pay the registrars and judges of elections in Guilford County.

H. B. 1688, S. B. 1144, an act to submit to the qualified voters of Tryon Township, Polk County, the question of issuing bonds for macadamizing the public roads of said township, and to create a highway commission therein.

H. B. 1752, S. B. 1212, an act to incorporate the town of Speed, in Edgecombe County.


H. B. 1519, S. B. 1465, an act to amend section 1674, chapter 35, of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 891, S. B. 1569, an act for the relief of Will. D. Peterson, a public school teacher of Yancey County.

H. B. 1737, S. B. 1132, an act to extend the limits of the city of Wilmington.

H. B. 1486, S. B. 1427, an act to authorize the county commissioners to levy a tax to build a bridge in Madison County.

H. B. 1521, S. B. 1422, an act to allow the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

H. B. 1606, S. B. 1633, an act to establish a public ferry across the Yadkin River, in Yadkin and Surry Counties.

H. B. 1650, S. B. 1330, an act to establish in the city of Salisbury a special court to be called the Recorder's Court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

H. B. 1551, S. B. 769, an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Hinson Cross Roads Church and Hinson Cross Roads School.
H. B. 1509, S. B. 1404, an act to incorporate the Piedmont and Southern Railway Company.

H. B. 726, S. B. 1537, an act to amend the charter of the town of Clinton, Sampson County.

H. B. 1025, S. B. 1030, an act to create a highway commission in Vance County, and to prescribe its duties.

H. B. 1736, S. B. 744, an act to amend chapter 70, Private Laws of 1903, pertaining to the charter of the town of West Tarboro.

H. B. 1640, S. B. 1027, an act to amend the charter of the city of Monroe.

H. B. 734, S. B. 419, an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1586, S. B. 1524, an act to submit to the qualified voters of Franklin County the question of issuing bonds for improving the public roads of said county, and to create a highway commission therein.

H. B. 1743, S. B. 1196, an act to authorize Brown Marsh Township, in Bladen County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads of the said township.

H. B. 1596, S. B. 1525, an act to authorize the city of Charlotte to issue bonds and to provide for the payment of the same.

H. B. 1745, S. B. 1198, an act amendatory of chapter 28, section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, creating an additional term of the Superior Court for the County of Edgecombe.

H. B. 1457, S. B. 1496, an act to validate certain probates of wills.

H. B. 868, S. B. 129, an act to be entitled a substitute for an act to amend chapter 479, section 6, paragraph 5, Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 1538, S. B. 936, an act to re-incorporate and restore corporate power to the town of Gatesville, in Gates County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

H. B. 2018, S. B. 1409, an act to provide for pure and adequate water supplies for the public and private schools of the State.

H. B. 1522, S. B. 1423, an act to authorize the town of Apex, in the county of Wake, to issue bonds.

H. B. 1534, S. B. 947, an act to allow the town of Lincolnton to issue bonds.

H. B. 1349, S. B. 1330, an act for the improving and macadamizing the public roads in the different townships in Cherokee County.

H. B. 1629, S. B. 982, an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Grifton and to amend the charter of said town.

H. B. 1511, S. B. 1504, an act to amend sections 3001 and 3006 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1637, S. B. 1011, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Iredell County to issue bonds for the purpose of macadamizing the public roads of said county.

H. B. 1685, S. B. 938, an act to incorporate the Greensboro, Seaboard and Great Western Railroad Company.
H. B. 1601, S. B. 1529, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Cumberland County to build steel bridges and to issue bonds and levy a special tax for same.

H. B. 1302, S. B. 1164, an act to repeal chapter 237, Public Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to working public roads in Pamlico County and adopt the provisions of the Revisal of 1905 in lieu thereof.

H. B. 1590, S. B. 1426, an act to provide for working the roads of Rutherford County.

H. B. 1735, S. B. 663, an act to protect ruffled grouse and pheasants in Transylvania County.

H. B. 1510, S. B. 1467, an act to incorporate the Mattamuskeet Railway Company and for other purposes.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 2099, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bowman, H. B. 2100, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in certain territories in Mitchell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gallert, H. B. 2101, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unauthorized wearing or use of the badges, name, titles of officers, insignia, ritual or ceremonies of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Gaston, H. R. 2102, a resolution providing for the payment of actual mileage of clerks and messengers of the General Assembly.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Watts, H. B. 2103, an act to allow the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Taylorsville, in Alexander County, to procure a police outside of said town.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 2110, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act passed by the General Assembly at its present session, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hookerton, in the county of Greene.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 131, H. B. 2104, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to eminent domain.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 1796, H. B. 2105, a bill to be entitled an act to submit the question of stock law to the people in certain portions of Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 838, H. B. 605, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to chapter 448, Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 131, Public Laws of 1885, in relation to railroad subscriptions by certain townships in Stokes County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 1136, H. B. 1999, a bill to be entitled an act to create a special court for the city of Monroe and prescribe its jurisdiction and the proceedings applicable thereto, which is returned on the request of the House.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered, and the bill is amended and, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

S. B. 955, H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 63, Public Laws of 1905, and to amend the charter of the town of Scotland Neck, for concurrence in Senate amendment.

The House concurs in the amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 974, H. B. 2109, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of David S. Baird and William S. Davis, veterans of the 58th Regiment of North Carolina troops in the war between the States.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

S. B. 826, H. B. 2108, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the public schools of Monroe Township, in Guilford County, to use Sanford's Arithmetics in schools of said township.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1710, H. B. 2107, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 703, Public Laws of 1905, relating to Buncombe County and for other purposes relative to said county.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1709, H. B. 2106, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the compensation of the Commissioners of Gaston County.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows.

The amendment offered by the committee is adopted.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill as amended, and, upon a demand for the ayes and noes, the call is sustained.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1832, resolution supplementary to S. R. 354, H. R. 502, ratified January 29, 1907, in respect to the Jamestown Exposition.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1822, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4029, 4087, 4109, 4110, 4115, 4134, 4161, 4162, 4163 and 4177 of chapter 89 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to education.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1621, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 7 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the creation and control of banks by placing trust companies under the same rules governing banks.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1883, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the investments of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

Mr. Neal moves to refer to Committee on Insurance.

The motion prevails, and it is referred with request to report back to-morrow morning.

H. B. 1488, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the water-powers of North Carolina.

A minority report to the bill.

Mr. Manning offers an amendment.

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Mr. Morton offers an amendment.
Mr. Harshaw offers an amendment.
Mr. Doughton offers an amendment.
Mr. Murphy offers an amendment.
The following gentlemen send forward further amendments: Messrs. Galloway of Transylvania, Rose, Gibbs, Harris, Rector, Grant (2), Price of Rockingham, Johnston of Caswell, Cowles, Byrd, Boyd, Stickley and Carter.
On motion of Mr. Kitchin, the bill is laid on the table.
Mr. Harris moves to reconsider the vote, and the motion to reconsider is laid on the table.
On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, the House adjourns until to-morrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.

FORTY-NINTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
March 7, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Riddick.
Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.
Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Edgerton.
On motion of Mr. Galloway of Greene, the courtesies of the floor are extended to Hon. Fred Carr, ex-member from Greene County.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:
By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1959, S. B. 1438, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax, with a favorable report as amended by the Committee.
By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 2104, S. B. 131, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to eminent domain, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Blanchard, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1979, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the live-stock of the State of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.
By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 953, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 2739, 2741 and 2744 of the Revisal, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 1016, S. B. 158, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to install and operate additional passenger trains and also to require them to make certain connections, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1925, a bill to be entitled an act relating to bonds of fiduciaries, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 2079, S. B. 1615, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the public roads of Yadkin County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Dilling, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 1903, S. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caldwell County to issue bonds to macadamize the public roads of said county, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes, H. B. 1902, S. B. 1289, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 2045, S. B. 1557, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the commissions of the Sheriff of Gaston County.

H. B. 1993, S. B. 777, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 345, Public Laws of 1905, regulating the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Sheriff of Dare County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hooker, for the Committee on Justices of the Peace, H. B. 2111, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties and townships in North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Hooker, for the Committee on Justices of the Peace, H. B. 2112, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for justices of the peace for Cabarrus County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 2043, S. B. 1558, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time of holding the courts of Wilson County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gordon, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 2080, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the compensation of stenographers for the Supreme Court, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 1839, a bill to be entitled an act to aid in the support of the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training School, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 1939, S. B. 1430, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 400, Public Laws of 1887, relating to the Croatan Normal School, in
Robeson County, with the recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Education.

It is so ordered.

By Mr. Turlington, for the Committee on Game, H. B. 2095, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Carteret County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Edgerton, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 1474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a sanitarium for the treatment of tuberculosis, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stickley, for the Committee on the Calendar, H. B. 2108, S. B. 826, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the public schools of Monroe Township, in Guilford County, to use Sanford's Arithmetics in schools of said township, with the recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Education.

It is so ordered.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 2125, S. B. 1787, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain school committeemen of Lincoln County, without prejudice.

By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 2101, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unauthorized wearing or use of the badges, name, titles of officers, insignia, ritual or ceremonies of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America.

H. B. 2107, S. B. 1710, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 703 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to Buncombe County and for other purposes relative to said county.

H. B. 2105, S. B. 1796, a bill to be entitled an act to submit the question of stock law to the people in certain portions of Moore County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Dowd, for the Committee on Rules, H. R. 1619, resolution to amend Rules of the House, with a favorable report as amended by the Committee.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1, H. B. 2071, S. B. 1373, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 123 of the Public Laws of 1887.

H. B. 2078, S. B. 1614, a bill to be entitled an act to define the jurisdiction of the Recorder's Court of Rocky Mount, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Kitchin, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1820, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 367 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1891, entitled an act to incorporate the Northampton and Hertford Railroad Company, so as to enable said company to purchase or construct railroads, to unite or merge with other roads, to lease and operate other roads and to lease its road and corporate rights to others, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 1949, S. B. 267, a bill to be entitled an act defining the status of persons soliciting life insurance.

H. B. 1948, S. B. 772, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the form of life insurance contracts, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bickett, for the same committee, H. B. 1983, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the investment of funds of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina, with an unfavorable report, with a minority report.

By Mr. Murphy, for the committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1383, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 441, Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1901, with a favorable report.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 1872, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the Town of Wadesboro to collect certain taxes.

H. B. 1822, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4029, 4087, 4169, 4110, 4115, 4134, 4161, 4162, 4163 and 4177 of chapter 89 of the Revisal, relating to education.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Hooker, H. B. 2111, an act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties and townships in the State of North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 2112, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for justices of the peace for Cabarrus County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Davidson of Cherokee, H. B. 2113, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for building a bridge across Valley River, in Cherokee County.

By unanimous consent the bill passes its several readings and is sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 2114, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line between Melville and Haw River Townships, in Alamance County.

By unanimous consent the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 2115, supplemental to an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord, Cabarrus County, being H. B. 1662, S. B. 1514, passed by this General Assembly.

By unanimous consent passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
By Mr. Blount, H. B. 2116, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the second and third sections of chapter 594, Public Laws of 1905, entitled an act for the relief of the overseers of Scuppernong Township, in Washington County.

By consent the bill is placed on its immediate passage.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Mial, H. B. 2117, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the term of office of the County Board of Education of Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2118, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a stenographer for the office of County Superintendent of Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2119, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve D. I. Massey, public school teacher of Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2120, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a stenographer for the office of County Superintendent of Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2121, joint resolution of the General Assembly relative to the mileage of the messengers of the House and the principal clerks and clerks of the different committees.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Foushee, H. B. 2122, a bill to be entitled an act to protect quail in Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 2123, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Trustees of Charlotte Township to refund certain funds to the Piedmont Realty Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 2126, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 71, chapter 4 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to Burlington Graded School, Alamance County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Preston, H. B. 2127, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to amend, revise and consolidate the statutes that constitute the charter of the city of Charlotte and to extend the corporate limits of said city.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 2128, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent express companies from charging double charges.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 667, H. B. 2124, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section
of the Revisal of 1905, requiring the posting of land in Jackson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1787, H. B. 2125, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain school commiteemen of Lincoln County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Ehringhaus, H. B. 2129, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1636 of the Revisal of 1905, being the committee substitute for H. B. 312.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

S. B. 1357, H. B. 1195, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905.

For concurrence.

S. B. 1358, H. B. 1251, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for the assessment of property and the collection of taxes.

For concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the House non-concurs in both bills and orders a message sent to the Senate asking for a conference committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1835, H. B. 2130, a bill to be entitled an act to pay Donna M. Bledsoe $2,073.47.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 1587, H. B. 2131, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the levying of a special tax for schools in certain territory in Moore County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1586, H. B. 2132, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Union Railroad Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1581, H. B. 2133, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the corporate limits of the city of Fayetteville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1392, H. B. 2134, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the fees of officers serving claim and delivery papers.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 1594, H. B. 2135, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Denton.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1596, H. B. 2136, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for Elizabethtown Township, Bladen County, to vote on bond issue.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 1610, H. B. 2137, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1613, H. B. 2138, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in certain territory in Moore County.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.

S. B. 1617, H. B. 2139, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the townships of Davidson County to levy a special school tax.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1696, H. B. 2140, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 275 of the Laws of 1891, in reference to fishing in Great Swamp, in Wayne County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1637, H. B. 2141, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game birds in Watanga County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.

S. B. 1699, H. B. 2142, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1675 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stock law in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 1700, H. B. 2143, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for an election for a stock law in certain territory in Sampson County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1702, H. B. 2144, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2700 of the Revisal of 1905, this act applies to Lincoln County only.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1708, H. B. 2145, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 246, Laws of 1885, in relation to the stock-law territory in Rocky Point Township, Pender County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1797, H. B. 2146, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent race track gambling in Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1791, H. B. 2147, a bill to be entitled an act to release the Pikeville dispensary from back taxes.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1693, H. B. 2148, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Western Carolina Power and Transportation Company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 1740, H. B. 2149, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1741, H. B. 2150, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game and fish in Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
S. B. 1583, H. B. 2151, a bill to be entitled an act to establish an additional school district in Wake County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
Substitute for H. B. 80 and S. B. 256, H. B. 2152, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the power of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.
Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.
S. B. 745, H. B. 2153, a bill to be entitled an act to establish an additional school district in Wake County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
Substitute for S. B. 2056, H. B. 2152, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the power of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.
Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.
S. B. 1712, H. B. 2154, a bill to be entitled an act to establish an additional school district in Wake County.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 745, H. B. 2153, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the power of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.
Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.
S. B. 1193, H. B. 2155, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the power of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.
Referred to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 353, H. B. 2156, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the power of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.
Referred to the Committee on Corporation Commission.
S. B. 489, H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize deposits standing in the name of a minor in any State savings bank or national bank having a savings department, to be paid directly to such minor.
Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.
S. B. 1000, H. B. 1608, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a, chapter 81, of the Revisal, relative to obstructing streams in Watauga County.
Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

THE CALENDAR.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. R. 1619, resolution to amend the Rules of the House.
The amendment of Mr. Dowd is adopted, and as amended, the resolution is adopted.
H. B. 1929, S. B. 1430, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 400, Public Laws of 1887, relating to Croatan Normal School, in Robeson County.
On motion of Mr. McRae, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Education.
H. B. 2104, S. B. 131, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to eminent domain.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1212, S. B. 654, a bill to be entitled an act to change the rule of evidence in certain cases.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 942, S. B. 1034, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and consolidate the charter of Pine Level.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1895, S. B. 773, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of liquor in Anson County.

The substitute is adopted, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 2105, S. B. 1796, a bill to be entitled an act to submit the question of stock law to the people in certain portions of Moore County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2048, S. B. 385, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Florence P. Tucker.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Mr. Douglass introduces H. B. 2129, substitute for H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1636 of the Revised of 1865, being the committee substitute for H. B. 312, and under a suspension of the Rules, passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 1804, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Currituck County to levy a special tax for the purpose of providing a county home for the poor.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1904, S. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Hoyle's Creek, in Lincoln County and Gaston County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1919, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the M. L. Jones Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1928, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the people to vote on bonds to build the Bladen and Northern Railroad.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1951, S. B. 1441, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Monroe Southern Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2068, S. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Tryon.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Balev, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2070, S. B. 1361, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Hazel Creek Public School District, in Swain County, and to provide for the building and maintenance of the public roads in said district by taxation. 
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2074, S. B. 1550, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Rocky Mount to issue bonds for the promotion of its educa- 
tional interests.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchanan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Gaston, Gibbs, Gilliam, Gordon, Grant,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2075, S. B. 1551, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2077, S. B. 1612, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 616 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to an act to authorize the Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue road bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1718, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Cerro Gordo, Columbus County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1759, S. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads of Duplin County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1890, S. B. 780, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Rocky Mount Road District, in the counties of Nash and Edgecombe, and to provide the means and regulations for working the same.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


H. B. 1913, S. B. 1312, a bill to be entitled an act to revise the charter of the town of Lumberton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1917, S. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line of the Whittier Special School District, in Swain County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1938, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a new court-house in Bakersville, in Mitchell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1940, S. B. 1433, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Broadway, in Moore County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton—60

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1941, S. B. 1434, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Vass, in Moore County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1952, S. B. 1387, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the special tax for the Kings Mountain Graded School, in the town of Kings Mountain.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1953, S. B. 1439, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving the public highways of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1954, S. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Patetown, in Wayne County.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gor-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1955, S. B. 1440, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Kings Mountain, in the counties of Cleveland and Gaston, to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1956, S. B. 1442, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of the county of Buncombe to issue township bonds to build public roads in the different townships in said county, if requested by a majority of the voters therein.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Bryant, Buchan, Burnett, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Dowd, Ehringhaus, Foushee, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gibbs, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Hollowell, Jacobson, John, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1957, S. B. 1388, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Polloksville.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1958, S. B. 1412, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1897, it being an act to incorporate the Mountain Retreat Association.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1960, S. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Tarboro School Board to issue bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1961, S. B. 1284, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to issue bonds for enlarging its sewerage system and for paving the streets of said city.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 1962, S. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified February 28, 1907, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lingfield.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1987, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Old Fort to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1988, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize certain townships in Buncombe and Henderson Counties to subscribe stock to aid in the construction of a competing railroad from Rutherfordton to Asheville.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, the report of the conference committee on H. B. 374, S. B. 620, a bill to be entitled an act to give railroad conductors authority to arrest certain persons, which was made on February 27th to the House, is now adopted, and the bill, with the report, is ordered sent to the Senate for confirmation of said report and for order of enrollment.

H. B. 2049, S. B. 1553, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company.

On motion of Mr. Stickley, the vote by which it passed its second reading is reconsidered and the bill is referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 1823, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage and protect the industry of growing strawberries and perishable fruits, vegetables and truck crops in North Carolina.

The following gentlemen offer amendments: Messrs. Peele, Hollowell, John, Wells.

The amendment of Mr. Wells is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. John is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Hollowell is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Peele is adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Williams is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 2108, S. B. 268, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the public schools of Monroe Township, in Guilford County, to use Sanford's Arithmetic in schools of said township.
On motion of Mr. Blount, is taken from the Calendar and referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1093, S. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to construe certain penal statutes and to declare where the burden of proof is under certain statutes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 2102, resolution for the payment of actual mileage of clerks and messengers of the General Assembly.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1839, a bill to be entitled an act to aid in the support of the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training School.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1383, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 441, Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1901.

Mr. Grant calls for the ayes and noes. Call sustained.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1983, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the investment of funds of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Lockhart, the bill, with pending amendments, is made the special order for 8 o'clock to-night.

H. B. 1527, a bill to be entitled an act to provide means for listing for taxation solvent credits.
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Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Mr. Clifford obtains consent to withdraw H. R. 2157, joint resolution in regard to adjournment of the General Assembly, and is allowed to withdraw the resolution from consideration.

On motion of Mr. Harris, the House takes a recess until this P. M. at 3:30 o'clock.

Afternoon Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, and is called to order with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair.

The House resumes consideration of the bills on the Calendar.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 2034, S. B. 1598, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the ex-sheriff of Gaston County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2039, S. B. 1589, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. M. Davis, Sheriff of Surry County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1563, S. B. 971, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Charlotte Poultry Association, with a favorable report as amended.

By Mr. Morton, for the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, H. B. 1654, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a fire-proof building for the State Library and Hall of Records, office for the Attorney-General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Commissioner of Insurance, Commissioner of Labor and Printing, for the Corporation Commission, for the Department of Agriculture, for the Supreme Court room and Supreme Court Library, for legislative committee rooms and for the State Arsenal, with an unfavorable report.

Message from the Senate.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1151, H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to promote and encourage the immigration of a desirable class of trained, industrious, economical farmers and other laborers to the State of North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

H. B. 2041, S. B. 1396, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a suitable monument to the Confederate soldiers of Granville County.
H. B. 1506, a bill to be entitled an act to place the names of certain ex-Confederate soldiers in Columbus County on the pension roll.

H. B. 2109, S. B. 974, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of David S. Baird and William S. Davis, veterans of the 58th Regiment of North Carolina troops in the war between the States, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Mangum, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 2049, S. B. 1555, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company.

H. B. 2148, S. B. 1693, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Western Carolina Power and Transportation Company.

H. B. 2132, S. B. 1586, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Union Railroad Company, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Whitley, for the Committee on Pensions, H. B. 1490, a bill to be entitled an act to place S. C. Laughter, an aged and decrepit ex-Confederate soldier of Henderson County, on the pension roll.

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 2005, S. B. 1393, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. K. Chambers, Tax Collector of Buncombe County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Crawford, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1338, S. B. 807, a bill to be entitled an act to create the office of Tax Collector for Polk County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 2098, S. B. 1307, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a State Board of Equalization for the assessment of real estate in North Carolina for taxation, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Constitutional Amendments, H. B. 1176, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, relative to homesteads and exemptions, without prejudice.

By Mr. Pugh, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 1575, a bill to be entitled an act to pay M. P. Burris balance due on salary as oyster inspector, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2106, S. B. 1709, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the compensation of the Commissioners of the County of Gaston, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2134, S. B. 1392, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the fees of officers serving claim and delivery papers, with an unfavorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Fonshee, H. B. 2158, a bill to be entitled an act sup-
plemental to an act passed at Session 1907, being an act relating to a road law for the county of Rowan.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Sharp, H. B. 2159, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 183 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1901, entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Leaksville, in the county of Rockingham, and the amendments thereto.

Placed on the Calendar.

Mr. Byrd, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 2016, S. B. 1390, an act to repeal the charter of the town of Essex, Halifax County.

H. B. 1788, S. B. 1647, an act to authorize James C. Toler and others to erect stock gates across a public road in and near Beaufort County.

H. B. 1905, S. B. 1023, an act giving the consent of the State of North Carolina to the acquisition by the United States of land within the State for public purposes.

H. B. 1922, S. B. 1386, an act to authorize Monroe Township, in Union County, to issue bonds for the improvement of the public roads in said township.

H. B. 562, S. B. 1619, an act to protect the farmers of Alexander County from the damaging effects of placing sawdust in streams of Alexander County.

H. B. 1418, S. B. 1622, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within one mile of Gryder's School-house, in Alexander County.

H. B. 1775, S. B. 1645, an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to appoint trustees to take over and loan the Coddle Creek Railroad bond fund in Iredell County until said bonds become due, which was ratified the 13th day of January, 1907.

H. B. 1459, S. B. 1635, an act to incorporate the Laurinburg Cemetery Company.

H. B. 1568, S. B. 1630, an act to elect a tax collector for School District No. 5, Hunting Quarters Township, Carteret County.

H. B. 1464, S. B. 1628, an act to amend chapter 108 of the Public Laws of 1895, relative to the time when the cotton-weigher of Mooresville shall take oath of office.

H. B. 1884, S. B. 1600, an act to divide the profits of the Griffon dispensary.

H. B. 1805, S. B. 1656, an act to amend chapter 375 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the road improvements in Waynesville Township.

H. B. 1786, S. B. 1646, an act to amend the charter of the city of Durham.
H. B. 905, S. B. 1648, an act to regulate bird hunting in Montgomery County.

H. B. 1921, S. B. 1385, an act to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1901, chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1903 and chapter 834 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the application of taxes on the highways within Charlotte Township.

H. B. 1824, S. B. 1655, an act to incorporate the Charitable Brotherhood.

H. B. 1831, S. B. 1062, an act to amend section 4656 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to fish inspectors in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1852, S. B. 1639, an act to amend chapter 207 of the Private Laws of 1891, relative to the powers of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Bryson City.

H. B. 2072, S. B. 1436, an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Robeson County.

H. B. 2013, S. B. 1394, an act to change the dividing line between Ferrells and Drywells Townships, in Nash County.

H. B. 1305, S. B. 1121, an act for the relief of H. C. Kearney, Sheriff of Franklin County.

H. B. 1073, S. B. 1621, an act to regulate the pay of jurors and to fix certain fees and expenses to be incurred in the administration of the law in Burke County.

H. B. 1814, S. B. 1654, an act to amend chapter 324, Public Laws of 1901, relative to School District No. 3, in Chadbourn Township, Columbus County.

H. B. 1912, S. B. 1311, an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads of Marion Township, county of McDowell.

H. B. 1796, S. B. 1651, an act to regulate the taking of fish from the waters of Cecil Township, in Haywood County.

H. B. 1900, S. B. 1286, an act to amend the charter of the town of Matthews.

H. B. 1806, S. B. 1631, an act to fix the compensation of the County Surveyor of Anson County.

H. B. 1907, S. B. 1295, an act to amend the charter of the town of Marion.

H. B. 1838, S. B. 1638, an act to extend the time for hunting deer in Brunswick County.

H. B. 2020, S. B. 1431, an act to consolidate the laws relating to the protection of quail in Iredell County.

H. B. 2017, S. B. 1400, an act to amend the road law of McDowell County.

H. B. 1603, S. B. 1624, an act to re-establish County Line Public School District, in the counties of Iredell and Alexander.

H. B. 2022, S. B. 1444, an act to protect game in Union County.

H. B. 1915, S. B. 1368, an act to amend the charter of the town of Black Mountain.
H. B. 2047, S. B. 1552, an act to change the name of Roanoke Institute to Roanoke Collegiate Institute.

H. B. 819, S. B. 847, an act to amend chapter 28, Public Laws of 1901, relative to the Superior Court of Cherokee County.

H. B. 1797, S. B. 1652, an act to regulate fishing in Cataloochee Township, in Haywood County.

H. B. 1889, S. B. 1659, an act to regulate the salary of jurors and special veniremen in Cumberland County.

H. B. 1604, S. B. 1625, an act to incorporate Liledoun Church and School-house, in Alexander County.

H. B. 1801, S. B. 1653, an act to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to the road law of Haywood County.

H. B. 530, S. B. 955, an act to repeal chapter 63, Public Laws of 1905, and to amend the charter of the town of Scotland Neck.

H. B. 30, S. B. 145, an act to amend chapter 49, sections 2069, 2071 and 2074 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1975, S. B. 1730, an act to prohibit the running at large of hogs on Harker’s Island, in Carteret County.


H. B. 1443, S. B. 1627, an act to prohibit the sale of wine within two miles of Sidney Church, in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1707, S. B. 1726, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Bethel M. E. Church, South, in Union County.

H. B. 2046, S. B. 1553, an act to amend the charter of the city of Winston.

H. B. 1475, S. B. 1678, an act to transfer certain parties from Sandy Ridge School District to Alton School District, in Union County.

H. B. 1876, S. B. 1719, an act to prevent fishing in Black Creek.

H. B. 1980, S. B. 1733, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor within two miles of Antioch Methodist Church, in Alleghany County.

H. B. 1859, S. B. 1764, an act to amend section 3366 of Volume I of the Revisal of 1905, it being to add the county of Pamlico to those counties affected by said section.

H. B. 1970, S. B. 1737, an act to authorize and empower the County Board of Education of Wilkes County to purchase a site and erect a building in conjunction with Pleasant Mount Lodge No. 441, A. F. & A. M.

H. B. 1841, S. B. 1763, an act to amend section 3057 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the water supplies for the city of Fayetteville.

H. B. 1613, S. B. 1564, an act to allow Dr. Dowd to practice medicine without paying tax in Randolph County.

H. B. 1858, S. B. 1724, an act to prescribe the fees in a short form bond in Pamlico County.
H. B. 1976, S. B. 1736, an act to confer police protection upon the residents of the premises of the Loray Mills.

H. B. 1632, S. B. 761, an act for the better working of the public roads of Brunswick County.

H. B. 1708, S. B. 1642, an act to incorporate the Woman's Civic Improvement Association of Fayetteville.

H. B. 1920, S. B. 1584, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Southern Pines to levy a special tax to pay interest on debt.

H. B. 1869, S. B. 1728, an act to amend the charter of the town of South Mills, in Camden County.

H. B. 1694, S. B. 1637, an act to regulate municipal elections in the town of Elizabeth City.

H. B. 1855, S. B. 1641, an act to protect the bridges and public roads in Pender County.

H. B. 1595, S. B. 1623, an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth City Fire Company No. 1.

H. B. 1844, S. B. 1739, an act to prevent the manufacture of or sale of intoxicating liquors within three miles of Bunn High School, in Franklin County.

H. B. 2055, S. B. 1748, an act to allow C. W. Lyon, Sheriff of Bladen County, to refund stock-law tax.

H. B. 1713, S. B. 1632, an act to prohibit non-residents from hunting in Randolph County without first obtaining a license from the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county.


H. B. 1495, S. B. 1451, an act relating to the control and management of automobiles and other vehicles upon public roads and highways in Forsyth County.

H. B. 1733, S. B. 1650, an act to establish a stock-law boundary in Haywood County.

H. B. 2015, S. B. 1398, an act to provide for the better construction and keeping in repair the roads of Wayne County, the same being S. B. 696, H. B. 1096, ratified February 27, 1907.

H. B. 1582, S. B. 1563, an act to prohibit impounding live-stock within the corporate limits of the town of Cronly, in Columbus County.

H. B. 1670, S. B. 1643, an act to amend chapter 403 of the Private Laws of 1905, extending the time for the commencement of work by the Southport, Northern and Western Railroad Company.

H. B. 2009, S. B. 1364, an act to incorporate the Eastatoe Land and Timber Company.

H. B. 1908, S. B. 1296, an act to incorporate the town of New Hill.

H. B. 739, S. B. 74, an act to amend section 2770, chapter 66 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to Supreme Court Marshal.
H. B. 2007, S. B. 1309, an act supplementary to an act to revise and amend the charter of the town of New London, passed by the General Assembly at the Session of 1907, and ratified on the——day of February, 1907.

H. B. 2036, S. B. 1593, an act for the preservation of quail in Lincoln County.

H. B. 2026, S. B. 1546, an act for the relief of Mrs. Harriet Vaughn, a public school teacher of Stokes County.

H. B. 1874, S. B. 1718, an act for the protection of fish in Gates County.

H. B. 1909, S. B. 1300, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Cabarrus County to issue bonds to improve the public roads of said county.

H. B. 1751, S. B. 1205, an act to incorporate the Raleigh and Winston-Salem Railway Company.

H. B. 1701, S. B. 1634, an act for the government of the town of Beaufort, Carteret County.

H. B. 1836, S. B. 1658, an act to submit to the qualified voters of Lake Landing Graded School District, in Hyde County, the question whether or not said school district shall be abolished.

H. B. 1854, S. B. 1640, an act to appoint a finance committee for Pender County.

H. B. 1857, S. B. 1716, an act to prescribe compensation of the County Commissioners of the County of Rutherford.

H. B. 1441, S. B. 1322, an act to allow or authorize the Commissioners of Yadkin and Surry Counties to levy a special tax to construct two bridges across the Yadkin River between said counties.

H. B. 1978, S. B. 1731, an act to amend chapter 206 of the Acts of 1905, relating to sawdust in Hogan's Creek, in New Bethel and Huntsville Townships, Rockingham County.

H. B. 2030, S. B. 1003, an act to amend chapter 7063 of the Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish Ruffin Graded School.

H. B. 1791, S. B. 1649, an act for the relief of Sheriff and Tax Collector for Lincoln County.

H. B. 1472, S. B. 1629, an act to re-establish a free school district in Crooked Creek Township, McDowell County.

H. B. 1901, S. B. 1288, an act to merge and consolidate the Runnymede Hosiery Mills and the Runnymede Land Company, two corporations of the county of Edgecombe, into one corporation.

H. B. 2053, S. B. 1727, an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquors in Scotland County.

H. B. 1855, S. B. 1732, an act to amend chapter 807, Public Laws of 1905, authorizing the Board of Education for Mecklenburg County to contribute to the free public library in the city of Charlotte.

H. B. 1867, S. B. 1725, an act to amend chapter 125 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to sale and shipping into Cumberland County of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors.
H. B. 1585. S. B. 1721, an act to regulate the pay of jurors for Perquimans County.

H. B. 1986. S. B. 1722, an act to provide for the improvement of the public school buildings in Cleveland County.

H. B. 449, S. B. 571, an act for the relief of Thomas S. Wright, ex-Sheriff of Richmond County, on account of taxes erroneously paid to the Treasurer of the State.

H. B. 909, S. B. 395, an act to amend section 3481 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with reference to hunting upon lands of another without written permission.

H. B. 1828, S. B. 1636, an act to amend chapter 138 of the Private Laws of 1903, entitled an act to incorporate the Presbyterian Hospital of Charlotte.

H. R. 1862, S. R. 1577, joint resolution to pay expenses of visiting committee to the State University and the Normal College.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 2980, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the compensation of stenographers for the Supreme Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1773, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3066 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to weight of bushel of corn meal.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, is laid on the table.

H. B. 709, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3066, chapter 77 of the Revisal, making 46 pounds of corn meal a bushel.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, is laid on the table.

H. B. 1959, S. B. 1438, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

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H. B. 1903, S. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caldwell County to issue bonds to macadamize the public roads of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled for ratification:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1902, S. B. 1289, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2129, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1636 of the Revisal of 1905, being the committee substitute for H. B. 312.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2124, S. B. 667, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 3480 of the Revisal of 1905, referring to the posting of land in Jackson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2110, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act passed by the General Assembly at its present session, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hookerton, in the county of Greene.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1008, S. B. 1000, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3382a, chapter 81 of the Revisal, relative to obstructing streams in Watauga County.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1932, a bill to be entitled an act to protect Murfreesboro Township, in Hertford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 290, S. B. 489, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize deposits standing in the name of a minor in any State savings bank or national bank having a savings department to be paid directly to such minor.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1966, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the drainage of a portion of Sandy Run Creek, in Rutherford and Cleveland Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1977, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the obstruction of the stream of Sanderlin’s Swamp, in Camden County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1932, S. B. 679, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Abstract and Title Guarantee Company of Asheville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2090, a bill to be entitled an act to declare the stock law in force in the village of Duke, in Harnett County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2091, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Harnett County to enact ordinances relating to the streams therein and prevent the pollution and obstruction of same.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2103, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Taylorsville, in Alexander County, to procure a police outside of said town.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2100, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in certain territories in Mitchell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2069, S. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Forsyth County and for other purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2073, S. B. 1395, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of a certain physician in Chatham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2001, S. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within certain territory in Surry County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2003, S. B. 1372, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 358, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 165, Private Laws of 1905, relating to management of dispensary at Marshall and distribution of the funds therefrom.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2010, S. B. 1371, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Holt Granite Manufacturing Company, Haw River, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2011, S. B. 1390, a bill to be entitled an act to grant the privilege of raising their dam to the South River Milling Company, at South River, Rowan County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2012, S. B. 1391, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the provisions of chapter 123, Acts of 1887, providing for the drainage of lowlands, to the county of Rowan.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2021, S. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 672, Public Laws of 1903, relating to pasturage in Robeson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2024, S. B. 1544, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Shining Light Association of Kings Mountain.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2027, S. B. 1548, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of W. W. Alderman, late of Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2029, S. B. 1607, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent stock
from running at large in certain territory in Tow River Township, in Mitchell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2040, S. B. 1582, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Cumberland County Genealogical and Historical Society.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2041, S. B. 1579, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Wind Thorpe Church, in Iredell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2044, S. B. 1554, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of J. W. Burton, former Clerk of the Superior Court of Onslow County, and N. S. Cochran, a notary public of Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2032, S. B. 1600, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the American Warehouse Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2033, S. B. 1599, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Spray Water-power and Land Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2037, S. B. 1592, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the erection and keeping of magazines or other buildings for the storage of gunpowder, dynamite or other explosives on Eagle's Island, in Brunswick and New Hanover Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

Substitute for H. B. 2061, a bill to be entitled an act to locate the public school-house in District No. 3, white race, Township No. 3, in Pamlico County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 2067, S. B. 1145, a bill to be entitled an act providing for primary elections in Columbus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2096, a bill to be entitled an act to protect food fish in Carteret County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 605, S. B. 838, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to
chapter 448, Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 131, Public Laws of 1895, in relation to railroad subscriptions by certain townships in Stokes County.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 987, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time of holding Superior Courts in Haywood County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1516, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness in Lakeview School District, Moore County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1840, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the dumping of sawdust into the streams of Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1843, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to barbed-wire fences in Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1851, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Snow Hill, Greene County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1947, S. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2727 of the Revisal of 1905, regulating the running and operation of traction engines and road steamers on the public roads of Iredell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1930, a bill to be entitled an act to provide better drainage for Brushy Fork Creek, in Davidson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1923, S. B. 1406, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to secure compulsory school attendance in Goldsboro Township, in Wayne County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2043, S. B. 1558, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the time of holding the courts of Wilson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2086, S. B. 1287, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Virginia-Carolina Power Company.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.
H. B. 2125, S. B. 1787, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of certain school committeemen of Lincoln County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1910, S. B. 1301, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the felling of trees and obstructing and damming up the streams of Cypress Swamp and Haws Run, in Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1896, S. B. 941, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate the Aberdeen and West End Railroad Company, the Ashboro and Montgomery Railroad Company and the Jackson Springs Railroad Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1897, S. B. 1016, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Aberdeen and Rockfish Railroad Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1518, S. B. 1466, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3367 of the Revisal of 1905.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1721, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Ellen F. Wyckoff, administratrix and widow of J. H. Wyckoff, deceased, ex-Sheriff of Iredell County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1816, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 8, Laws of 1854-'55, changing the line between the county of Harnett and the county of Cumberland, with a minority report.

The amendment of the committee is adopted.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading.

Upon this question Mr. McNeill calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and is ordered on the Calendar, to be taken up at the expiration of the morning hour on to-morrow:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:

Messrs. Bolton, Bowman, Byrd, Candler, Douglass, Galloway of Greene, Gillam, Hampton, Hanes, Jacobson, John, Julian, Kennedy,
Koonce, McNeill, McRacken, McRae, Murphy, Price of Rockingham, Pugh, Sharp, Taylor of Brunswick, Turlington, Watts, Wood—25.

H. B. 2118, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a stenographer for the office of County Superintendent of Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County and to increase the road fund.

Fails to pass its second reading and the bill and substitute, on motion of Mr. Harris, are laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House of Representatives that the Senate has appointed Senators Odell, Ballinger and Burton as a committee of conference on the part of the Senate to consider with a similar committee on the part of the House the matters of difference on H. B. 1257, S. B. 1358, an act to amend an act to provide for the assessment of property and the collection of taxes, and H. B. 1195, S. B. 1357, an act to amend chapter 588, Public Laws of 1905.

On motion of Mr. Peele, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.

EVENING SESSION.

The House meets pursuant to recess, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and resumes consideration of bills on the Calendar, as follows:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 2099, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County.

H. B. 2135, S. B. 1594, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Denton.

H. B. 2149, S. B. 1740, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2153, S. B. 745, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 70 of the Private Laws of 1903, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Edgecombe, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2136, S. B. 1596, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for Elizabethtown Township, Bladen County, to vote on bond issue, with a favorable report.
H. B. 2076, S. B. 1609, a bill to be entitled an act to create the office of Treasurer of Mount Airy Township, Surry County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2137, S. B. 1610, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville, with a favorable report.

H. B. 1552, S. B. 768, a bill to be entitled an act to submit to the qualified voters of Mitchell County the question of the removal of the county court-house from Bakersville to Spruce Pine, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2139, S. B. 1617, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the townships of Davidson County to levy a special tax, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2006, S. B. 1381, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the Board of County Commissioners of Person County from three to five members, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns,

H. B. 2133, S. B. 1581, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the corporate limits of the city of Fayetteville, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Taylor of Vance, for the Committee on Education, H. B. 2108, S. B. 826, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the public schools in Monroe Township, Guilford County, to use Sanford's Arithmetic in the schools of said township, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1930, S. B. 1430, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 400, Public Laws of 1887, relating to Croatan Normal School, in Robeson County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 2117, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the term of office of the County Board of Education of Wake County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 2138, S. B. 1613, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in certain territory in Moore County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

H. B. 1768, S. B. 1392, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 95, Private Laws of 1903, establishing a graded school in the town of Roxboro, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2151, S. B. 1583, a bill to be entitled an act to establish additional school districts in Wake County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 2119, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve D. J. Massey, a public school teacher of Wake County, with a favorable report.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Mull, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills as properly engrossed, and the same are ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 1621, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 7 of the
Revisal of 1905, relative to the creation and control of banks, by placing trust companies under the laws and rules governing banks.

H. B. 1721, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Mrs. Ellen F. Wyckoff, administratrix and widow of John H. Wyckoff, late ex-Sheriff of Iredell County.

H. B. 1823, a bill to be entitled an act to encourage and protect the industry of growing strawberries and other perishable fruits, vegetables and truck crops in North Carolina.

H. B. 1881, a bill to be entitled an act to protect oysters and clams in Carteret County.

H. B. 1974, a bill to be entitled an act to enforce payment of poll tax in Union County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Manning, H. B. 2160, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subdivision 3, section 1318, of the Revisal, as to Durham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 2161, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 360, Private Laws of 1903, being an act to incorporate the Dunn Trolley Company, extending the time for said company to begin business.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 2162, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing and directing the directors of the State's Prison to turn over to the State Treasurer out of its earnings the sum of one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars, to be covered into the general fund in the hands of the State Treasurer.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Williams, H. R. 2164, joint resolution to pay the expense of the committee visiting the Penitentiary and State Farm.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Blount, H. B. 2165, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint members of the county boards of education.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1661, H. B. 1882, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marshall and to declare void and irregular an election held thereunder.
S. B. 1848, H. B. 2163, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in High Point Township, Guilford County.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

S. B. 1555, H. B. 2049, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 365, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

 Those voting in the affirmative are:


 Those voting in the negative are:


H. B. 2132, S. B. 1586, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Union Railroad Company.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

 Those voting in the affirmative are:


 Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2148, S. B. 1693, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Western Carolina Power and Transportation Company.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1983, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the investment of funds of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

The following gentlemen send forward amendments:

Messrs. Morton, Julian, Parsons, Manning, Douglass, Bickett, Royster.

The amendments of Messrs. Julian, Morton and Manning are adopted.

Mr. Harris moves to lay the bill on the table.

Upon this Mr. Lockhart calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The motion to lay on the table is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bruton, Byrd, Cox, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Douglass, Ehringhaus, Galloway of Greene, Gordon, Griffin, Hampton, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, Jones of Pitt, Kitchin, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Lockhart, McDaniel, McNeill, Mangum, Mial, Midyette, Mull,

Mr. Justice makes a motion to reconsider the vote by which the amendment of Mr. Manning was adopted, and upon this question demands the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The motion to reconsider is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


Mr. Harris moves to lay the bill and all amendments on the table. The motion carries, and the bill is tabled.

H. B. 2130, S. B. 1835, a bill to be entitled an act to pay Donna M. Bledsoe two thousand and seventy-three dollars and forty-seven cents.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

The Speaker appoints Messrs. Doughton, Blount and McRae as a conference committee on the part of the House to meet with a similar committee on the part of the Senate to consider the matters of difference on H. B. 1195, S. B. 1357, an act to amend chapter 588, Public Laws of 1905, and H. B. 1251, S. B. 1358, an act to amend an act to provide for the assessment of property and the collection of taxes.

On motion of Mr. Kitchin, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

March 8, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Byrd.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Taylor of Brunswick, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 2056, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified the 23rd day of February, 1907, with an unfavorable report.

Mr. Winborne offers a report for the Committee on Rules, which is adopted.

By Mr. McRae, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 1846, a bill to be entitled an act to aid the farmers of North Carolina in making their crops, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute offered by the committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. McRacken, H. B. 2166, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize J. W. Spaulding, administrator of G. M. Spaulding, deceased, to erect a suitable monument to the grave of G. M. Spaulding.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 2167, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of East Spencer, Rowan County, chapter 74, Private Laws of 1901.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wells, H. B. 2168, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. R. 2169, joint resolution relative to the compensation of H. M. Reece.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Owen, H. B. 2170, a bill to be entitled an act to protect orphan children.
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Bickett, H. B. 2171, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint B. B. Massenburg a justice of the peace in Franklin County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 2172, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 90, section 4366, of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.
Placed on the Calendar.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the people in the matter of insurance.
The bill fails to pass upon its second reading.

H. B. 1948, S. B. 772, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the form of life insurance contracts.
The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1816, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 8, Laws of 1854-'55, changing the line between the county of Harnett and the county of Cumberland.
Fails to pass on its third reading.

H. B. 2165, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint members of the county boards of education.
The following gentlemen offer amendments:
Messrs. Candler, Cowles, Taylor of Brunswick, Kennedy and Rose.
The amendment of Mr. Rose is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Cowles is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Candler is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Kennedy is lost.
The amendment of Mr. Taylor of Brunswick is lost.
Mr. Blount sends up an amendment, referring to Lee County.
Mr. Harshaw calls the ayes and noes.
Not sustained.

As amended, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1152, S. B. 726, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1747 of the Revisal of North Carolina, so as to extend the time for registering grants.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1667, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 87, Revisal of 1905, entitled Department of Agriculture, being a substitute for H. B. 647.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 915, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of electrical power transmission lines.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1376, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to require railroad companies to record deeds and contracts for right-of-way and easements.

Substitute is adopted, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 640, S. B. 25, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the assessment of real estate of railroad companies in the stock-law territory for local benefit.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1760, S. B. 1220, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 247 of the Public Laws of 1899, by adding Wake County to the list of counties having a short form for agricultural liens.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 706, a bill to be entitled an act to restore to the Judges of the Superior Courts their compensation for holding special terms of court, as allowed from 1875 to 1901.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1925, a bill to be entitled an act relating to bonds of fiduciaries.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1898, S. B. 1130, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4271 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to vacancies in the office of Trustees of the University by reason of non-attendance.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1215, S. B. 611, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 3847 and 3849 of the Revisal of 1905, making injury to transmission lines punishable as in case of injury to telephone and telegraph lines.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 641, S. B. 343, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 100, section 4759, of the Revisal of 1905, relative to fire insurance policies and losses thereunder.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1040, S. B. 56, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3135 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time in which a caveat to a will may be filed.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 903, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the fees of Clerks of the Superior Court in pauper appeals.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1990, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the compensation of departmental employees.

Mr. Dowd sends forward an amendment, which he withdraws.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 854, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Oyster Commissioner to borrow $2,000 to pay for a patrol boat.

Substitute is adopted and fails to pass its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Price of Union, H. B. 1542, S. B. 1026, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line of Sandy Ridge School District, in Union County, is referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1833, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1589 of the Revisal, relative to removing the cloud upon the title to property.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1683, S. B. 282, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the poll tax in municipalities in North Carolina.

The following gentlemen send forward amendments:
Messrs. Gordon, Morton, Douglass, Murphy, Kitchin, Mull, Jacobson, Pitt, White, Price of Rockingham and Gibbs.

All amendments are lost.

Mr. Grant calls for the ayes and noes on the passage of the bill on its second reading.

Call sustained.

The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their vote:
Messrs. Avery, Douglass, Harris and Kitchin.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

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Those voting in the negative are:


The bill passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 1792, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the rights of unborn children and innocent purchasers.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1945, S. B. 980, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of keepers of hotels, inns and boarding and lodging houses.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1634, S. B. 822, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the stealing of railroad brasses and other similar materials.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2000, S. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the acts of sheriffs and other officers.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1451, a bill to be entitled an act to allow railroads to construct belt lines in towns of the State.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1239, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2075 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the qualification of dispensary commissioners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a sanitarium for the treatment of tuberculosis.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2008, S. B. 1307, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a State Board of Equalization for the assessment of real estate in North Carolina for taxation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 2092, joint resolution relative to the compensation of pages.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2120, a bill to be entitled an act to make appropriations for State institutions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1381, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sections 4111, 4152 and 4153 of the Revisal of 1905, giving the county boards of education co-ordinate power with the county commissioners in control of county school funds.
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Mr. Stevens offers an amendment.
The following gentlemen offer amendments:
Messrs. Gillam, Pugh, Cowles, Kitchin, Peele, Winborne, Rector, Pickett and Wells.
On motion of Mr. Blount, the bill is withdrawn from further consideration.
On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House takes recess until 4 o'cock P. M.

**Afternoon Session.**

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and resumes consideration of the bills on the Calendar.

**Reports of Committees.**

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:
By Mr. Douglass, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 2089, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize any county, by a majority vote of its citizens, to determine whether total prohibition or the provisions of the Ward and Watts laws shall be in force therein, with an unfavorable report.

**Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.**

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:
By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 2198, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the shell-fish industry in Onslow County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Mial, H. B. 2199, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 205, Public Laws of 1905, relating to cotton-weighers for the city of Raleigh.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Douglass, H. B. 2200, a bill to be entitled an act to permit certain townships in Wake County to sell certain mortgage bonds.
Upon a suspension of the rules, the bill is placed upon its immediate passage, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2001, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the Smoky Mountain Railway Company, extending the time for beginning the construction of the road.
On motion of Mr. Weaver, the rules are suspended and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1860, H. B. 2173, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to prevent fishing in Black Creek, ratified March 7, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

S. B. 1847, H. B. 2174, a bill to be entitled an act to further amend the charter of Cherryville, in Gaston County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1846, H. B. 2175, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to and amendatory of S. B. 469 and H. B. 799, ratified February 20, 1907.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 27.

S. B. 1844, H. B. 2176, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 292, Public Laws of North Carolina, relating to fishing in Dare County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

S. B. 1843, H. B. 2177, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain elections held in Sampson County under the provisions of the Revisal of 1905, applicable to stock law.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 1842, H. B. 2178, a bill to be entitled an act to extend criminal jurisdiction of the Mayor of Elm City, in Wilson County.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1841, H. B. 2179, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Nash and Wilson Counties to employ a court stenographer.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1840, H. B. 2180, a bill to be entitled an act relating to and explanatory of an act to issue bonds to build a new court-house in the county of Robeson.

Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 1839, H. B. 2181, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of the Sanford Graded School District.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1838, H. B. 2182, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the public schools of Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1793, H. B. 2183, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of Education of Wayne County to use the dispensary money from Eureka dispensary to build school-houses and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1792, H. B. 2184, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police
powers on sheriffs, deputy sheriffs and constables at Spray, Rockingham County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 1790, H. B. 2185, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Carteret County.

Referred to the Committee on Game.
S. B. 1789, H. B. 2186, a bill to be entitled an act to protect food fish in Carteret County.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
S. B. 1786, H. B. 2187, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 774, Public Laws of 1905, entitled an act to amend chapter 23 of the Laws of 1879, entitled an act to allow Leaksville Township, in Rockingham County, to subscribe to the capital stock of a railroad.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 1784, H. B. 2188, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the police power of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Statesville.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 1742, H. B. 2189, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the use of fire-arms in Bertie County.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 1713, H. B. 2190, a bill to be entitled an act to give power to the justices of the peace in Alamance County to sentence to work on public roads in lieu of imprisonment in jail.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 1692, H. B. 2191, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a court for the trial of civil causes only in Columbus County.

Referred to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
S. B. 1393, H. B. 2192, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, relating to the oyster interests, and to protect and promote the same.

Referred to the Committee on Oyster Interests.
S. B. 1274, H. B. 2193, a bill to be entitled an act to create a Fish Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
S. B. 925, H. B. 2194, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Spray School of Technology.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.
S. B. 1852, H. B. 2195, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 762, Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish a dispensary for the town of Roxboro.

Referred to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.
S. B. 1703, H. B. 2196, a bill to be entitled an act for the better protection of persons who buy furniture, sewing machines, pianos, organs or other articles of personal property upon conditional sales, contract or lease or other installment.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 542, H. B. 2197, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to the State normal schools for the colored race.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 1559, H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled an act to create a firemen's relief fund, and to increase the efficiency of the fire departments in the several towns and cities of North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

House concurs in the Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1418, H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon the public schools for sixteen weeks in each school year, between the ages of eight and fourteen.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 1570, H. B. 791, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the separate accommodation of white and colored passengers upon street cars and for other purposes.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1762, H. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled an act to protect and prohibit the sale of game during the closed season in Edgecombe and Nash Counties.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House that the Senate fails to concur in the amendment to S. B. 1289, H. B. 1902, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County, and asking for the appointment by the House of a committee of conference to meet with a similar committee on the part of the Senate.

The Speaker appoints Messrs. Avery, Jacobson and Harshaw as the committee on the part of the House.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1814, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to contracts between landlords and tenants.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1769, S. R. 1303, joint resolution of the Senate and House urging the Congress of the United States to take the necessary steps to secure an amendment to the Federal Constitution to prohibit polygamy in the United States.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1672, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize certain marriages.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1738, S. B. 1133, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 423 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to service upon foreign corporations.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1943, S. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the filing of accounts of trustees.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1942, S. B. 1383, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 865 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2031, S. B. 1601, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within two hundred feet of any church in North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2023, S. B. 1542, a bill to be entitled an act to accept for the use of the Agricultural Experiment Station the Adams Fund, arising from an appropriation of the Congress of the United States.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1846, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2060 of the Revisal of 1905, to enable the State to make possession of United States license proof in illegal sale of liquor.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1835, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1005 of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relating to the execution of deeds of corporations.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 874, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Oyster Commissioner to borrow $2,000 for a patrol boat.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the vote by which the bill failed to pass its second reading is reconsidered, and the bill is placed on the Calendar, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 870, S. B. 22, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2750, Volume I, Revisal of 1905, fixing the salary and place of residence of the Adjutant-General.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2158, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act passed at the Session of 1907, being an act relating to a road law for the county of Rowan.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1434, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3365, Revisal 1905, relative to the master and servant law in regard to enticing servants.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1435, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3366 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to master and servant, tenant and cropper.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1820, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 307 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1891, entitled an act to incorporate the Northampton and Hertford Railroad Company, so as to enable said company to purchase or construct railroads, to unite or merge with other roads and to lease its road and corporate rights to others.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2172, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 90, section 4366, of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

Passes its second reading, and on its third reading Mr. Grant calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bowman, Bryant, Burnett, Candler, Cowles, Grant, Hanes, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Kennedy, Kitchin, Morgan, Pickett, Rector, Taylor of Brunswick—16.

H. B. 2111, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties and townships in the State of North Carolina.
Amendments are offered by the following gentlemen:
Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Cowles, Candler, Harris, Gordon, Owen and Grant.

- Amendment of Mr. Baley is lost.
- Amendment of Mr. Pickett is lost.
- Amendment of Mr. Cowles is lost.
- Amendment of Mr. Baley is lost.
- Amendment of Mr. Candler is adopted.
- Amendment of Mr. Harris is lost.
- Amendment of Mr. Gaston is lost.
- Amendment of Mr. Owen is lost.
- Amendment of Mr. Grant is lost.

Upon a reconsideration of the vote by which the amendment of Mr. Douglass was lost, a second vote shows that the amendment was adopted.

The second amendment of Mr. Grant is lost.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading and resumes its place on the Calendar.

Resuming consideration on its passage on its third reading, Mr. Hollowell offers an amendment, which is lost.

The amendment of Mr. Taylor of Brunswick is lost.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1651, joint resolution authorizing the Auditor of the State to issue a pension warrant to W. A. McFarland for the amount advanced to Jesse Beavers, a Confederate veteran, a pensioner on the roll of 1905.

Passes, its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Mr. Galloway of Greene introduces H. B. 2202, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize John P. Exum to collect arrears of taxes on the tax list of the town of Snow Hill, Greene County, for certain years.

Under a suspension of the rules the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Also H. B. 2203, a bill to be entitled an act in regard to numbering the chapter of the laws of 1907, session of the General Assembly.

Placed on the Calendar.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Gallert, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 706, S. B. 1717, an act to create a stock law in a portion of Pamlico County by adding additional territory to the Stonewall Stock-law District, west of the Lupton bridge.
H. B. 1660, S. B. 1401, an act to authorize the Tarboro School Board to issue bonds.
H. B. 290, S. B. 489, an act to authorize deposits standing in the name of a minor in any State or national bank to be paid directly to such minor.
H. B. 1592, S. B. 1681, an act to authorize the town of Rowland to issue bonds.
H. B. 2073, S. B. 1395, an act for the relief of certain physicians in Chatham County.
H. B. 2012, S. B. 1391, an act to extend the provisions of chapter 123, Acts of 1887, providing for the drainage of lowlands, to the county of Rowan.
H. B. 1402, S. B. 1735, an act to amend section 2468 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to fishing in New Hanover County.
H. B. 2044, S. B. 1534, an act to validate certain probates of J. W. Burton, former Clerk of the Superior Court of Onslow County, and of N. S. Cochran, a notary public of Onslow County.
H. B. 1437, S. B. 1759, an act to amend the charter of the city of Greensboro.
H. B. 1934, S. B. 1729, an act to create the office of Tax Collector and to place the Sheriff and Treasurer of Columbus County on a salary.
H. B. 1008, S. B. 1000, an act to amend section 3382a of chapter 81 of the Revisal, relative to obstructing streams in Watauga County.
H. B. 1064, S. B. 1676, an act to incorporate the Castalia Railroad Company.
H. B. 1953, S. B. 1439, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving, etc., the public highways of said county.
H. B. 1000, S. B. 1070, an act for the relief of certain physicians of Cherokee, Clay and Graham Counties.
H. B. 1614, S. B. 1682, an act to construct permanent highways in Randolph County.
H. B. 2021, S. B. 1437, an act to repeal chapter 672 of the Public Laws of 1903 of North Carolina.
H. B. 2032, S. B. 1600, an act to amend the charter of the American Warehouse Company.
H. B. 1221, S. B. 990, an act to amend section 2784 of the Revisal of 1905, increasing the pay of registrars and judges of election to two dollars per day.
H. B. 2067, S. B. 1145, an act to establish a primary election law for Columbus County.
H. B. 1660, S. B. 1690, an act to consolidate two stock-law districts in the upper part of White Oak Township, in Bladen County.
H. B. 1940, S. B. 1433, an act to incorporate the town of Broadway, in Moore County.
H. B. 1656, S. B. 1626, an act to amend section 1884 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to hunting quail in certain counties.
H. B. 2124, S. B. 667, an act to repeal section 3480 of the Revisal of 1905.
H. B. 650, S. B. 1228, an act to regulate the practice of the system, method or science of treating disease known as osteopathy, and creating a board of examination and registration for the regulation of the same, and providing for the violation of this act.
H. B. 1247, S. B. 1668, an act to incorporate the Alleghany and Southeastern Railway Company.
H. B. 1897, S. B. 1016, an act to amend the charter of the Aberdeen and Rockfish Railroad Company.
H. B. 2033, S. B. 1599, an act to amend the charter of Spray Waterpower and Land Company.
H. B. 1659, S. B. 1889, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Randolph County to issue bonds and levy a special tax for the purpose of providing said county with a court-house and a jail suitable to its needs.
H. B. 1962, S. B. 1432, an act supplemental to an act ratified February 28, 1907, being H. B. 1076, S. B. 1080, and entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lingfield.
H. B. 1731, S. B. 1666, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for bridge purposes.
H. B. 2037, S. B. 1592, an act relating to the erecting or keeping of magazines or other buildings for the storage of gunpowder, dynamite or other explosives on Eagles Island, in Brunswick and New Hanover Counties.
H. B. 2048, S. B. 385, an act for the relief of Mrs. Florence P. Tucker.
H. B. 1362, S. B. 1677, an act to establish a graded school district in Lilesville Township, Anson County.
H. B. 1952, S. B. 1387, an act to increase the special tax for the Kings Mountain Graded School, in the town of Kings Mountain.
H. B. 1941, S. B. 1434, an act to incorporate the town of Vass, in Moore County.
H. B. 2043, S. B. 1558, an act to fix the time of holding the courts of Wilson County.
H. B. 1914, S. B. 1314, an act to consolidate, revise and amend the charter of the town of Wilson.
H. B. 1956, S. B. 1442, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue township bonds to build public roads in different townships of said county, if requested by a majority of the voters of said township.
H. B. 1626, S. B. 1687, an act to amend chapter 362, Private Laws of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Coats.
H. B. 1957, S. B. 1388, an act to incorporate the town of Polloksville.

H. B. 1917, S. B. 1375, an act to change the boundary of the Whittier Special School District, in Swain County.

H. B. 1620, S. B. 1685, an act to amend chapter 350, Private Laws of 1899, the charter of the town of Apex.

H. B. 2011, S. B. 1390, an act to grant the privilege of raising their mill-dam to the South River Milling Company, at South River, Rowan County.

H. B. 1902, S. B. 679, an act to incorporate the Abstract and Title Guarantee Company.

H. B. 2010, S. B. 1371, an act to confer police powers on deputy sheriffs and constables at Holt-Granite Manufacturing Company, Haw River, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

H. B. 1910, S. B. 1301, an act to prohibit the felling of trees and obstructing and damming up the streams of Cypress Swamp and Haws Run, in Onslow County.

H. B. 1704, S. B. 1674, an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Alexander County.

H. B. 2063, S. B. 1305, an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Forsyth County, and amending section 2 of chapter 521 of the Public Laws of 1905, and section 1506 of chapter 28 of the Revisal of North Carolina, in relation to the time for holding the Superior Courts in Ashe and Forsyth Counties.

H. B. 1896, S. B. 941, an act to consolidate the Aberdeen and West End Railroad Company, the Ashboro and Montgomery Railroad Company and the Jackson Springs Railroad Company.

H. B. 546, S. B. 1670, an act to amend chapter 96 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the State Historical Commission.

H. B. 1947, S. B. 64, an act to amend section 2727 of the Revisal of 1905, regulating the running and operation of traction engines and road steamers on the public roads of Iredell County.

H. B. 2041, S. B. 1579, an act to incorporate Wind Thorpe Church, in Iredell County.

H. B. 2004, S. B. 1299, an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within certain territory in Surry County.

H. B. 1923, S. B. 1406, an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to secure compulsory school attendance in Goldsboro Township, in Wayne County.

H. B. 1312, S. B. 654, an act to change the rule of evidence in certain cases.

H. B. 1093, S. B. 153, an act to construe certain penal statutes and to declare where the burden of proof is under said statutes.

H. B. 2125, S. B. 1787, an act for the relief of certain school committeemen of Lincoln County.
H. B. 531, S. B. 1572, an act to furnish and maintain a woman's annex to the State Hospital, Raleigh.

H. B. 1933, S. B. 1617, an act to allow the South and Western Railroad Company to purchase the railroads between Marion and Shelby.

H. B. 1955, S. B. 1446, an act to authorize the town of Kings Mountain, in the counties of Cleveland and Gaston, to issue bonds.

H. B. 2924, S. B. 1544, an act to incorporate the Shining Light Association of Kings Mountain.

H. B. 605, S. B. 838, an act supplemental to chapter 448 of the Public Laws of 1893, and chapter 151 of the Public Laws of 1895, in relation to railroad subscriptions by certain townships in Stokes County.

H. B. 1675, S. B. 1673, an act to provide for the improvement of the public roads in Union County, and to authorize a special tax therefor, and to issue bonds for said purpose.

H. B. 2104, S. B. 131, an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of North Carolina, referring to eminent domain.

H. B. 1673, S. B. 1672, an act to authorize the town of Rutherfordton to issue bonds and to levy a special tax.

H. B. 2040, S. B. 1582, an act to incorporate the Cumberland County Genealogical and Historical Society.

H. B. 1479, S. B. 1679, an act to amend chapter 365 of the Private Laws of 1905, relative to the levying of a special school tax in the town of Ahoskie.

H. B. 1733, S. B. 1663, an act to amend the charter of the town of Winterville, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

H. B. 2027, S. B. 1548, an act for the relief of W. W. Alderman,* late Sheriff of Pender County.

H. B. 371, S. B. 60, an act to prohibit public drunkenness in certain counties in North Carolina.

H. B. 1171, S. B. 1429, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Raleigh, in the county of Wake and State of North Carolina.

H. B. 837, S. B. 1109, an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Smithfield.

H. B. 2085, S. B. 1817, an act to amend chapter 458 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1901.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock to-night.

EVENING SESSION.

The House meets pursuant to recess at 8 o'clock P. M., with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair, and resumes consideration of the bills on the Calendar as follows:

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* Alderman's name was likely a typographical error and may not be the correct spelling.
Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Galloway of Greene, H. B. 2202, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize John A. Exum to collect arrears of taxes on the tax list of the town of Snow Hill, Greene County, for certain years. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 2203, resolution in regard to numbering the chapters of the Laws of 1907, Session of the General Assembly. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 2204, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord, being H. B. 662, S. B. 1514, passed by the General Assembly of 1907. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 2205, a bill to be entitled an act to turn fees collected by State officers into the treasury and equalizing salaries. To which amendments are offered and are defeated, and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Washington, H. B. 2209, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 653, Public Laws of 1901, being an act to establish a dispensary in Lucama. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Morton, H. B. 2210, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Sheriffs of New Hanover, Cabarrus and Wake Counties. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McDaniel, H. B. 2211, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Pink Hill. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pickett, H. B. 2212, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 394 of the Public Laws of 1901, authorizing justices of the peace to sentence persons to road in Anson County. Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

H. R. 1883, S. R. 2102, resolution providing for the payment of actual mileage of clerks and messengers of the General Assembly. House concurs in Senate amendment, and the resolution is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 12, H. B. 2207, a bill to be entitled an act to define the rights of passengers upon entering and leaving railroad trains. Referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.
H. B. 1757, S. B. 1523, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction, repair and maintenance of the public roads of Nash County.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

Message from the Senate.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House that the Senate has appointed Senators Lovill, Wood and Dickey as the committee on conference on the part of the Senate on S. B. 1289, H. B. 1902, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County.

Mr. Doughton submits the following report of conference committee on the revenue and machinery bills:

We, the conference committee, appointed by the Senate and the House respectively, to consider the several amendments made by the Senate to the revenue and machinery bills, beg to make the following recommendation:

In Revenue Bill.

1st. It is recommended that the Senate recede from the amendments to section 23.

2d. That the words "or municipality," in line sixteen of section 58, be stricken out and the following proviso added after the word "dealers," in line eighteen: "No city or town shall levy a license or privilege tax exceeding ten dollars, and only when there is located in such city or town an agency, station or warehouse for the distribution and sale of such oils."

3d. That the words "city or town," in line forty-two of section 70, be stricken out, and the following proviso be added after the word "tax," in line 43: "No city or town shall levy a license or privilege tax exceeding ten dollars on any dealer having an office or selling from any receiving point."

4th. That the words "city or town," in line eleven of section 71, be stricken out and the following proviso be added at the end of the section: "No city or town shall levy a license or privilege tax exceeding ten dollars."

5th. It is recommended that the Senate recede from its amendments to sections 79, 80, 81 and 82.

In Machinery Bill.

1st. It is recommended that the House amendment to section 91, in reference to New Hanover and Cabarrus Counties, be stricken out,
and further recommended that the Senate amendment in reference to New Hanover County be adopted.

2d. That the Senate amendments to section 92 be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

W. R. Odell,
J. C. Buxton,
T. T. Ballinger,
R. A. Doughton,
Thos. W. Blount,
E. F. McRae,

| Senate and House Conference Committee on Revenue and Machinery Bills |

Which is adopted and a message is ordered sent to the Senate advising that body of the action of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House that the Senate has adopted the report of the conference committee having under consideration the matters of difference on S. B. 1357, H. B. 1195, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905, and S. B. 1358, H. B. 1251, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for the assessment of property and collection of taxes, and the House having also adopted the report of the joint conference committee, the bills are ordered enrolled for ratification.

Mr. Gallert, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 942, S. B. 1034, an act to amend and consolidate the charter of the town of Pine Level, in Johnston County.

H. B. 1035, S. B. 1757, an act to amend the charter of the town of Salem as contained in chapter 40, Private Laws of 1891.

H. B. 1618, S. B. 1684, an act to amend the charter of the town of Laurinburg.

H. B. 1730, S. B. 1665, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Rutherford County to issue bonds to refund a portion of the bonded debt of said county.

H. B. 906, S. B. 1675, an act to amend the Morganton Graded School laws.

H. B. 1809, S. B. 1754, an act to incorporate East Kings Mountain, in Gaston County.

H. B. 1842, S. B. 1775, an act to incorporate the town of Long View, in Catawba County.

H. B. 1790, S. B. 1745, an act to levy a special tax in Cleveland Township, Johnston County.

H. B. 1871, S. B. 1827, an act authorizing the Commissioners of Randolph County to levy a tax to build a court-house and jail.

H. B. 2022, S. B. 1542, an act to accept for the use of the Agricultural Experiment Station the Adams Fund, arising from an appropriation of the Congress of the United States.

H. B. 2083, S. B. 1815, an act to prohibit hedging and fishing with traps in Bear Creek, in Lenoir County.

H. B. 1623, S. B. 1686, an act to establish Dunn Road District and provide for the working of roads in same.

H. B. 1888, S. B. 1734, an act to establish a dispensary for the township of Black Creek, Wilson County.

H. B. 1958, S. B. 1412, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1897, it being an act to incorporate the Mountain Retreat Association.

H. B. 1945, S. B. 980, an act for the protection of keepers of hotels, inns and boarding and lodging houses.

H. B. 2082, S. B. 1815, an act to amend the Anson County road law.

H. B. 2004, S. B. 1819, an act to repeal chapter 696 of Public Laws of 1905, relating to graded road in Ashe County.

H. B. 2065, S. B. 1813, an act to repeal chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to a special court-house tax for Iredell County.

H. B. 1385, S. B. 1831, an act to amend section 4731 of the Revival of 1905, relating to the investment of capital of insurance companies.

H. B. 1853, S. B. 1778, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Pender County to order an election and to levy a special tax in Special School District No. 1, in Burgaw Township, Pender County, for the purpose of erecting a graded school building in said district.


H. B. 2052, S. B. 1809, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherford College, in Burke County.

H. B. 641, S. B. 343, an act to amend chapter 100, section 4759 of the Revival of 1905, relating to fire insurance policies and losses thereunder.

H. B. 1961, S. B. 1284, an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to issue bonds for enlarging its sewerage system and for paving the streets of said city.

H. B. 1759, S. B. 1219, an act for the better working of the public roads of Duplin County.

H. B. 2031, S. B. 1601, an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within two hundred feet of any church in North Carolina.

H. B. 870, S. B. 22, an act to amend section 2750, Volume I, Revival of 1905.

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H. B. 1943, S. B. 1363, an act to provide for the filing of accounts by trustees.

H. B. 1152, S. B. 726, an act to amend section 1747 of Revisal of 1905, so as to extend the time for registering grants.

H. B. 1738, S. B. 1133, an act to amend section 423 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to service upon foreign corporations.

H. B. 2050, S. B. 1808, an act to amend an act (H. B. 89, S. B. 176), passed at this session of the General Assembly to prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in Burke County and prevent the importation thereof into said county.

H. B. 2000, S. B. 1171, an act to validate the acts of sheriffs and other officers.

H. B. 1968, S. B. 1805, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton, in Rutherford County.

H. B. 1903, S. B. 1290, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Caldwell County to issue bonds to macadamize the public roads of said county.

H. B. 2029, S. B. 1607, an act to prevent stock from running at large in certain territory in Tow River Township, in Mitchell County.

H. B. 1518, S. B. 1466, an act to amend sections 3367 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1401, S. B. 1738, an act to amend section 2470 of the Revisal of 1905.


H. B. 2105, S. B. 1796, an act to submit the question of stock law to the people in certain portions of Moore County.

H. B. 1781, S. B. 1772, an act to incorporate the town of Stovall, in Granville County.

H. B. 551, S. B. 1834, an act for the relief of certain Confederate soldiers, sailors and widows.

H. B. 1890, S. B. 780, an act to establish the Rocky Mount Road District, in the counties of Nash and Edgecombe, and provide the means and regulations for working the same.

H. B. 2088, S. B. 1823, an act in relation to the Confederate monument in Robeson County.

H. B. 2093, S. B. 1820, an act to amend chapter 50 of the Public Laws of 1901, as amended by chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1903, and by chapter 60 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to working public roads of Ashe County.

H. B. 2084, S. B. 1818, an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1974 S. B. 1857, an act to enforce the payment of poll taxes in Union County.
H. B. 1431, S. B. 1691, an act to stimulate high school instruction in the public schools of the State and teacher training.

H. B. 1732, S. B. 1664, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Ayden, in Pitt County, and to extend the corporate limits of said town.

H. B. 2058, S. B. 1810, an act to amend section 3315 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to killing cattle and failing to show hide and ears.

H. B. 441, S. B. 1735, an act to amend section 3334 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to burglary.

H. B. 2066, S. B. 1814, an act to amend chapter 729 of the Public Laws of 1901, relative to the road law of Iredell County and other counties.

H. B. 1300, S. B. 1762, an act to protect and prohibit the sale of game during the closed seasons in Nash and Edgecombe Counties.

H. B. 1778, S. B. 1750, an act to incorporate the Gibsonville Graded School District, enlarge its boundaries and provide for its management.

H. B. 1726, S. B. 1756, an act to incorporate the Southern Baptist Assembly.

H. B. 2064, S. B. 1812, an act for the protection of pheasants in Rutherford County.

H. B. 1780, S. B. 1800, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Bladen County.

H. B. 1215, S. B. 611, an act to amend sections 3847 and 3849 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 640, S. B. 25, an act to provide for the assessment of real estate of railroad companies in the stock-law territory for local benefit.

H. B. 1980, S. B. 1807, an act to sell or lease the Pittsboro Academy.

H. B. 1898, S. B. 1130, an act to amend section 4271 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to vacancies in the office of Trustees of the University by reason of non-attendance.

H. B. 1621, S. B. 1856, an act to amend chapter 7 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the creation and control of banks by placing trust companies under the laws and rules governing banks.

H. B. 1484, S. B. 1242, an act to prescribe hours of service of employees of railroad companies engaged in the operation of trains.

H. B. 1913, S. B. 1312, an act to revise the charter of the town of Lumberton.

H. B. 1662, S. B. 1514, an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord, in the county of Cabarrus.

H. B. 1990, S. B. 1891, an act to regulate the compensation of the departmental employees.

H. B. 1864, S. B. 1746, an act to incorporate the Rockingham and Caswell Railway Company and for other purposes.

H. R. 1769, S. R. 1303, joint resolution of the Senate and House
urging the Congress of the United States to take necessary steps to secure an amendment to the Federal Constitution to prohibit polygamy in the United States.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills and resolutions:

H. B. 2213, S. B. 1543, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

Mr. Manning moves concurrence. Upon this motion, Mr. Winborne calls for the ayes and noes. Call sustained. Upon a call of the roll the bill is non-concurred in.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


Mr. Winborne moves for the appointment of a committee of conference, and on his motion calls for the ayes and noes. Call sustained.

Upon a call of the roll, the motion prevails, and a message is ordered sent to the Senate informing that body of the non-concurrence of the House and asking for the appointment of a conference committee of the Senate to meet with a like committee of the House to the end that the matters of difference may be adjusted.

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Bowman, Bruton, Buchan, Candler, Carter, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Douglass, Eddins, Gallert, Gallow- way of Greene, Gaston, Gillam, Gordon, Grier, Griffin, Hampton,

Those voting in the negative are:


The Calendar.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 2152, S. B. 80 and 256, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to extend and enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

H. B. 1926, S. B. 651, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unfair and unjust discriminations in freight rates and correct abuses in freight charges by railway companies.

On motion of Mr. Justice, the bill passes its second reading and is ordered on the Calendar.

The bill is made a special order for March 9, 1907, at 12:30 P. M.

H. B. 22, S. B. 1151, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to promote and encourage the immigration of a desirable class of trained, industrious and economical farmers and other laborers for the State of North Carolina.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2197, S. B. 542, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to the State normal schools for the colored race.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2194, S. B. 925, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Spray School of Technology.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2131, S. B. 1587, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the levying of a special tax for schools in certain territory in Moore County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Bruton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2133, S. B. 1581, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge incorporate limits of the city of Fayetteville.

As amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2135, S. B. 1594, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Denton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Bruton, Buchan, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hampton, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of John-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2136, S. B. 1596, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for Elizabethtown Township, Bladen County, to vote on bond issue.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2137, S. B. 1610, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Turlington, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Winborne, Wood—92.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2138, S. B. 1613, a bill to be entitled an act to establish graded schools in certain territory in Moore County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2139, S. B. 1617, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the townships of Davidson County to levy a special school tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1804, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of
Commissioners of Currituck County to levy a special tax for providing a county home for the poor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1904, S. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled an act to secure the better drainage of Hoyle's Creek, in Lincoln and Gaston Counties.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1919, S. B. 1382, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the M. L. Jones Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Blount, Boyd, Bruton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1928, a bill to be entitled an act allowing the people to vote on bonds to build the Bladen and Northern Railroad.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1951, S. B. 1441, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Monroe Southern Railroad Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Bruton, Buchan, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Galloway of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hampton, Hanes, Harris, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, Johnston of Caswell, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of John-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1959, S. B. 1428, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2040, S. B. 1555, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 305, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1905, entitled an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Taylor of Brunswick, Tillett, Turlington, Vann, Vestal. Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Winborne, Wood—92.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2061, S. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Tryon.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2070, S. B. 1361, a bill to be entitled an act to establish Hazel Creek Public School District, in Swain County, and to provide for the building and maintenance of the public roads in said district by taxation.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2074, S. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the
city of Rocky Mount to issue bonds for the promotion of its educational interests.

Passes its third reading by the following and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2075, S. B. 1551, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2077, S. B. 1612, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 616 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to an act to authorize the Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue road bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Bruton, Buchan, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Coleman, Cowles, Cox, Crawford,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2132, S. B. 1586, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Union Railroad Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2148, S. B. 1695, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Western Carolina Power and Transportation Company.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Murphy, Neal, Park, Parker, Parsons, Phee, Pickett, Pitt, Price of Rockingham, Price of Union, Pritchard, Pugh, Rector, Rodwell, Royster, Simpson, Stevens, Stickley, Taylor of Vance, Tillett, Turlington, Vann, Vestal, Watts, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Wimbborne, Wood—92.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 1542, S. B. 1026, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line of Sandy Ridge School District, in Union County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1211, S. B. 260, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2235, Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to days of grace and when allowed.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 961, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4498 of the Revisal of 1905, enlarging the powers of the State Medical Board of Examiners to issue license.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2198, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the shell-fish industry in Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2193, S. B. 1274, a bill to be entitled an act to create a fish commission.

Amendments are offered by Messrs. Brinson and Wells.

All the amendments are adopted, and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1891, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Agricultural Board to fix the salary of the Commissioner of Agriculture, which shall be paid out of the fertilizer tax.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 958, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 192, Revisal of 1905, relating to the militia.

Passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 2156, S. B. 353, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3057 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to the State Laboratory of Hygiene.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2054, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the testing of water, gas and electric meters.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2154, S. B. 1712, a bill to be entitled an act to protect fish and game in McDowell County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2141, S. B. 1697, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game birds in Watauga County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House of Representatives that the Senate has named Messrs. McLean, Reid and Long as a committee of conference on the part of the Senate to meet with a like committee of the House to consider and adjust the matters of difference on S. B. 1543, H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce, and the Speaker names Messrs. Winborne, Gilliam and Mangum as the committee on the part of the House and orders that a message be sent to the Senate informing that body of the appointment of the said committee.

On motion of Mr. Turlington, H. B. 2188, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the police powers of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Statesville, is taken from the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2 and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the House adjourns to meet to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

FIFTY-FIRST DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

March 9, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Prayer by Senator Brown of Yadkin County.

Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

By Mr. Park, for the Committee on Finance, H. B. 2147, S. B.
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1701, a bill to be entitled an act to release the Pikeville dispensary from back taxes, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Manning, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 2207, S. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to define the rights of passengers upon entering and leaving trains, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wells, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 2035, S. B. 1595, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Monroe Trust Company, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Mr. Preston, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 1991, S. B. 253, a bill to be entitled an act to amend certain sections of chapter 83 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to building and loan associations, without prejudice.

By Mr. Hankins, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 2174, S. B. 1847, a bill to be entitled an act to further amend the charter of Cherryville, in Gaston County.

H. B. 2178, S. B. 1842, a bill to be entitled an act to extend criminal jurisdiction of the Mayor of Elm City, in Wilson County, with a favorable report.

Mr. Avery, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as properly engrossed, and the same is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

H. B. 1683, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the poll tax in municipalities in North Carolina.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Stickley, H. B. 2214, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve the Commissioners of the City of Concord.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 2215, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to H. B. 1990, entitled an act to regulate the compensation of the State employees.

Placed on the Calendar.

House resolution in regard to character of business to be taken up after Friday, the 8th of March.

Adopted.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 388, S. B. 1418, a bill to be entitled an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each year.

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House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Mr. London introduces a substitute for H. B. 2214, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve the Commissioners of the City of Concord. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 958, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 102, Revisal of 1905, relating to the militia. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 833, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 918 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to investments or deposits of trust funds by the Clerk of the Court. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2150, S. B. 1741, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game and fish in Buncombe County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1158, S. B. 730, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3533 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relating to the seizure of illicit distilleries.

Mr. Cowles offers an amendment which is adopted. On motion of Mr. Murphy, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 783, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 645, Public Laws of 1901, relative to domestic fowls. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1540, S. B. 1140, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Gaston County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2173, S. B. 1860, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to prevent fishing in Black Creek, ratified March 7, 1907. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1395, S. B. 808, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the power of the Railroad Commission. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1146, S. B. 666, a bill to be entitled an act to limit admission of white deaf children to residents of North Carolina. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1060, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the State Board of Health to provide for the preventive treatment of hydrophobia. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1336, S. R. 927, joint resolution in reference to a statue of Governor Z. B. Vance, to be placed in Statuary Hall in Washington City.
Mr. Harshaw offers an amendment.
Lost.
Mr. Whitley offers an amendment.
Lost.
Mr. Peele offers an amendment.
Lost.
Mr. Jones of Johnston offers an amendment.
Lost.

Passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 684, S. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1639 of the Revival of 1905, relating to the time for summoning witnesses to appear before the grand jury.

On motion of Mr. Ehringhaus, the bill is laid on the table.
H. B. 828, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2803 of the Revival of 1905, relating to expert witness allowances.

On motion of Mr. Whitley, the bill is laid on the table.
H. B. 975, S. B. 656, a bill to be entitled to act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, concerning the working of the public roads of the State and to authorize the county commissioners to let the keeping of the roads to contract in sections.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1092, S. B. 355, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2916 of the Revival of 1905.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Mr. Gordon introduces H. B. 2215, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to H. B. 1990, S. B. 1891, entitled an act to regulate the compensation of State employees.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2195, S. B. 1852, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 762, Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish a dispensary for the town of Roxboro.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.
H. B. 1683, S. B. 282, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the poll tax in municipalities in North Carolina.

Several amendments are offered excluding certain counties.
Adopted, and as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed.
H. B. 2185, S. B. 1790, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Carteret County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1997, S. B. 1128, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revival of 1905 of North Carolina, entitled "Railroads," so as to require one of the incorporators and one of the directors of
railroads chartered under the general laws of this State to be citizens and residents of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 720, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to facilitate transfers of real property.

As adopted, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1982, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the writing of prescriptions by physicians.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1176, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, relative to homesteads and exemptions.

On motion of Mr. Johnson of Johnston, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 782, a bill to be entitled an act to make stealing a dog larceny.

Mr. Mangum offers an amendment.

Mr. Midyette offers an amendment.

Mr. Pitt offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Pickett, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1161, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 628, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2788, Revisal of 1905, relating to costs in courts of justices of the peace.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 500, S. B. 86, a bill to be entitled an act to compel water companies to supply good potable drinking water.

As amended by the committee, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1882, S. B. 1601, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marshall and to declare void an irregular election held thereunder.

House fails to concur.

Message ordered sent to the Senate to that effect and asking for the appointment of a committee of conference.

H. B. 764, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1089 of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905 and to extend powers of Corporation Commission to receive reports from telephone companies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 690, S. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section
1448 of the Revisal of 1905, regarding process served on foreign corporations.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 221, S. B. 499, a bill to be entitled an act for the disbarment and suspension of attorneys at law.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2101, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the unauthorized wearing or use of the badges, name, titles of officers, insignia, ritual or ceremonies of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1771, H. B. 1849, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Carthage.

House concurs and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 1942, H. B. 2235, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Trustees of Charlotte Township to refund not exceeding $1,000 to the Piedmont Realty Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 1924, H. B. 2111, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties and townships in the State of North Carolina.

House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1380, H. B. 2236, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3638, Revisal of 1905, fixing the punishment for assaults in certain cases.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 771, H. B. 2237, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the general Insurance Law of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House of Representatives that the Senate has named Senators Bellamy, Stubbs and Carter as a committee of conference on the part of the Senate to meet with a similar committee on the part of the House for the adjustment of matters of difference on H. B. 2193, S. B. 1271, a bill to be entitled an act to create a fish commission.
MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 613, H. B. 2216, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and constables at Ossipee Cotton Mills, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 774, H. B. 2217, a bill to be entitled an act to amend certain sections of the Revisal of 1905, relating to hospitals for the insane.

Referred to the Committee on Institutions for the Insane.

S. B. 1176, H. B. 2218, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2234 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to negotiable instruments.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 456, H. B. 2219, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent drunkenness in Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 694, H. B. 2220, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate $1,000 for the support of the Ethanan Training Institute for homeless children at Marion.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 499, H. B. 2221, a bill to be entitled an act for the disbarment and suspension of attorneys at law.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1360, H. B. 2222, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 391 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, relative to the statute of limitations and magistrates' judgments.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1714, H. B. 2223, a bill to be entitled an act to compel individuals owning telephone and telegraph lines who rent phones or wires to persons generally to be and become subject to supervision of the Corporation Commission and to all pains and penalties provided by law as applicable to corporations operating telephone and telegraph lines.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 821, H. B. 2224, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent stealing of freight in transit.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1177, H. B. 2225, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of George W. Smith of Watauga County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 944, H. B. 2226, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4731 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to investment of the capital of insurance companies.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 973, H. B. 2227, a bill to be entitled an act to allow traveling expenses to the Governor.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.
S. B. 930, H. B. 2228, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3373 of the Revisal of North Carolina, relating to public drunkenness in Warren County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1791, H. B. 2229, a bill to be entitled an act relating to scientific instruction in the public schools.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1794, H. B. 2230, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the punishment of safe crackers and for those possessing safe cracking equipment.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1845, H. B. 2231, a bill to be entitled an act ceding to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over certain lands acquired for public purposes within this State and authorizing the acquisition thereof.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1861, H. B. 2232, a bill to be entitled an act to re-establish the office of Treasurer in Wilkes County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1892, H. B. 2233, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 20, section 1063, and chapter 66, section 2754 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to oath of office of Clerk of the Corporation Commission and extra allowance by the Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 1900, H. B. 2234, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors within two miles of Concord M. E. Church, South, Harmony Grove Church and Lewisville M. E. Church, Forsyth County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1942, H. B. 2235, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Trustees of Charlotte Township to refund not exceeding $1,000 to the Piedmont Realty Company.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1389, H. B. 2236, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3638, Revisal of 1905, fixing punishment for assault in certain cases.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. R. 1944, H. R. 2238, joint resolution of thanks to the Governor, Postmaster Willis G. Briggs, L. T. Yarborough and W. J. Hester, carrier, in reference to the establishment of a sub-station of the Raleigh post-office at the Capitol during the session of the Legislature.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 1100, H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to protect primary
elections and conventions of political parties in this State and to punish frauds committed thereat.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.
House concurs and the bill is enrolled.
S. B. 531. H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in the waters of Pamlico, Tar, Neuse and Cape Fear Rivers and Pamlico Sound and the waters of Carteret County.
Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.
House concurs and the bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 1480, H. B. 1616, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit fishing in Little River, in Wake County, with seine or trap.
Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.
S. B. 1723, H. B. 1668, a bill to be entitled an act to fix salaries for the public officers of Robeson County.
Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.
House concurs and the bill is ordered enrolled.

**SPECIAL ORDER.**

The hour for the special order having arrived, Mr. Speaker Justice lays before the House H. B. 1026, S. B. 651, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unfair and unjust discrimination in freight rates and correct abuses in freight charges by railway companies, being on its third reading.

Upon motion of Mr. Manning, the call for the ayes and noes is ordered.

The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their votes:
Messrs. Mangum, Turlington and Yount.

The bill fails to pass its third reading by the following vote:
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:

On motion of Mr. Weaver, H. B. 2148, S. B. 1633, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Western North Carolina Power and
Transportation Company, is recalled from the enrolling clerk and is placed on the Calendar.

Mr. Manning moves that the House concur in the Senate amendment to H. B. 1528, S. B. 1781, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent unjust discrimination in freight rates and to fix the maximum charges therefor.

Mr. Justice calls the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment by the following vote and the bill is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:

The following message is received from the Senate:

Mr. Speaker: It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives informing that honorable body that the Senate, complying with the request of your honorable body, agrees to a conference on H. B. 1882, S. B. 1661, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Marshall, and to declare void an irregular election held thereunder, and that the Senate has appointed Senators Webb, Lovill and Fleming as the committee on conference on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Jacobson submits the following report of the joint conference committee on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives on S. B. 1274, H. B. 2193, a bill to be entitled an act to create a fish commission:

The conference committee on S. B. 1274, H. B. 2193, has agreed. The House recedes from its claim of refusing to exempt the county of Beaufort from the operations of said act and permits said county to be exempted from the operation of said act.

Geo. H. Bellamy,
H. W. Stubbs,
Guy Carter,
Senate Committee.
C. S. Vann,
J. N. Price,
W. K. Jacobson,
House Committee.
The report of the committee is adopted and a message is ordered sent to the Senate informing that body of the adoption of the report of the Committee by the House.

The following message is received from the Senate:

**Senate Chamber, March 8, 1907.**

Mr. Speaker: It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives informing that honorable body that the Senate has adopted the report of the conference committee on the part of the Senate and of the House of Representatives on S. B. 1274, H. B. 2193, a bill to create a fish commission.

The report having been adopted, the House orders the enrollment of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Douglass, the House takes a recess until 3:30 this P. M.

**Afternoon Session.**

The House meets pursuant to recess, and is called to order with Mr Speaker Justice in the chair.

The House resumes consideration of the bills on the Calendar.

**Reports of Committees.**

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar as follows:

- By Mr. Koonce, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. B. 2233, S. B. 1892, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 20, section 1063, and chapter 66, section 2754 of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to oath of office of Clerk of Corporation Commission and extra allowance by the Commission, with a favorable report.

- By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 2226, S. B. 944, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4731 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the investment of the capital of insurance companies.

- H. B. 2237, S. B. 771, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the general Insurance Laws of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

- By Mr. Yount, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 107, a bill to be entitled an act to create the 17th Judicial District out of the county of New Hanover, with an unfavorable report.

- By Mr. Dowd, for the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, H. B. 1998, S. B. 1129, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale or manufacture of liquor within certain districts of Surry County, with an unfavorable report.

- By Mr. Clifford, for the Committee on Corporations, H. B. 1911, S. B. 1308, a bill to be entitled an act to permit railroad companies
to acquire land for double tracking and other public purposes, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Winborne, for the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 2142, S. B. 1699, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1675 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to stock law in Columbus County, with an unfavorable report.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1954, H. B. 958, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 102, Revisal of 1905, relating to the militia, for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Royster, the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1943, H. B. 2242, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit corporations from preventing public improvements by other corporations by preventing the occupation of land for the purpose of right-of-way.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 1785, H. B. 2241, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt certain students from road and street duty.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.

S. B. 548, H. B. 2240, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness in Cherokee and Yadkin Counties.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.

S. B. 504, H. B. 2239, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 66, section 2785 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the pay of county commissioners.

Referred to the Committee on the Calendar.

H. B. 2204, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord, being H. B. 662, S. B. 1514, passed by the General Assembly of 1907.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1882, S. B. 1661, substitute, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Marshall and to declare void an irregular election held thereunder.
The motion by which the House did not concur is reconsidered, and the House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2148, S. B. 1693, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Western Carolina Power and Transportation Company.

On motion of Mr. Weaver, an amendment is offered, and, as amended, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 927, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the presentation of a silver service to the cruiser North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Koonce, is withdrawn from the unfavorable Calendar and placed on its immediate readings.

Mr. Turlington offers an amendment.

Amendment adopted.

Upon the passage of the bill, Mr. Crawford calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:


The bill, as amended, passes its second reading upon the roll call, and by unanimous consent is placed on its third reading.

Passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2148, S. B. 1693, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Western Carolina Power and Transportation Company.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1563, S. B. 971, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Charlotte Poultry Association.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 2181, S. B. 1839, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of the Sanford School District.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2081, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Old North State Banking and Trust Company at High Point.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2171, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint B. B. Massenburg a justice of the peace in Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2209, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 653, Public Laws of 1901, being an act to establish a dispensary in Lucama.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2127, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act to amend, revise and consolidate the statutes that constitute the charter of the city of Charlotte and to extend the corporate limits of said city.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1935, a bill to be entitled an act in relation to hunting birds in Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1936, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 263, Public Laws of 1903, defining the boundary of a graded school district in Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2034, S. B. 1598, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of ex-Sheriff of Gaston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2045, S. B. 1557, a bill to be entitled an act to limit the commissions of the Sheriff of Gaston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1937, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 263, Public Laws of 1903, defining the boundary of Graded School District No. 1, in Cobbs Township, Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1939, S. B. 1430, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 400, Public Laws of 1887, relating to Croatan Normal School, in Robeson County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1903, S. B. 777, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 345, Public Laws of 1905, regulating the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Sheriff of Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 1645, S. B. 1135, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the compensation of County Commissioners in Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1831, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 723 of the laws published as the Public Laws of 1905, concerning fishing in Tyson Marsh Mill Run, in Greene County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2036, S. B. 1595, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Monroe Trust Company.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2112, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for justices of the peace for Cabarrus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 2119, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve D. J. Massey, a public school teacher of Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2117, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the term of office of the County Board of Education of Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2149, S. B. 1740, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2107, S. B. 1710, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 763 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to Buncombe County and for other purposes relative to said county.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2146, S. B. 1757, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent race-track gambling in Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2039, S. B. 1589, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of J. M. Davis, Sheriff of Surry County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2078, S. B. 1614, a bill to be entitled an act to define the jurisdiction of the Recorder's Court of Rocky Mount.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2099, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2070, S. B. 1615, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the public roads of Gaston County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2106, S. B. 1709, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the compensation of the Commissioners of Gaston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.


Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2143, S. B. 1700, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for an election for a stock law in certain territory in Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2144, S. B. 1702, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2709 of the Revisal of 1905, this act applies to Lincoln County only.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2147, S. B. 1701, a bill to be entitled an act to release the Pikeville dispensary from back taxes.

On motion of Mr. Hollowell, is laid on the table.

H. B. 2122, a bill to be entitled an act to protect quail in Randolph County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2123, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the Board of Trustees of Charlotte Township to refund certain funds to the Piedmont Realty Company.

Withdrawn on motion of Mr. Dowd.

H. B. 2140, S. B. 1606, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 275 of the Laws of 1891, in reference to fishing in Great Swamp, in Wayne County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2159, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 183 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1901, entitled an act to amend and revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Leakesville, in the county of Rockingham, and the amendments thereto.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2160, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subdivision 3, section 1318 of the Revisal, as to Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2161, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 360, Private Laws of 1903, being an act to incorporate the Dunn Trolley Company, extending the time for said company to begin business.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 2163, S. B. 1848, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in High Point Township, Guilford County. Passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 2167, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of East Spencer, Rowan County, chapter 74, Private Laws of 1901. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2168, a bill to be entitled an act to amend charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2177, S. B. 1843, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a certain election held in Sampson County under the provisions of the Revisal of 1905, applicable to stock law. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2228, S. B. 930, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 3373 of the Revisal of North Carolina, relating to public drunkenness in Warren County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2234, S. B. 1900, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors within two miles of Concord M. E. Church, South, Harmony Grove Church and Lewisville M. E. Church, Forsyth County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2216, S. B. 643, a bill to be entitled an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and constables at Ossipec Cotton Mills, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2166, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize J. W. Spaulding, administrator of G. M. Spaulding, deceased, to erect a suitable monument to the grave of G. M. Spaulding. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2191, S. B. 1602, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a court for the trial of civil causes only in Columbus County. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2187, S. B. 1786, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 774, Public Laws of 1905, entitled an act to amend chapter 23 of 1879, entitled an act to allow Leaksville Township, in Rockingham County, to subscribe to the capital stock of a railroad. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2219, S. B. 456, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent drunkenness in Wake County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2174, S. B. 1847, a bill to be entitled an act to further amend the charter of Cherryville, in Gaston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2180, S. B. 1840, a bill to be entitled an act relating to and explanatory of an act to issue bonds to build a new court-house in the county of Robeson.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2178, S. B. 1842, a bill to be entitled an act to extend criminal jurisdiction of the Mayor of Elm City, in Wilson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2188, S. B. 1784, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the police power of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Statesville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2211, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Pink Hill.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2210, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Sheriffs of New Hanover and Cabarrus and Wake Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2183, S. B. 1793, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Board of Education of Wayne County to use the dispensary money from Eureka dispensary to build school-houses and for other purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2190, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 205, Public Laws of 1905, relating to cotton-weighers for the city of Raleigh.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2212, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 394 of the Public Laws of 1901, authorizing justices of the peace to sentence persons to road duty in Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2126, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 71, chapter 4, of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to Burlington Graded School, Alamance County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Albright, Baley, Bickett, Blanchard, Bolton, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bruton, Buchan, Byrd, Candler, Carter, Clifford, Cowles, Cox, Crawford, Davidson of Cherokee, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Hyde, Dilling, Doughton, Douglass, Eddins, Farthing, Gallert, Gallo-
way of Transylvania, Gaston, Gillam, Gordon, Grant, Griffin, Hanes, Harris, Harshaw, Hooker, John, Johnston of Caswell, Jones of John-
ston, Jones of Pitt, Keener, Laughinghouse, London, McDaniel, Mc-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. R. 2169, joint resolution relative to the compensation of H. M. Reece.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2225, S. B. 1177, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of George W. Smith of Watauga County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2095, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Carteret County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Mr. Jacobson, for the joint conference committee on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives, on S. B. 1289, H. B. 1902, a bill to be entitled an act to improve the public roads of Caldwell County, reports that the committee on conference failed to agree.

On motion, the report is accepted and the committee discharged.

H. B. 2131. S. B. 1587, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the levying of a special tax for schools in certain territory in Moore County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:
Messrs. Albright, Avery, Baley, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bryant, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Hollowell, Jacobson, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liverman, Lockhart, London, Mc-
Daniel, McNeill, McRacken, Midyette, Mull, Neal, Park, Parker, Par-
sons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt. Preston, Price of Union, Pugh, Rector,
Rodwell, Rose, Sharp, Stevens, Taylor of Brunswick, Tillett, Vann, Vestal, Washington, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Yount—72.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2133, S. B. 1581, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the corporate limits of the city of Fayetteville.

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2135, S. B. 1594, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Denton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 2136, S. B. 1596, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for Elizabethtown Township, Bladen County, to vote on a bond issue.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Brewer, Brinson, Bryant, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Ehringhaus, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Helse-
beck, Hollowell, Jacobson, John, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of John-
ston, Jones of Pitt, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liveman, Lockhart, 
London, McDaniel, McNeill, McRacken, Midyette, Mull, Neal, Park, 
Parker, Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Preston, Price of Union, Pugh, 
Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Sharp, Stevens, Taylor of Brunswick, Tillet, 
Vann, Vestal, Washington, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Yount—72. 

Those voting in the negative, none. 
H. B. 2137, S. B. 1610, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the 
charter of the city of Asheville. 

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered en-
rolled: 

Those voting in the affirmative are: 

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Brewer, 
Brinson, Bryant, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson 
of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Ehr-
inghaus, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Helsebeck, 
Hollowell, Jacobson, John, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, 
Jones of Pitt, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liveman, Lockhart, Lon-
don, McDaniel, McNeill, McRacken, Midyette, Mull, Neal, Park, 
Parker, Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Preston, Price of Union, Pugh, 
Rector, Rodwell, Rose, Sharp, Stevens, Taylor of Brunswick, Tille-
tett, Vann, Vestal, Washington, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Wil-
liams, Wood, Yount—72. 

Those voting in the negative, none. 
H. B. 2138, S. B. 1613, a bill to be entitled an act to establish 
graded schools in certain territory in Moore County. 

As amended, passes its third reading by the following vote and is 
ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence: 

Those voting in the affirmative are: 

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Brewer, 
Brinson, Bryant, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson 
of Iredell, Davis of Carteret, Dilling, Douglass, Dowd, Eddins, Ehr-
inghaus, Grant, Grier, Griffin, Hankins, Harris, Harshaw, Helsebeck, 
Hollowell, Jacobson, John, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Johnston, 
Jones of Pitt, Koonce, Laughinghouse, Liveman, Lockhart, London, 
McDaniel, McNeill, McRacken, Midyette, Mull, Neal Park, Parker, 
Parsons, Peele, Pickett, Pitt, Preston, Price of Union, Pugh, Rector, 
Rodwell, Rose, Sharp, Stevens, Taylor of Brunswick, Tillet, Vann, 
Vestal, Weaver, Wells, White, Whitley, Williams, Wood, Yount—72. 

Those voting in the negative, none. 
H. B. 2139. S. B. 1617, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the 
townships of Davidson County to levy a special school tax. 

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered en-
rolled: 

Those voting in the affirmative are: 

Messrs. Albright, Avery, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Boyd, Brewer, 
Brinson, Bryant, Byrd, Candler, Clifford, Cowles, Crawford, Davidson

Those voting in the negative, none.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A message is received from his Excellency the Governor, which is read by the Clerk and ordered spread on the Journal of the House.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
RALEIGH, MARCH 9, 1907.

To the Honorable the General Assembly of North Carolina:

GENTLEMEN:—Two suggestions I desire to make to you before you adjourn, leaving it to your wisdom to say whether it is best that they should be embodied into resolutions:

First. The United States Government was very kind in granting to us a branch post-office for the benefit of the members of the General Assembly, and I therefore sincerely desire that you pass a resolution thanking the Postmaster-General for his courtesy in giving us this convenience, and I feel sure that he will appreciate such action on your part.

Second. From time immemorial it has been the custom for the State in whose honor a cruiser or man-of-war is named to present the vessel with a silver service in token of its appreciation of the honor conferred. The armored cruiser North Carolina, the largest now in the service of the United States, was named in honor of our State, and we should take pleasure in presenting it a service worthy of the State. This is customary, and, while some might call it sentiment, it has never been departed from, and I greatly fear would subject our State to severe censure and criticism if it was not done. I therefore respectfully ask you to appropriate a reasonable amount for that purpose out of funds not otherwise needed to meet necessary demands.

As this is my last message to you, I desire to say that, while some things that I suggested have not been acted upon by your honorable body, still I believe that you have done in every instance what you thought was best for the State, and I only hope that when the laws are written and published that they will prove a blessing to the State, and for the upbuilding of every industry within its
borders. I believe that both branches of your honorable body have been actuated by patriotic and high motives, and in spite of differences that have arisen that you have done your duty as you saw it. You therefore deserve the thanks of the State.

Trusting that your stay in Raleigh has been pleasant, and that on your return home you may find those you love in health and happiness, I am, Respectfully yours,

R. B. Glenn,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Park, the House takes a recess until 8:30 o'clock to-night.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, at 8:30 P. M., with Mr. Speaker Justice in the chair.

The House resumes consideration of the Calendar.

Reports of Committees.

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Mr. Royster, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 1573, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subchapter XI, entitled Regulation of Buildings, of chapter 73, entitled Towns, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to fire insurance, with an unfavorable report.

H. R. 304, joint resolution to provide for the investigation and examination of the business and condition of all insurance companies doing business in the State of North Carolina, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same, with an unfavorable report.

Enrolled Bills.

Mr. Gallert, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of Secretary of State:

H. B. 487, S. B. 1559, an act to create a firemen's relief fund, and to increase the efficiency of the fire department in the several towns and cities of North Carolina.

H. B. 1799, S. B. 1755, an act to provide for the cleaning out of the head of Pungo River, and for building a canal to relieve the pressure of water at the head of said river, and for the drainage of the lands around the head of said river and either side of the same.

H. B. 1826, S. B. 1769, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Moore County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving, etc., the public roads of said county.
H. B. 2130, S. B. 1835, an act to pay Donna M. Bledsoe $2,073.47.
H. B. 1716, S. B. 1776, an act to amend the charter of the Randolph and Cumberland Railroad Company.
H. B. 1383, S. B. 1850, an act to amend chapter 441, Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1901.
H. B. 1822, S. B. 1821, an act to amend sections 4029, 4087, 4109, 4110, 4115, 4134, 4161, 4162, 4163 and 4177 of chapter 89 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to education.
H. B. 1856, S. B. 1743, an act to establish a graded school in the town of Rutherfordton.
H. B. 2115, S. B. 1859, an act supplemental to an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord, Cabarrus County, being H. B. 1663, S. B. 1514, passed by this General Assembly.
H. B. 1482, S. B. 1680, an act to provide for the construction and repair of the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy a special tax therefor.
H. B. 1807, S. B. 1768, an act to establish a graded school district in Lilesville Township, Anson County.
H. B. 1850, S. B. 1752, an act to change the boundaries of the town of Jason, in Greene County.
H. B. 1779, S. B. 1773, an act to amend the charter of the town of Castalia, Nash County.
H. B. 1808, S. B. 1801, an act to secure the enforcement of the laws against the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors in Goldsboro township, Wayne County.
H. B. 943, S. B. 1508, an act to promote loyalty and greater respect for the sovereignty of the State.
H. B. 1837, S. B. 1753, an act to amend chapter 729, Public Laws of 1901, providing that upon a petition of a majority of the qualified voters of any township in Randolph County, the commissioners of said County may adopt said road law.
H. B. 1881, S. B. 1853, an act to protect oysters and clams in Carteret County.
H. B. 1615, S. B. 1683, an act to authorize and empower the Board of Graded School Trustees of Ashboro to issue bonds and to provide for the payment of the bonds issued under chapter 413, Private Laws of 1905.
H. B. 2080, S. B. 1858, an act to increase the compensation of stenographers for the Supreme Court.
H. B. 2028, S. B. 1608, an act to regulate hunting and for the better protection of game in Transylvania County.
H. B. 1971, S. B. 1806, an act for the relief of J. L. Glass, a public
school teacher in District No. 3, Wilkesboro Township, Wilkes County.

H. B. 1760, S. B. 1220, an act to amend chapter 247 of the Public Laws of 1809 by adding Wake County to the list of counties having a short form for agricultural liens.

H. B. 1964, S. B. 1863, an act to authorize and direct the Governor to appoint a Board of Audit and a Treasurer of the Colored Orphan Asylum.

H. B. 1865, S. B. 1774, an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

H. B. 2059, S. B. 1811, an act to pay jurors in Caldwell County.

H. B. 1808, S. B. 1767, an act to establish a public school district in Gaston County and to provide for an election upon the question of levying a special tax therein.

H. B. 1725, S. B. 1667, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Davidson County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of making and improving the public roads of said county.

H. R. 2164, S. R. 1881, joint resolution to pay the expenses of the committee appointed to visit and inspect the State farms and penitentiary.

H. R. 2102, S. R. 1883, joint resolution of the General Assembly relative to the mileage of the messengers of the House and the Principal Clerk.

H. B. 1904, S. B. 1291, an act to secure the better drainage of Hoyle's Creek, in Lincoln and Gaston Counties.

H. B. 2070, S. B. 1361, an act to establish Hazel Creek Public Road District in Swain County, and to provide for the building and maintaining of the public roads in said district by taxation.

H. B. 2114, S. B. 1874, an act to change the boundary line between Melville and Haw River Townships, in Alamance County.

H. B. 2086, S. B. 1287, an act to incorporate the Virginia-Carolina Power Company.

H. B. 791, S. B. 1570, an act to provide for the separate accommodation of white and colored passengers upon street cars and for other purposes.

H. B. 2141, S. B. 1697, an act to protect game birds in Watauga County.

H. B. 937, S. B. 1875, an act to change the time of holding the Superior Court in the county of Haywood.

H. B. 597, S. B. 1573, an act requiring railway police to give bond.

H. B. 1800, S. B. 1765, an act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy a tax for better educational facilities.

H. B. 1789, S. B. 1740, an act to provide a system for the keeping up, building and repairing of the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.
H. B. 2113, S. B. 1862, an act to provide for the building of a bridge across Valley River at or near the present ford at Hayes' Mill, in Cherokee County.

H. B. 1930, S. B. 1867, an act for the better drainage of Brushy Fork Creek and its tributaries, commencing at the Spurgeon and Lindsay Old Mill place and running back to the source of said creek and tributaries.

H. B. 2197, S. B. 542, an act in relation to the State normal schools for the colored race.

H. B. 2096, S. B. 1863, an act to protect food fish in Carteret County.

H. B. 993, S. B. 1671, an act to regulate and restrict child labor in manufacturing establishments and to regulate the hours of labor.

H. B. 1967, S. B. 1904, an act to amend chapter 55 of the Private Laws of 1893, relating to the charter of the town of Hampton, in Rutherford County.

H. B. 2094, S. B. 925, an act to establish a School of Technology at Spray and to provide for its maintenance.

H. B. 1895, S. B. 773, an act to prevent the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and intoxicating bitters within the county of Anson.

H. B. 1999, S. B. 1136, an act to create a special court for the city of Monroe, to prescribe its jurisdiction and the proceedings applicable thereto.

H. B. 1461, S. B. 1760, an act to establish the Zebulon Graded School District, in Wake County.

H. B. 1211, S. B. 260, an act relating to days of grace, when allowed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 974, H. B. 2243, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of David F. Baird and William S. Davis.

Placed on the Calendar, and passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2239, S. B. 504, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 66, section 2785, of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the pay of county commissioners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2241, S. B. 1785, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt certain students from road and street duty.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
The bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 2240, S. B. 548, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness in Cherokee and Yadkin Counties.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2004, S. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1552 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to annual statement to be made by corporations.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2243, S. B. 1943, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit corporations from preventing public improvements by other corporations by preventing the occupation of land for the purposes of right-of-way.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1994, S. B. 987, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the perpetration of fraud by giving worthless checks, drafts and orders.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2192, S. B. 1393, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, relating to the oyster industry and to protect and to promote the same.

The amendments of Messrs. Wells and Ehringhaus are adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Koonce is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment, for concurrence in the House amendment.

H. B. 1846, a bill to be entitled an act to aid the farmers of North Carolina in marketing their crops.

On motion of Mr. Laughinghouse, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1949, S. B. 267, a bill to be entitled an act to define the status of persons soliciting fire insurance.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1991, S. B. 253, a bill to be entitled an act to amend certain sections of chapter 83 of Revisal of 1905, relating to building and loan associations.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Mr. Turlington moves to reconsider the vote by which H. B. 2229, S. B. 1791, a bill to be entitled an act relating to scientific temperance instruction in the public schools, failed to pass its second reading.

Mr. Koonce moves to table the vote to reconsider, and on this motion Mr. Turlington calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.
The motion to table the motion to reconsider is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:

Mr. Turlington's motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill failed to pass its second reading prevails, and the vote is reconsidered and the bill is placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Peele, the vote by which S. B. 57, H. B. 684, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1639 of the Revival of 1905, relating to the time for summoning witnesses to appear before the grand jury, passed its second reading is reconsidered, and the bill takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 2229, S. B. 1791, a bill to be entitled an act relating to scientific temperance instruction in the public schools.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2224, S. B. 821, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent stealing of freight in transit.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 1978, H. B. 1474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a sanitarium for the treatment of tuberculosis.
House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1944, S. B. 978, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the sale of contingent remainders.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2223, S. B. 1714, a bill to be entitled an act to compel individuals owning telephone and telegraph lines who rent phones or wires to persons generally to be and become subject to the supervision of the Corporation Commission and to all the pains and penalties
provided by law as applicable to corporations operating telephone and telegraph lines.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 687, S. B. 281, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2903 of the Revisal of 1905, as to publication of notice in sale of real estate for taxes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.**

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1977, H. B. 927, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the presentation of a silver service to the cruiser North Carolina.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 1917, H. R. 2092, joint resolution relative to the compensation of pages.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 1950, H. R. 2244, resolution to pay S. V. Goodson for services.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1585, H. B. 2245, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 758 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to drainage of certain swamp lands.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 1611, H. B. 2246, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of P. G. White of Buncombe County.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 1377, H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the crime of vagrancy and to provide for the enforcement thereof.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

Mr. Winborne, for the committee of conference on the part of the House on S. B. 1543, H. B. 2213, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce, submits the following report on the part of the conference committee, which is adopted:

To the House of Representatives:

Your committee on conference on Senate Bill No. 1543 met in conference the members of said committee on the part of the Senate, and after careful deliberation the joint conference committee on said bill were unable to agree, and your committee respectfully requests that it be discharged from any further consideration of said bill in conference.

This March 9, 1907.

B. B. Winborne,
A. G. Mangum,
T. Gillam,

Committee on the part of the House.
Mr. Parsons moves to reconsider the vote by which the House on yesterday refused to concur in H. B. 2213, S. B. 1543, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina, which interferes with trade and commerce.

On the motion Mr. Koonce calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their votes:


The motion to reconsider prevails by the following vote, and the bill is placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

Those voting in the affirmative are:


Those voting in the negative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Avery, Blanchard, Blount, Bolton, Buchan, Davis of Carteret, Eddins, Galloway of Greene, Gillam, Hampton, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Jones of Pitt, Koonce, McNeill, Mangum, Parker, Preston, Price of Union, Rodwell, Sharp, Simpson, Stevens, Vestal, Weaver, Wells, Whitley—30.

S. B. 1543, H. B. 2213, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce is placed on the Calendar.

Mr. Winborne offers two amendments.

Mr. Justice offers an amendment, on which he calls for the ayes and noes.

Mr. Parsons offers an amendment, on which he calls for the ayes and noes.

The amendment of Mr. Winborne is adopted.

The question recurs upon the amendment of Mr. Justice, upon which he calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained.

The amendment is adopted by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Blount, Bolton, Buchan, Clifford, Cox, Davis of Carteret, Doughton, Dowd, Ehriinghaus, Gallert, Galloway of Greene, Gillam, Hampton, Hankins, Harris, Hollowell, Hooker, Jacobson, John, Johnson of Johnston, Jones of Pitt, Julian, Koonce, Laughinghouse, London, McLean, McNeill, McRacken, Mangum, Manning, Murphy, Neal, Owen, Park, Parker, Parsons, Peele, Pitt, Preston, Price of Union, Royster, Sharp, Simpson, Stevens, Stickley, Tay-

Those voting in the negative are:
Messrs. Albright, Boyd, Brinson, Bryant, Burnett, Cowles, Dilling, Grant, Hanes, Harshaw, Helsebeck, Morton, Pickett, Pugh, Rector, Rose, White—17.

The question recurs upon the amendment of Mr. Parsons, upon which he calls for the ayes and noes.
Call not sustained.
The second amendment offered by Mr. Parsons is lost.
The question recurs upon the passage of the bill as amended.
The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate announcing the appointment by that body of Senators McLaughlin, Buxton and Daniels as a committee of conference on the part of the Senate on H. B. 2205, S. B. 1923, a bill to turn the fees collected by State officers into the Treasury and to equalize salaries, to act with the conference committee of the House in adjusting the matters of difference between the two bodies.

S. B. 1923, H. B. 2205, a bill to be entitled an act to turn fees collected by State officers into the Treasury and equalize salaries.
Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Gordon, the House non-concurs in the Senate amendments, and a message is ordered sent to the Senate asking for the appointment of a committee of conference to meet with a similar committee on the part of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House that the Senate declines to concur in the House amendment to S. B. 383, H. B. 690, a bill to repeal section 1448 of the Revisal, regarding process served on foreign corporations, and asking for a committee of conference on the part of the House to meet with a similar committee on the part of the Senate to the end that matters of difference may be adjusted.

The Speaker names Messrs. Park, Preston and Taylor of Vance as the House conferees, and a message is sent to the Senate informing that honorable body of such appointment.

The Speaker announces the appointment of Messrs. Blount, Stickley and Owen as the members of the joint legislative committee to examine the books of the Treasurer, Auditor and Insurance Commissioner, as required under section 2740 of the Revisal of 1905.
MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives on H. B. 2205, S. B. 1923, a bill to be entitled an act to turn fees collected by State officers into the Treasury and equalize salaries.

On motion of Mr. Gordon, the report of the committee is adopted, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Neal, the House adjourns to meet Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

March 11, 1907.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Justice.

Mr. Galloway of Transylvania, for the Journal Committee, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined and found correct, and the same stands approved.

Mr. Davis of Carteret, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bill as properly engrossed, and the same is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:

Substitute for H. B. 280 and S. B. 1543, H. B. 2213, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Harris, H. R. 2247, resolution supplementary to a resolution passed by the present General Assembly in regard to employees of the House and Senate.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2248, a bill to be entitled an act to place the Judges of the State on an equality, as to salaries, with other State officers.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Parsons, H. B. 2253, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2617 of the Revisal, relating to seizure of coal by railroads.
Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Koonce, H. R. 2255, resolution to pay the janitor of the Auditor's office $25 for extra work during the session of the Legislature.

Laid on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Justice introduces H. B. 2256, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified March 11, 1907, an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce.

Placed on the Calendar, and, by unanimous consent, is placed on its second reading, on which reading Mr. Douglass calls for the ayes and noes.

The following gentlemen are permitted to explain their vote:
Messrs. Julian and Peele.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote:
Those voting in the affirmative are:

Those voting in the negative are:
Messrs. Albright, Morton, Pugh, Rector—4.

The bill is then, by unanimous consent, placed upon its third reading, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Winborne introduces H. R. 2257, resolution regulating the engrossing department of the House of Representatives.

Placed on the Calendar, and, upon suspension of the rules, the resolution passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
Substitute for H. B. 2213, S. B. 1543, H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina which
interferes with trade and commerce, for concurrence in Senate amend-
ment.

Placed on the Calendar. The House concurs in the Senate amend-
ments and the bill is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 1987, H. B. 2251, a bill to be entitled an act to receive moneys
appropriated by the Congress of the United States for agricultural
education.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and
is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 1980, H. B. 2252, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the
illegal sale of liquor in Mecklenburg County.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and
is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 1988, H. B. 2249, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to
an act ratified March 8, 1907, it being an act to prohibit the sale of
liquor within 200 feet of any church in North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and
ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amend-
ments.

S. B. 1995, H. B. 912, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain
probates of deeds.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence. The House concurs in
Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

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H. B. 1772, a bill to be entitled an act to require railroad companies
to keep their passenger cars and toilet rooms clean and decent.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the
Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 2227, S. B. 973, a bill to be entitled an act to allow traveling
expenses to the Governor.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2179, S. B. 1841, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the
County Commissioners of Nash and Wilson Counties to employ a
court stenographer.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2233, S. B. 1892, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
20, section 1063, and chapter 66, section 2754, of the Revisal of 1905,
in reference to oath of office of Clerk of Corporation Commission and
extra allowance by Commission.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2220, S. B. 694, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate
$1,000 for the support of the Elhanan Training Institute for Homeless
Children at Marion.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for
ratification.

House—66
H. B. 912, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of deeds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1505, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the sale of food and drinks.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1893, S. B. 620, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Sheriff of Nash County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 2145, S. B. 1708, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 246 of Laws of 1885, in relation to the stock-law territory, Rocky Mount Township, Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 621, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1506 of the Revisal of 1905, transferring Yadkin County to the Thirteenth Judicial District and changing time for holding courts of Rowan and Davidson Counties.

On motion of Mr. Yount, the bill is laid on the table.

Substitute for H. B. 678, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent public drunkenness and profanity on the public highways and lands of another in certain counties.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 684, S. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1639 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the time for summoning witnesses to appear before the grand jury.

The bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1322, S. B. 668, a bill to be entitled an act to compel deaf children to attend school.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Substitute for H. B. 874, S. B. 601, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of deeds.

Substitute adopted, and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 1631, S. B. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated paint in North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Peele, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 988, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the duties and enlarge the powers of the Attorney-General of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Manning, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1946, S. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section
5242, chapter 110, of the Revisal of 1905, relating to sheriffs' settlements.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2337, S. B. 771, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the general Insurance Law of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2226, S. B. 944, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4731 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to investment of the capital of insurance companies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1894, S. B. 754, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2838 of the Revisal, to make general election day a legal holiday.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

H. B. 1822, S. B. 132, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the punishment of youthful offenders.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2245, S. B. 1585, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 758 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to drainage of certain swamp lands.

On motion, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 2163, S. B. 1848, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in High Point Township, Guilford County.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment for concurrence.

H. B. 2126, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 71, chapter 4, of the Public Laws of 1901, relating to Burlington Graded School, Alamance County.

On motion of Mr. Stickley, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 795, S. B. 598, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 975 of the Revisal of 1905, to provide for the increase of power of Cherokee Indians and others to trade, contract or barter.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1295, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt ministers of the gospel from the duty of working on the public roads.

As amended, on motion of Mr. Boyd, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 872, S. B. 1466, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1563, Revisal of 1905, relating to the filing by the wife of petition bringing an action for divorce.

As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 260, S. B. 137, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the crime of vagrancy and to provide for the enforcement thereof.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 912, S. B. 1995, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates of deeds.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 2246, S. B. 1611, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of P. G. White, formerly of Buncombe County.

The bill fails to pass its second reading.

H. B. 2207, S. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to define the rights of passengers upon entering and leaving railroad trains.

On motion of Mr. Pugh, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 1345, S. B. 471, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the Governor to employ counsel to appear before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

On motion of Mr. Turlington, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 2147, S. B. 1701, a bill to be entitled an act to release the Pikeville dispensary from back taxes.

On motion of Mr. Harris, the bill is laid on the table.

The following gentlemen announce that they have been present Saturday night when the vote was taken on substitute for H. B. 280, S. B. 1543, bill prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina which interferes with trade and commerce, they would have voted "Aye" on the amendments offered by Mr. Winborne and Mr. Justice, to-wit: Messrs. Winborne, Carter, Douglass, Gordon, Bickett, Lockhart, Jones of Johnston, Davis of Hyde, Gaston, Mial, Williams, Midgette, Foushee and Avery.

The following gentlemen rise to a question of personal privilege in regard to articles appearing in The News and Observer; Mr. Doughton and Mr. Taylor of Brunswick. Mr. Mangum, also, in regard to an article in The Charlotte Observer.

Mr. Park, for the conference committee on the part of the House of Representatives, submits the following report for the conference committee on S. B. 383, H. B. 690, a bill to repeal section 1448 of the Revisal of 1905, regarding process served on foreign corporations:

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. President and Mr. Speaker:—Your committee of conference on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives to consider S. B. 383, H. B. 690, amending section 1448 of the Revisal of 1905, beg to report that we agree and recommend that the amendment by the House Judiciary Committee be withdrawn and the House recede from said amendment, and that the bill pass the House without said amendment.

W. E. Breese, Jr.,
Guy Carter,
H. N. Pharr,
Senate Committee.

G. L. Park,
E. R. Preston,
C. Ed. Taylor,
House Committee.
The report is adopted and a message is ordered sent to the Senate informing it of the adoption of the report by the House of Representatives.

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.**

A message is received from the Senate informing the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives on S. B. 383, H. B. 690, a bill to repeal section 1448 of the Revisal, regarding process served on foreign corporations, and that, if advised of the adoption of the report by the House of Representatives, the bill will be ordered enrolled.

Mr. Williams, for the committee appointed under a resolution of the House of Representatives to investigate certain charges made in *The Raleigh Evening Times*, submits the committee's report, which, on motion, is adopted and ordered incorporated in the Journal, with the evidence accompanying, and the committee is discharged.

Mr. Owen, on behalf of himself and other members of the minority, files a protest against the passage of S. B. 750, H. B. 1209, a bill appointing four additional commissioners for Sampson County, which, on motion of Mr. Morton, is referred to Messrs. Doughton, Morton and Owen to examine, and who, through Mr. Doughton, report that it be allowed to go in the Journal, which is so ordered.

*To the Honorable Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Representatives:*

We, the undersigned members, desire to enter this, our dissent and protest to the passage of Senate bill No. 750, House bill No. 1209, appointing four additional commissioners for Sampson County.

1. That the effect of this act brands three good and lawful men of Sampson as criminals before they have had an opportunity to be heard before the courts.

2. That we are informed and believe that certain statements made behind closed doors in Democratic caucus by men who are not members of this House were untrue and slandered good and honorable citizens of Sampson County.

3. That the Democratic caucus, after hearing only one side of this matter, there and then decided to pass the bill, notwithstanding the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which this bill was referred, reported the bill unfavorably, 12 to 3.

4. That after new evidence had been brought out in Democratic caucus, that the Representatives from Sampson were denied and refused the right to be heard before the committee, and that there was only one hour allowed to hear so important a matter in the House, and that, after reading of affidavits and the time consumed by one mem-
ber in support of the bill, there was left only fifteen minutes to the Representatives from Sampson to discuss this bill.

5. That, for the reasons set forth above, we deliberately and solemnly, yet respectfully, protest against the passage of this bill.

Respectfully,


MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate informing the House that the Senate refuses to concur in an amendment of the House of Representatives to S. R. 1939, H. R. 2250, resolution relating to adjournment, and asking the appointment of a conference committee on the part of the House to meet with Senators Hicks, Howard, and Carter, the committee on the part of the Senate, to confer with a similar committee on the part of the House for the adjustment of matters in difference.

The Speaker appoints Messrs. Winborne, Laughinghouse and Grant as the House committee.

Mr. Jones of Johnston rises to a question of personal privilege in regard to some newspaper comment on a certain bill in regard to Johnston County, and disclaims any knowledge of the purport of the bill or of its contents.

Mr. Hollowell moves to reconsider the vote by which H. B. 2147, S. B. 1761, a bill to be entitled an act to release the Pikeville dispensary from back taxes, was laid on the table on the 9th.

The motion is lost.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 1993, H. B. 2254, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the compensation of the stenographer in the office of the Insurance Commissioner.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. R. 1939, H. R. 2250, resolution relating to adjournment.
As amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. R. 2254, S. R. 1993, resolution to pay S. V. Goodson for services.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

Mr. Royster, on behalf of the members of the House (Mr. Winborne being in the chair) makes a speech, presents a silver service set to Mr. Justice in fitting words, descriptive of the feelings of the House for its Speaker.

Mr. Justice responds in acceptance of the present.

Mr. Wood, on behalf of the Doorkeeper's employees, presents a silver service set to Mr. Doorkeeper Lisk, who responds in accepting the present.

Mr. Harris presents to Mr. Arendell, Reading Clerk, a token of the members' appreciation of his services.

Mr. Bickett makes a present of a suit of clothes to Captain Lineberry, Chief Laborer, who responds in fitting words to the same.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the House takes a recess until 3:30 P. M.

Afternoon Session.

The House meets at 3:30 P. M., pursuant to recess, with Mr. Winborne in the chair, and resumes consideration of business on the Calendar.

Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Douglass, H. R. 2259, joint resolution in regard to adjournment.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1676, a bill to be entitled an act for the payment of outstanding bonds of the State of North Carolina, known as the Western North Carolina Railroad Construction Bonds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 893, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates and registrations.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1515, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5373 of the Revisal of 1905, requiring directors of State institutions to furnish the State Treasurer with information necessary to complete his business reports.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1460, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the proof and registration of certain deeds and conveyances of land.

On motion of Mr. Boyd, the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 2071, S. B. 1573, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 123 of the Public Laws of 1887.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 690, H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal section 1448 of the Revisal of 1905, regarding process served on foreign corporations.

Placed on the Calendar.

The report of the conference committee is adopted, and it is ordered that the Senate be informed of the action of the House.

S. B. 2000, H. B. 2258, to validate the acts of sheriffs and other officers.

Placed on the Calendar, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Mr. Doughton moves that, as the hour approaches, the Speaker order a final roll call, that the members present may answer to their names.

The roll being called the following gentlemen answer present:

LAST ROLL CALL.


ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Gallert, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. R. 1166, S. R. 1248, a joint resolution relative to amending the Constitution of the United States to provide for the election of United
States Senators by the direct vote of the people of the respective States.

H. B. 2071, S. B. 1373, an act to amend chapter 123 of the Public Laws of 1887.

H. B. 2258, S. B. 2000, an act supplemental to a bill which has passed the Senate and House of Representatives to prohibit conduct within the State of North Carolina, which interferes with trade and commerce.

H. B. 1828, S. B. 1926, an act to allow the people to vote on bonds to build the Bladen and Northern Railroad.


H. B. 226, S. B. 302, an act to amend section 255 of the Revisal of 1905, so far as applicable to the bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Currituck County.

H. B. 2248, S. B. 1991, an act to place the judges of the State on an equality as to salaries with other State officers.

H. B. 513, S. B. 573, an act to allow the city of High Point to substitute bonds bearing five per cent. interest per annum for bonds of said city which bear six per cent. interest per annum.

H. B. 2251, S. B. 1887, an act to receive money appropriated by the Congress of the United States for agricultural education.

H. B. 1987, S. B. 1886, an act to authorize the town of Old Fort to issue bonds for water-works and sewerage.

H. B. 2252, S. B. 1899, an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in certain counties.

H. B. 690, S. B. 383, an act to amend section 1448 of the Revisal of 1905, regard process served on foreign corporations.

H. B. 1908, S. B. 1887, an act to authorize certain townships in Buncombe, Henderson and Rutherford Counties to subscribe stock to aid in the construction of a competing railroad from Rutherfordton to Asheville.

H. B. 2205, S. B. 1923, an act to turn fees collected by State officers into the Treasury and equalize salaries.

H. B. 2254, S. B. 1903, an act to fix the compensation of the stenographer in the office of the Insurance Commissioner.

H. B. 1894, S. B. 754, an act to amend section 2838 of the Revisal, to make general election a legal holiday.

H. B. 1893, S. B. 620, an act for relief of the Sheriff of Nash County.

H. B. 2226, S. B. 944, an act to amend section 4731 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to investments of the capital of insurance companies.

H. B. 2253, S. B. 1992, an act amendatory of section 2217 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, regulating the seizure and use of coal by railroads or other transportation companies.

H. B. 2233 S. B. 1892, an act to amend chapter 20, section 1063, and chapter 66, section 2754, of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to the
oath of office of Clerk of the Corporation Commission and extra allowance by the Commission.

H. B. 1772, S. B. 1906, an act to require railroad companies to keep their passenger cars and toilet rooms clean and decent.

H. B. 2237, S. B. 771, an act to amend the general insurance law of North Carolina.

H. B. 2220, S. B. 694, an act to appropriate $1,000 for the support of the Elhanan Training Institute for Homeless Children.

H. B. 1946, S. B. 1174, an act to amend section 5242, chapter 110, of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 795, S. B. 598, an act to amend section 975 of the Revisal of 1905, to provide for the increase of power of Cherokee Indians and others to trade, contract or barter.

H. B. 874, S. B. 601, an act to validate certain probates of deeds.

H. B. 2179, S. B. 1841, an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Nash and Wilson Counties to employ a court stenographer.

H. B. 1332, S. B. 668, an act to compel white deaf children to attend school.

H. B. 912, S. B. 1995, an act to validate probates and registrations where clerks are interested.

H. B. 872, S. B. 406, an act to amend section 1563, Revisal of 1905, relating to the filing by the wife of a petition on bringing an action for divorce.

H. B. 2227, S. B. 973, an act to allow traveling expenses to the Governor.

H. B. 2145, S. B. 1708, an act to amend chapter 246 of the Laws of 1885, in relation to the stock law of Rocky Point stock-law territory, in Pender County.

H. B. 1718, S. B. 1878, an act to incorporate the town of Cerro Gordo, in Columbus County.

H. B. 2249, S. B. 1988, an act supplemental to an act ratified March 8, 1907, it being an act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within two hundred feet of any church in North Carolina.

H. B. 1892, S. B. 132, an act to provide for the punishment of youthful offenders.

H. B. 260, S. B. 1377, an act to extend the crime of vagrancy and provide for the enforcement thereof.

H. B. 2213, S. B. 1534, an act prohibiting conduct within the State of North Carolina, which interferes with trade and commerce.

H. B. 2163, S. B. 1848, an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in High Point Township.


H. B. 1040, S. B. 56, an act to amend section 3135 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 1721, S. B. 1855, an act for the relief of Mrs. Ellen F.
Wyckoff, administratrix and widow of John F. Wyckoff, deceased, late ex-Sheriff of Iredell County.

H. B. 1834, S. B. 522, an act to prevent stealing railroad brasses and other similar materials.

H. B. 2077, S. B. 1612, an act to amend chapter 616 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to an act to authorize the Commissioners of Buncombe County to issue road bonds.

H. B. 2154, S. B. 1712, an act to protect fish and game in McDowell County.

H. B. 2116, S. B. 1873, an act to repeal the second and third sections of chapter 594, Public Laws of 1899, for the purpose of extending the corporate limits of the town of Liberty, in Randolph County, and to increase the tax rate of said town.

H. B. 1782, S. B. 1777, an act to amend chapter 16, Private Laws of 1889, for the purpose of extending the corporate limits of the town of Liberty, in Randolph County, and to increase the tax rate of said town.

H. B. 2061, S. B. 1964, an act to authorize the Commissioner of Harnett County to enact ordinances relating to the streams therein and prevent the pollution and obstruction of the same.

H. B. 1542, S. B. 1026, an act to change the boundary line of Sandy Ridge School District, in Union County.

H. B. 2075, S. B. 1551, an act to incorporate the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Company.

H. B. 1959, S. B. 1438, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Brunswick County to levy a special tax.

H. B. 1179, S. B. 1567, an act to provide for the election of an Insurance Commissioner by the people.

H. B. 1815, S. B. 1905, an act to amend section 3386 of the Revisal, relative to contracts between landlords and tenants.

H. B. 2173, S. B. 1860, an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to prevent fishing in Black Creek, ratified March 7, 1907.

H. B. 1839, S. B. 1865, an act to provide for the drainage of a portion of Sandy Run Creek, in Rutherford and Cleveland Counties.

H. B. 2100, S. B. 1872, an act to establish stock law in certain territories in Mitchell County.

H. B. 2061, S. B. 1870, an act to locate the public school-house in District No. 3 (white race), Township No. 3, in Pamlico County.

H. B. 1840, S. B. 1879, an act to prevent the dumping of sawdust into running streams in Franklin County.

H. B. 1954, S. B. 1408, an act to incorporate the town of Patetown, in Wayne County.

H. B. 1875, S. B. 1826, an act to authorize District No. 1, Franklin Township, Macon County, to levy a special tax for public schools, and for other purposes.

H. B. 1886, S. B. 1802, an act to authorize the Treasurer of Haywood County to pay a school claim.
H. B. 1932, S. B. 1866, an act to protect Murfreesboro Township, in Hertford County.
H. B. 1451, S. B. 1918, an act to allow railroads to construct belt lines in towns of the State.
H. B. 1667, S. B. 1912, an act to amend chapter 77, Revisal of 1905, entitled Department of Agriculture.
H. B. 2068, S. B. 1297, an act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Tryon.
H. B. 2120, S. B. 1898, an act to make appropriations for State institutions.
H. B. 2150, S. B. 1741, an act to protect game and fish in Buncombe County.
H. B. 903, S. B. 1919, an act to regulate the fees of Clerks of the Superior Court in pauper appeals.
H. B. 1948, S. B. 772, an act to regulate the form of life insurance contracts.
H. B. 1470, S. B. 1445, an act to provide for making proper entries on judgment dockets of the Superior Courts when judgments have been reversed, modified or affirmed.
H. B. 1883, S. B. 1747, an act to authorize Dr. T. C. Hensley to practice medicine in No. 2 Township, in Madison County.
H. B. 975, S. B. 656, an act to amend chapter 581, Public Laws of 1899, concerning the working of the public roads of the State, and to authorize county commissioners to let the keeping of the roads to contract in sections.
H. B. 1784, S. B. 1751, an act to incorporate the Randolph and Yadkin Railroad Company.
H. B. 1528, S. B. 1781, an act to prevent unjust discrimination in freight rates and to fix the maximum charges therefor.
H. B. 1880, S. B. 1825, an act to incorporate Pinetown, in Beaufort County.
H. B. 1951, S. B. 1441, an act to incorporate the Monroe Southern Railway Company.
H. B. 374, S. B. 602, an act to give railway conductors authority to arrest certain persons.
H. B. 1997, S. B. 1128, an act to amend chapter 61 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, entitled "Railroads," so as to require one of the incorporators and one of the directors of railroads chartered under the general laws of this State to be citizens and residents of North Carolina.
H. B. 1293, S. B. 1779, an act to regulate the terms and elections of officers of State institutions.
H. B. 1851, S. B. 1882, an act to authorize the appointment of a cotton-weigher for the town of Snow Hill, Greene County.
H. B. 2156, S. B. 353, an act to amend section 3057 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to the State Laboratory of Hygiene.
H. B. 1794, S. B. 1744, an act to amend chapter 449 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the graded school in Pigeon River Township, Haywood County.

H. B. 1052, S. B. 1243, an act to authorize the Corporation Commission to require railroads to erect and maintain union depots in towns of two thousand inhabitants.

H. B. 1872, S. B. 1822, an act to authorize the Commissioners of the town of Wadesboro to collect certain taxes.

H. B. 1616, S. B. 1480, an act to prohibit fishing in Little River, in Wake County, with seine or trap.

H. B. 783, S. B. 1937, an act to amend chapter 645, Public Laws of 1901, it being an act to prevent the depredations of domestic fowls.

H. B. 961, S. B. 1928, an act to amend section 4498 of the Revisal of 1905, by adding a subsection marked (a) thereto, for enlarging the powers of the Board of Medical Examiners in granting licenses to applicants to practice medicine.

H. B. 1395, S. B. 808, an act to enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

H. B. 1891, S. B. 1927, an act to amend section 2749 of the Revisal.

H. B. 1060, S. B. 1933, an act authorizing the State Board of Health to provide for the preventive treatment of hydrophobia.

H. B. 2156, S. B. 1910, an act supplemental to an act passed at the Session of 1907, being an act relating to a road law for the county of Rowan.

H. B. 915, S. B. 1914, an act for the protection of electrical power transmission lines.

H. B. 1982, S. B. 1940, an act to regulate the writing of prescriptions by physicians.

H. B. 388, S. B. 1418, an act to require attendance upon public schools for sixteen weeks in each year, between the ages of eight and fourteen.

H. B. 2185, S. B. 1790, an act to protect game in Carteret County.

H. B. 2132, S. B. 1586, an act to incorporate the North Carolina Union Railroad Company.

H. B. 2102, S. B. 1809, an act authorizing and directing the directors of the State’s Prison to turn over to the State Treasurer out of its earnings the sum of $175,000, to be covered into the general fund in the hands of the Treasurer.

H. B. 1218, S. B. 1644, an act to amend section 2234, of the Revisal.

H. B. 2172, S. B. 1902, an act to amend chapter 90, section 4366, of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

H. B. 2178, S. B. 1842, an act to extend the criminal jurisdiction of the Mayor of Toisnot, in Wilson County.

H. B. 2228, S. B. 939, an act to amend section 3373 of the Revisal of North Carolina, relating to public drunkenness.
H. B. 2225, S. B. 1177, an act for the relief of George W. Smith of "Watauga County.
H. B. 2187, S. B. 1786, an act to amend chapter 774, Public Laws of 1905, entitled an act to amend chapter 23, Public Laws of 1879, entitled an act to allow Leasville Township, in Rockingham County, to subscribe to the capital stock of a railroad.
H. B. 763, S. B. 1571, an act for the protection of manufacturers and shippers of mineral waters, soda water and other beverages and dealers in the same.
H. B. 2144, S. B. 1702, an act to amend section 2709 of the Revised of 1905.
H. B. 2174, S. B. 1847, an act to further amend the charter of Cherryville, in Gaston County.
H. B. 2045, S. B. 1557, an act to limit the commissions of the Sheriff of Gaston County.
H. B. 2106, S. B. 1709, an act to fix the compensation of the Commissioners of Gaston County.
H. B. 2183, S. B. 1795, an act to allow the Board of Education of Wayne County to use the dispensary money of Eureka dispensary to build school-houses and for other purposes.
H. B. 2219, S. B. 456, an act to prevent drunkenness in Wake County.
H. B. 2132, S. B. 256, an act to extend and enlarge the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.
H. B. 2216, S. B. 643, an act to confer police powers on sheriffs and constables at Ossipee Mills, Boone Station Township, Alamance County, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.
H. B. 2195, S. B. 1852, an act to amend chapter 762, Public Laws of 1905, being an act to establish a dispensary in the town of Roxboro.
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H. B. 2034, S. B. 1598, an act for the relief of the ex-Sheriff of Gaston County.
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H. B. 2191, S. B. 1602, an act to establish a court for the trial of civil causes only in Columbus County.
H. B. 2137, S. B. 1610, an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville.
H. B. 2181, S. B. 1839, an act to change the boundary of the Sanford Graded School District, in Moore County.

H. B. 1903, S. B. 777, an act to amend chapter 345, Public Laws of 1905, regulating the fees of Clerk of the Superior Court and sheriff.

H. B. 1877, S. B. 1884, an act to prevent the cutting of trees or the putting of any other obstruction across the stream of Sanderlin Swamp.

H. B. 1833, S. B. 1896, an act to amend section 1589 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to actions for the removal of cloud upon the title of property.

H. B. 2234, S. B. 1900, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within two miles of Concord M. E. Church, South, Harmony Grove Methodist Church and Lewisville M. E. Church, South, all in Forsyth County.

H. B. 2140, S. B. 1696, an act to repeal chapter 275 of the Public Laws of 1891, in reference to fishing in Great Swamp and Nahunta Swamp, in Wayne County.

H. B. 2178, S. B. 1614, an act to define the jurisdiction of the Recorder's Court, in Rocky Mount.

H. B. 2079, S. B. 1615, an act to protect the public roads of Yadkin County.


H. B. 1887, S. B. 1824, an act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Wilson County to issue bonds for the permanent improvement of the public roads of Wilson Township, in Wilson County and State of North Carolina.

H. B. 1540, S. B. 1140, an act to amend the road law of Gaston County.

H. B. 212, S. B. 1151, an act to promote and encourage the immigration of a desirable class of trained, industrious and economical farmers and other laborers to the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 31, S. B. 1100, an act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties in this State and to punish frauds committed thereat.

H. B. 1820, S. B. 1903, an act to amend chapter 367 of the Acts of the General Assembly of North Carolina of 1891, entitled an act to incorporate the Northampton and Hertford Railroad Company, so as to enable said company to purchase or construct railroads, to unite or merge with other roads, to lease and operate other roads and to lease its roads and corporate rights to others.

H. B. 1616; S. B. 1876, an act to prevent drunkenness in Lakeview School District, in McNeill's Township, Moore County.

H. B. 1843, S. B. 1880, an act in regard to barbed-wire fences in Franklin County.

H. B. 1146, S. B. 666, an act to limit admission of deaf children to residents of North Carolina.
H. B. 2090, S. B. 1808, an act to declare the stock law in force in
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H. B. 2103, S. B. 1800, an act to allow the town of Taylorsville to
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H. B. 1895, S. B. 1907, an act to amend section 2000 of the Revisal
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H. B. 1835, S. B. 1908, an act relating to the execution of deeds by
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H. B. 1239, S. B. 1901, an act to amend section 2075 of the Revisal
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H. B. 117, S. B. 215, an act to authorize the Commissioners of Dare
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H. B. 2074, S. B. 1550, an act to authorize the city of Rocky Mount
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H. B. 1919, S. B. 1382, an act to incorporate the M. L. Jones Com-
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H. B. 1849, S. B. 1771, an act to amend the charter of the town of
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H. B. 2290, S. B. 1922, an act to permit certain townships in Wake
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H. B. 1683, S. B. 282, an act to limit the poll tax in municipalities
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H. B. 2214, S. B. 1936, an act to relieve the Commissioners of the
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H. B. 258, S. B. 294, an act to amend chapter 426 of the Public
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H. B. 1191 S. B. 1890, an act to amend chapter 4795, chapter 100,
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H. B. 2165, S. B. 1897, an act to appoint members of the county
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H. B. 2139, S. B. 1617, an act to permit the townships of Davidson
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H. B. 1870, S. B. 1828, an act to authorize the Commissioners
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H. B. 1523, S. B. 1757, an act to provide for the construction, repair
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H. B. 2221, S. B. 499, an act for the disbarment and suspension of
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H. B. 2149, S. B. 1740, an act to amend the charter of the city of Asheville.

H. B. 2107, S. B. 1710, an act to amend chapter 703 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to Buncombe County and for other purposes relative to said county.

H. B. 2177, S. B. 1843, an act to validate a certain stock-law election held in the county of Sampson.

H. B. 2004, S. B. 1306, an act to amend section 1152 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to an annual statement to be made by corporations.

H. B. 2241, S. B. 1755, an act to exempt certain students from road and street duty.

H. B. 1882, S. B. 1061, an act to amend the charter of the town of Marshall and to declare void and irregular elections held thereunder.

H. B. 1088, S. B. 1780, an act to amend sections 3777 and 3778 of the Revisal of 1905, relative to the damage to roads by hauling logs, lumber, timber and other heavy substances over the public roads.

H. B. 2201, S. B. 1921, an act extending the time for construction by the Smoky Mountain Railway Company.

H. B. 854, S. B. 1909, an act to allow the Oyster Commissioner to borrow $2,200 to pay for patrol boat "Atlantic."

H. B. 264, S. B. 831, an act to regulate fishing in the waters of Pamlico, Tar, Neuse and Cape Fear Rivers, Pamlico Sound and waters in Carteret County.

H. B. 2198, S. B. 1931, an act relating to the shell fish industry of Onslow County.

H. B. 687, S. B. 281, an act to amend section 2903 of the Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 2224, S. B. 821, an act to prevent the stealing of freight in transit.

H. B. 2136, S. B. 1596, an act to authorize Elizabethtown Township and other townships in Bladen County to issue bonds to aid in the construction of a standard gauge railroad from Abbottsburg to some other point on the Seaboard Air Line Railroad in Bladen County to Elizabethtown.

H. B. 1672, S. B. 1906, an act to legalize certain marriages.

H. B. 2211, S. B. 1954, an act to incorporate the town of Pink Hill.


H. B. 2133, S. B. 1581, an act to enlarge the corporate limits of the city of Fayetteville.

H. B. 2135, S. B. 1594, an act to incorporate the town of Denton, in Davidson County.

H. B. 261, S. B. 832, an act to exclude minors from bar rooms, pool rooms and certain other places.

H. B. 2235, S. B. 1942, an act to empower the Board of Trustees
of Charlotte Township to refund $1,000 to the Piedmont Realty Company.

H. B. 1608, S. B. 1723, an act to fix salaries for the public officers of Robeson County.

H. B. 2110, S. B. 1871, an act supplemental to an act passed by this General Assembly at its present session, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Hookerton, in the county of Greene.

H. B. 958, S. B. 1934, an act to amend chapter 102. Revisal of 1905, relating to the militia.

H. B. 2049, S. B. 1555, an act to amend chapter 305 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, an act to incorporate the Waynesville Railway and Power Company, ratified on the 4th day of March, 1905.

H. B. 2204, S. B. 1958, an act supplemental to an act to revise and consolidate the charter of the city of Concord, being H. B. 1662, S. B. 1514, passed by the General Assembly of 1907.

H. B. 2138, S. B. 1613, an act to establish graded schools in certain territory in Moore County.

H. B. 2095, S. B. 1595, an act to incorporate Monroe Trust Company.

H. B. 2168, S. B. 1961, an act to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw.


H. B. 2202, S. B. 1980, an act to authorize John A. Exum to collect arrears of taxes on the tax list of the town of Snow Hill, Greene County, for certain years.

H. B. 2081, S. B. 1972, an act to incorporate the Old North State Banking and Trust Company at High Point.

H. B. 720, S. B. 1941, an act to facilitate transfer of real property.

H. B. 2242, S. B. 1943, an act to prohibit corporations from preventing public improvements by other corporations by preventing occupation of lands for purposes of right-of-way.

H. B. 2229, S. B. 1791, an act relating to scientific temperance instruction in the public schools.


H. B. 1949, S. B. 267, an act defining the status of persons soliciting life insurance.

H. B. 2143, S. B. 1700, an act to provide for an election for a stock law in certain territory in Sampson County.

H. B. 927, S. B. 1977, an act to provide for the presentation of a silver service to the cruiser North Carolina.

H. B. 1563, S. B. 971, an act to incorporate Charlotte Poultry Association.

H. B. 500, S. B. 86, an act to amend section 3056 of the Revisal of 1905, in relation to water supplies.

H. B. 2209, S. B. 1951, an act to amend chapter 653, Public Laws of 1901, being an act to establish a dispensary in Lecana.

H. B. 2223, S. B. 1714, an act to compel individuals owning telephone and telegraph lines, who rent phones or wires to persons generally to be and become subject to supervision of the Corporation Commission and to all pains and penalties provided by law as applicable to corporations operating telephone and telegraph lines.

H. B. 628, S. B. 1948, an act to amend section 2788 of the Revisal.

H. B. 2101, S. B. 1946, an act to prevent the unauthorized wearing or using of the badges, name, titles of officers, insignia, ritual or ceremonies of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America.

H. B. 2192, S. B. 1393, an act to amend the Revisal of 1905, relating to the oyster industry and to protect and promote the same.

H. B. 2199, S. B. 1957, an act to amend chapter 265, Public Laws of 1905, relating to cotton-weighers of the city of Raleigh.

H. B. 1161, S. B. 1945, an act to amend section 1012 of the Revisal of 1905.


H. B. 2167, S. B. 1900, an act to amend the charter of the town of East Spencer, Rowan County, chapter 74, Private Laws of 1901.

H. B. 2171, S. B. 1966, an act to appoint B. B. Massenburg a justice of the peace.

H. B. 2161, S. B. 1963, an act to amend chapter 360, Private Laws of 1903, being an act to incorporate the Dunn Trolley Company, extending the time for said company to begin business.

H. B. 1339, S. B. 1430, an act to amend chapter 400 of the Public Laws of 1887 of North Carolina.

H. B. 2212, S. B. 1955, an act to amend chapter 394 of the Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 2233, S. B. 504, an act to amend chapter 66, section 1785 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the pay of county commissioners.

H. B. 1994, S. B. 987, an act to prevent the perpetration of fraud by giving worthless checks, drafts and orders.

H. B. 2240, S. B. 548, an act to prevent public drunkenness in Cherokee and Yadkin Counties.

H. B. 2193, S. B. 1274, an act to create a Fish Commission.

H. B. 1092, S. B. 355, an act to amend section 2916, Revisal of 1905.

H. B. 2111, S. B. 1924, an act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina.

H. B. 2009, S. B. 1971, an act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County.

H. B. 1936, S. B. 1977, an act to amend chapter 263 of the Public
Laws of 1903, defining the boundaries of the graded school districts in Alamance County.

H. B. 2119, S. B. 1968, an act to relieve D. I. Massey, public school teacher in Wake County.

H. B. 2122, S. B. 1962, an act to protect quail in Randolph County.

H. B. 627, S. B. 1832, an act to amend chapter 81 of the Revised Laws of 1905 of North Carolina, by adding a section thereto immediately following section 3367, to make indictable the violations of certain written contracts by tenants.

H. B. 1837, S. B. 1976, an act to amend chapter 263 of the Public Laws of 1903, defining the boundary of the graded school in District No. 1, Cobb's Township, Alamance County.

H. B. 1931, S. B. 1975, an act to repeal chapter 723 of the laws published as the Public Laws of 1905, concerning fishing in Tyson Marsh Mill Run, in Greene County.

H. B. 1944, S. B. 978, an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the sale of contingent remainders.

H. B. 2160, S. B. 1965, an act to amend section 1318, subdivision 3, fixing the time for notice of election by counties.

H. B. 1077, S. B. 1114, an act to require express companies to pay claims for losses or damage to property.

H. B. 2112, S. B. 1970, an act to provide for justices of the peace for Cabarrus County.

H. B. 2117, S. B. 1969, an act to fix the term of office for the County Board of Education of Wake County.

H. B. 2159, S. B. 1964, an act to amend chapter 183 of the Private Laws of North Carolina. Session 1901, entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the charter of the town of Leaksville, in the county of Rockingham, and the amendments thereto.

H. B. 2127, S. B. 1967, an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend, revise and consolidate the statutes that constitute the charter of the city of Charlotte and to extend the corporate limits of said city.


H. B. 2148, S. B. 1693, an act to incorporate the Western Carolina Power and Transportation Company.

H. B. 1267, S. B. 1358, an act to amend an act to provide for the assessment of property and the collection of taxes.

H. B. 1195, S. B. 1357, an act to amend chapter 588 of the Public Laws of 1905.

H. R. 2238, S. R. 1944, joint resolution of thanks to the Governor, Postmaster Willis G. Briggs of the city of Raleigh, L. T. Yarborough, W. J. Hester, carrier, in reference to the establishment of a substation of the Raleigh post-office at the Capitol during the session of the Legislature.

H. R. 1832, S. R. 1833, resolution supplementary to S. R. 354, H. R.
502, ratified January 29th, 1907, in respect to the appropriation for the Jamestown Exposition.

H. R. 1336, S. R. 927, joint resolution in reference to a statue to Governor Vance to be placed in Statuary Hall.

H. R. 1096, S. R. 1277, joint resolution relative to the compensation of pages.

H. R. 2169, S. R. 1959, joint resolution relative to compensation of H. M. Reece.

H. R. 1651, S. R. 1929, joint resolution to authorize the Auditor of the State to issue a warrant to W. A. McFarland for $14, the amount due Jesse Beevers, a pensioner on the roll of 1905.

H. B. 2188, S. B. 1784, an act to enlarge the police powers of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Statesville.

H. B. 1722, S. B. 1578, an act to change the boundary line between the counties of Ashe and Wilkes.

H. B. 723, S. B. 704, an act to extend the incorporated limits of the town of Wadesboro, in Anson County.

H. R. 4, S. R. 1, resolution to pay Capt. John H. Kerr, Doorkeeper of Session of 1905, for assisting in organizing the House.

H. B. 2215, S. B. 1932, an act supplemental to H. B. 1990 S. B. entitling an act to regulate the compensation of State employees.

On motion of Mr. Winborne, and in accordance with the resolution of Mr. Douglass, as adopted by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the Speaker declares the House adjourned sine die.

E. J. JUSTICE,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

FRANK D. HACKETT,

Principal Clerk.
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