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Under a call of his Excellency, Governor Locke Craig, by virtue of the power vested in him to that effect by the Constitution of the State, the House of Representatives met in its hall this day at 11 o’clock a. m., and is called to order by Principal Clerk Pro Tem R. L. Huffman.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Maddry, of Raleigh.


A quorum being present, the Proclamation of the Governor convening the Extraordinary Session is read as follows:

**Proclamation by the Governor.**

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Executive Department.

By and with the advice of the Council of State, I, Locke Craig, Governor of the State of North Carolina, in the exercise of the power conferred upon me by the Constitution, and in accordance with the resolution passed by the General Assembly, and ratified on the 6th day of February, 1913, do issue this my proclamation on this extraordinary occasion, convening the General Assembly in extra session. I do, therefore, notify and request the Senators and the members of the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina to meet in their respective halls in the Capitol, in the city of Raleigh, on the 24th day of September, 1913, at 11 o’clock a. m., for the following specific purposes:
1. To provide for the people of North Carolina just transportation rates, and to adjust the relations and obligations between the State of North Carolina and the railroads operating within the territory of this State.

2. To receive the report of the Constitutional Commission, and to consider the submission to the people of amendments to the Constitution.

In witness whereof, I, Locke Craig, Governor and Commander-in-Chief, have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed.

Done in our city of Raleigh, this the 18th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and in the one hundred and thirty-eighth year of our Independence.

(Signed) Locke Craig,
Governor.

By the Governor:
Jno. P. Kerr,
Private Secretary.

The following gentlemen approach the bar of the House, with their respective certificates of elections to fill vacancies occurred since the regular session, and take their oaths of office before Chief Justice Walter Clark of the Supreme Court:


The Principal Clerk announces that nominations are in order for Speaker of the House of Representatives, the former Speaker having resigned prior to the convening of the extra session.

Mr. Page places in nomination Mr. Walter Murphy, seconded by Messrs. Wooten and Clayton.

Mr. Deaver nominates Mr. Williams of Cabarrus, seconded by Mr. Bumgarner.

Mr. Murphy is declared elected by the following vote:


Those voting for Mr. Williams are: Messrs. Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Carroll, Deaver, Faircloth, Ferguson, Haymore, Hodges, McClure, Reavis, Rector, Sheek, Shell.

The Chair appoints Messrs. Bowie, Page, and Williams of Cabarrus to notify Mr. Murphy of his election, and escort him to the chair. After taking his oath of office, administered by Chief Justice Walter Clark, he delivers his address.
A message is sent to the Senate informing that honorable body that the House has completed its organization and is ready to proceed with business.

A similar message is received from the Senate.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

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

By Mr. Thomas of Anson, H. R. 1, resolution relative to the appointment of a commission for the purpose of revising the system of procedure.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Stewart of Mecklenburg, H. R. 2, resolution against general legislation at this session.

Referred to Committee on Rules.

**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. 1, H. R. 3, resolution appointing committee to notify Governor, passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

The Speaker appoints on part of the House Messrs. Kounce, Kellum and Capelle.

Mr. Stewart reports the death of Representative W. C. McLaughlin, of Mecklenburg, and the Speaker appoints Messrs. Stewart, Wall, and Capelle a committee to present resolutions, who report as follows.

**IN MEMORIAM.**

W. G. McLaughlin.

Resolution by House of Representatives.

Since the adjournment of the regular session of 1913 the Honorable W. G. McLaughlin, a member of this body from Mecklenburg County, was suddenly called to his final reward. He was a member of this House for three successive terms.

He was a painstaking legislator, efficient and conscientious. He spoke not in public, but in his wisdom and his judgment in private counsel and in the committee room rendered great service to the State of North Carolina.

His face we shall see no more; his warm handshake we shall feel no more; his presence we shall never again have. He dropped off by the wayside while about the duties of life, and when the final summons came he was found battling in the path of duty, and the path of duty leads only to glory.

Be it therefore Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of North Carolina, in special session of 1913 assembled, That the State has lost, in the death of W. G. McLaughlin, a sane, wise and conservative legislator, a friend of all men, a lover of truth, honor and justice; that we, on this occasion with bowed heads in sorrow, mourn our loss; that while we are today struggling with the problems of State we hope and feel that he is basking in the sunlight of a happier home, a house not builded with hands, and the
capital of his new home filled with angels and presided over by the God who made him.

That the House this day adjourn in his memory.

That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes.

Plummer Stewart,
J. T. Wall,
Paul R. Capelle,
Committee.

On motion of Mr. Long the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 10:30 a.m.

SECOND DAY.

House of Representatives, September 25, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Mr. McCracken.

The Journal of yesterday is read and stands approved.

Leave of absence is granted as follows: Mr. Clement.

On motion of Mr. Killian the courtesies of the floor are extended to Ex-Representative Quickel, of Lincoln.

Mr. Allred, for the Committee on Rules, submits a resolution as a rule, which is adopted.

Message from the Governor.

A message is received from his Excellency, Governor Craig, relating to freight rate adjustment, which is read.

Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.

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

By Mr. Newell, H. B. 4, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 325 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Young of Harnett, H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities, and Towns.

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Angier High School District in Harnett County, and to authorize it to issue bonds and levy a special tax.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Rodman, H. B. 7, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Rodman, H. B. 8, a bill to be entitled an act to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax and to create a sinking fund for said bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wooten, by request, H. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton so as to give said court civil jurisdiction, etc.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Gold, H. B. 10, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter ten hundred and fourteen of the Public Laws of 1907, applying to High Point Township only.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Haymore, H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mashburn, H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 13, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Thomas of Anson, H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 27 of article 4 of the Constitution of North Carolina, so as to make uniform the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in all civil actions.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Carlton, H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the costs in Rowan County Court.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the Recorder's Court of Spencer, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Killian, H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled an act to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913 entitled, "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County and to create a road commission," ratified on the 30th day of January, 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Allred, H. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act to create Micro Graded School District in Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities, and Towns.

By Mr. Killian, H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Boney, H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Cherry, H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 274 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Ray, H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the general road law of Macon County to Franklin Township, and other amendments to the road law.
The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
By Mr. Dellinger, H. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the boundary of Special School Tax District No. 9, Gaston County County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 210 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the charter of the town of Cherryville.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Crisp, H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Stewart, H. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the lien law of 1913.
Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 28, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.
By Mr. Mewborn, H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Allred, H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for the completion of its water and lighting systems, and for other purposes.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Killian, H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of a cotton weigher for the town of Lincolnton in Lincoln County.
By Mr. Woodard, H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for street improvements, to provide for board of public works and repeal "An act ratified March 1, 1913, authorizing certain bond issues of the town of Wilson.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Reavis, H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 198 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, in reference to the construction of an iron bridge across the Yadkin River, the dividing line between counties of Yadkin and Forsyth, at or near Huffman's ferry, formerly Glenn's ferry.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Williams of Hertford, H. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Hertford County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Murphy, H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize any consul-general to take proof of deeds, etc.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Clark, H. R. 37, resolution requesting the North Carolina Corporation Commission to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives.

The rules are suspended and the resolution is adopted.

Mr. Bowie moves a reconsideration of the vote, upon which question Mr. Clark demands the ayes and noes. The motion to reconsider is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allred, Austin, Bowie, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Carroll, Dellinger, Dowd, Foy, Gaither, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Koonce, Mauney, McMillan, Ross, Sikes, Wallace, Wilson, Woodard—20.


By Mr. Williams of Buncombe, H. R. 38, a joint resolution to print the Governor’s Message.

The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Cromartie, H. B. 40, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law for Bladen County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Cox, H. B. 41, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Grimesland School District in Pitt County, and authorize it to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Miller, H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following resolution, which is read the first time and placed on the Calendar:

Substitute S. R. 2, H. R. 39, joint resolution restricting business of special session.

Mr. Martin of Cherokee, 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. 3, S. R. 1, resolution appointing committee to notify the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Long, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 10:30 a.m.
THIRD DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 26, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Moore, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read and stands approved.

Leave of absence was granted as follows: Messrs. Mills, Coffield, Hatchett, McNair, Young of Harnett, Brawley, Hodges.

Several petitions are sent forward by Mr. Kellum and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Mr. Justice, for the Commission on Freight Rate Matters, sends forward a report, which is filed with the other papers pertaining to the same matter.

On motion of Mr. Majette, all members of the Commission on Constitutional Amendments who are not members of the House Committee are added thereto.

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. Roberts for Committee on Counties, Cities, and Towns:
H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town, with favorable report.

For same committee:
H. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act to create Micro Graded School District in Johnston County, with favorable report.

By Mr. Gold, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 2:
H. B. 10, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907 applying to High Point Township, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Brawley, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 1:
H. B. 4, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 325 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, 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. Williams of Buncombe, H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, which is a report from the Constitutional Amendment Commission.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Mr. Haymore sends forward an amendment which is with the bill.

By Mr. Justice, H. R. 44, resolution relating to uniform classification of freight by common carriers.

Referred to Committee on Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Justice, H. R. 45, a resolution relative to the Interstate Commerce Commission Act.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.
By Mr. McNider, H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 442, Public Laws of 1909, and acts amendatory thereto, applying to the Parksville Drainage District No. 1, Perquimans County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Burleson, H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Burleson, H. B. 48, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 812 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock running at large in Avery County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Burleson, H. B. 49, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 395 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the dog tax in Avery County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Williams of Buncombe, H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Clark, H. B. 52, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. R. Davenport a justice of the peace in Pactolus Township, Pitt County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Young of Harnett, H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Coats Graded School of Coats, Harnett County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Long, H. B. 54, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 617 of the Public Local Laws of 1911 relating to salaries for officers of Alamance County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Phillips, H. B. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the running of sawdust in certain streams in Graham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 76 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the collection of taxes in Graham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 201 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County."

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Carlton, H. B. 58, a bill to be entitled an act to secure semi-monthly payment of wages to employees at railroad shops and terminals and to regulate the selling of merchandise by railroads to their employees.

Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 59, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913 so as to make March Term of Rowan Superior Court for the trial of civil cases exclusively.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Carlton, H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 61, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909 relating to the drainage of Grants Creek in Rowan County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Britton, H. B. 62, a bill to be entitled an act to make section 1662 of chapter 35 of Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina applicable to Bertie County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Rodman, H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the law relative to the time for holding court in Washington and Beaufort counties.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gatling, H. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Gates County to designate some Gates County bank to act as treasurer to handle the good roads fund.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Long, H. B. 65, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1913 of the laws of North Carolina of session 1847, being an act to incorporate the trustees of Danover Institute in the town of Yanceyville.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Ferguson, H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gold, H. B. 67, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a fireman for the public heating plant and to employ other help.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mintz, H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships in Onslow County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 69, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to elect cotton weighers for Hubert, Belgrade and Cross Roads in Onslow County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Whitford, H. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of New Bern to remove and reinter certain dead bodies.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bumgarner, H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace in Wilkes County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wike, H. B. 72, a bill to be entitled an act to create a system of ex-
clusive stock law boundaries by townships by vote of the citizens thereof for Jackson County, and to reduce taxes.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Martin of Cherokee, H. B. 73, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 204 Public Local Laws of 1913 relative to stock law in Cherokee County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Austin, H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of jurors in the recorder's court for Stanly County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Price, H. B. 75, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 646, Public Local Laws of 1900, by striking out "Union County."

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mintz, H. B. 76, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs townships to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mintz, H. B. 77, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships in Duplin County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Sikes, H. B. 78, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 269 of Private Laws of 1913, relative to bond issue for the city of Monroe.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Sikes, H. B. 79, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for holding terms of the Superior Court for Union County, in the Thirteenth Judicial District, so that said court will not conflict with the call of said district in the Supreme Court.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Sikes, H. B. 80, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 545 of Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Sikes, H. B. 81, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint B. F. Parker a justice of the peace for Lanes Creek Township in Union County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bellamy, H. B. 82, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and correct section 28 of chapter 596 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina passed at the regular session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes second and third readings, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Boney, H. B. 83, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Willaim L. Byrd a veterinary surgeon in Duplin County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Mintz, H. B. 84, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro and the board of commissioners of Wayne County to exempt from local taxation certain bond issues.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Mintz, H. B. 85, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Rodman, H. B. 86, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 574 of the Public Laws of 1903 relative to the salary of the Paymaster-General.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the trustees of Sanford graded schools to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McMillan, H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for special assessment for improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gaither, H. B. 90, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, in regard to courts to be held in Catawba County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 91, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of the public road crossings of Burke County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dixon, H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for special assessment for improving the sidewalks in the town of Trenton.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 93, a bill to be entitled an act for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Killian, H. B. 94, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve the citizens of Catawba Springs Township, Lincoln County, from a certain tax and the issuance of bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Roberts, H. B. 95, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 439, Private Laws 1907, relating to the Southern Baptist Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Boney, H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 752, section 4 thereof, of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to fishing in Duplin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNair, H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Martin of Cherokee, H. B. 98, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in certain territories in Cherokee County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bennett, H. B. 99, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to draw an additional number of jurors for service at the civil and criminal terms of courts of Forsyth County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Bell, H. B. 100, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 10 of
the Public Laws of North Carolina of the session of 1913.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Noland, H. B. 101, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the bond-
ing of certain officers in Haywood County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Bellamy, H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the
collection of arrears of taxes in the city of Southport, in the county of Brun-
swick, and State of North Carolina.
Referred to Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 103, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the
issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District No. 11 for the
white and colored races of Columbus County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and
empower the board of drainage commissioners of Chadbourn Drainage Dis-
trict in the county of Columbus to acquire rights of way and outlets for
drainage canals.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Buchanan, H. B. 105, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale
and delivery of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Mintz, H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Pink Hill
Township in Lenoir County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the
construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.
Placed on the Calendar.
Mr. Mintz, H. B. 107, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 327 of
the Public Local Laws of 1913 relative to the townships bond issue for good
roads in Wayne County.
The rules are suspended, the bill passes second and third readings, and is
sent to the Senate without engrossment.
By Mr. Dixon, H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 164,
section 1 thereof, relative to the town of Trenton.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Mewborne, H. B. 109, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter
261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Thomas of Davidson, H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled an act to
abolish free labor on the public roads in certain townships in Davidson
County.
Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills
and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 4, H. B. 111, bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 196,
Public Laws of 1913, relating to holding the courts of Halifax County.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 5, H. B. 112, bill to amend section 2919 of The Revisal of 1905 in
reference to town charters and election of town officers in the town of Murphy.
   Placed on the Calendar.
   The rules are suspended, the bill passes second and third readings, and is
   ordered enrolled.
   S. B. 6, H. B. 113, bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of
   Forsyth County to donate funds for premiums awarded at its agricultural
   county fairs.
   Placed on the Calendar.
   S. B. 7, H. B. 114, bill to provide for the appointment of court stenographer
   for Halifax County.
   Placed on the Calendar.
   S. B. 8, H. B. 115, bill to amend chapter 206 of the Private Laws of North
   Carolina, session of 1913, and for other purposes.
   Placed on the Calendar.
   S. B. 9, H. B. 116, bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of
   the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse.
   Placed on the Calendar.
   S. B. 12, H. B. 117, bill establishing the office of highway commissioner for
   Sampson County, North Carolina.
   Placed on the Calendar.
   S. B. 14, H. B. 118, bill to repeal chapter 784, Public Local Laws of North
   Carolina, session 1913, relating to the improvement of the public roads of
   Sampson County.
   Placed on the Calendar.
   S. B. 16, H. B. 119, bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Cotton
   Grove Township in Davidson 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. Parker, H. R. 120, a resolution requesting the chairman of the
   Special Legislative Commission to ascertain certain information from the
   Commission for the benefit of the members of the House.
   Adopted.

CALENDAR.

   Bill and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as
   follows:
   H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the costs in Rowan County
   Court.
   The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the
   Senate without engrossment.
   H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a
   prosecuting attorney for the recorder's court of Spencer, North Carolina.
   The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the
   Senate without engrossment.
   H. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the boundary of Special School
   Tax District No. 9, Gaston County.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal.

As amended, the bill 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 provide for the election of a cotton weigher for the town of Lincolnton in Lincoln County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Hertford County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 40, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law for Bladen County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 210 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the charter of the town of Cherryville.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.


H. B. 113, S. B. 6, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to donate funds for premiums awarded at its agricultural county fair.

Under a suspension of rules, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 7, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 8, a bill to be entitled an act to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax and to create a sinking fund for said bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 13, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled an act to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913 entitled, “An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County and to create a road commission therein,” ratified on the 30th day of January, 1913.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911 to authorize an increase in the special tax for school in Faison School District in Duplin County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 274 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 entitled, “An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Edgecombe County to submit to the qualified voters of said county, excepting that part embraced within the boundaries of the Rocky Mount Road District and the No. 6 Township or Whitakers Road District, the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of improving the public roads in said county.”

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for the completion of its water and lighting systems and for other purposes.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Alred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Dowd, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for street improvements, to provide for board of public works, and repeal “An act ratified March 1, 1913, authorizing certain bond issues of the town of Wilson.”

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 198 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, in reference to the construction of an iron bridge across the Yadkin River, the dividing line between counties of Yadkin and Forsyth, at or near Huffman’s ferry, formerly Glenn’s ferry.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 41, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Grimesland School District, in Pitt County, and authorize it to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Dowd, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis,
Those voting in the negative, none.
The Speaker announces the following additions to committees:
To Committee on Corporations—Mr. Dowd.
To Regulation of Public Service Corporations—Messrs. Woodard, Dowd, and Ruffin.
To Committee on Constitutional Amendments—Dowd, Ruffin, and Woodard.
To Agriculture—Mr. Cromartie.
To Judiciary No. 1—Messrs. Woodard and Ruffin.
To Banks and Currency—Mr. Ruffin.
To Education—Mr. Ruffin.
To Oyster Interests—Mr. Hooker.
The Speaker names Mr. Wooten as Speaker pro tem.
On motion of Mr. Dellinger the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 10 a.m.

FOURTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 27, 1913.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Wooten, Speaker pro tem.
Prayer by Rev. McD. White.
The Journal of yesterday is read and stands approved.
Leave of absence was granted as follows: Messrs. Rodman, Allen, Cromartie, Mintz, Stevens, and Bennett.

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. Page, for Committee on Constitutional Amendments:
H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, with a favorable report, as amended, with a minority report attached.
By Mr. Carlton, for Committee on the Judiciary No. 1:
H. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the lien law of 1913, with a favorable report.
H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize any consul-general to take proofs of deeds, etc., with a favorable report, as amended.
By Mr. Justice, for Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations:
H. R. 44, resolution relating to uniform classification of freight by common carriers, with a favorable report.
H. B. 45, resolution relative to the Interstate Commerce Commission Act, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Majette, for Committee on Education:

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Angier High School District in Harnett County and to authorize it to issue bonds and to levy a special tax, 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. Wike, H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckasegee River.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Phillips, H. B. 122, a bill to be entitled an act appointing justices of the peace for Graham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Graham County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bumgarner, H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled an act relative to Wilkes County, to repeal chapter 593 of Public Local Laws of 1913 and amend Public Laws of 1911.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Clayton, H. B. 125, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Engelhard, chapter 48, Private Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Price, H. B. 126, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Walkersville church in Union County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bumgarner, H. B. 127, a bill to be entitled an act amending chapter 184 of the Private Laws of 1913, authorizing the board of county commissioners of Wilkes County to sell county home.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 128, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the vital statistics law.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the obstructing of the streams in Onslow County and to promote better drainage and health conditions.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks system in said town and levy taxes for payment thereof.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bunn, H. B. 131, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Hooker, H. B. 132, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 271 Public Local Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the better construction, maintaining and repairing public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Sheek, H. B. 133, a bill to be entitled an act to protect wild fowl and other game birds in Davie County.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Haymore, H. B. 134, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing and shipping of young calves for veal.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mewborne, H. B. 135, a bill to be entitled an act to create a road district of Hookerton Precinct, Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or road district and issuing bonds for the same.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 136, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 398 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to authorizing the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to submit a salary system to the voters of said county.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 137, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 142 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to permitting certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Coffield, H. B. 138, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint M. L. Martin a justice of the peace.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNider, H. B. 139, a bill to be entitled an act supplementary to and amendatory of "An act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Perquimans County."

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Boney, H. B. 140, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 97 of the Public Laws of 1913, extending the provisions of said chapter to Duplin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McClure, H. B. 141, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the county commissioners of Clay County, North Carolina.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Clark, H. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, regulating the holding of courts in Pitt County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Drexel in Burke County, contracting the corporate limits thereof.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 144, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 750 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Faircloth, H. B. 145, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in Six Runs River, Sampson County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act to license J. F. Reynolds, of Clinton, North Carolina, to practice as a veterinary surgeon within said town.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Mr. Capelle, H. B. 147, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, in respect of the public road laws of the county of Nash.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Mauney, H. B. 148, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of calves under one year of age.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Cromartie, H. B. 149, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 458, Public Local Laws of 1913.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to provide better railroad facilities for the people of the town of Jacksonville, North Carolina.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Stephenson, H. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the board of education of Northampton County to alter the boundary line of Lasker Special School District.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Bowie, H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Ashe County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 217, Private Laws of 1909.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Deaver, H. B. 154, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 71 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the recorder's court of Transylvania County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Cherry, H. B. 155, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John D. Lancaster a justice of the peace for Number Thirteen Township, Edgecombe County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, etc., for Jacksonville and authorize the issuance of bonds.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Cornwell, H. B. 157, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Bailey, Nash County.
Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 158, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the collection of costs and fees in the mayor's court in the town of Bailey, Nash County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wike, H. B. 158, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road laws of Jackson County so as to allow trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances, and for other purposes.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Whitford, H. B. 160, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 587 of the acts of the General Assembly of 1913, regular session, concerning fishing in Slocums Creek.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Noland, H. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the appointment of a justice of the peace for Pigeon Township in Haywood County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a road commission for Columbus County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina of the session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled an act to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Haymore, H. B. 165, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing recorder's court in Mount Airy Township in Surry County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 166, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff in Columbus County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hutchins, H. B. 167, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships, Yancey County, and empower the county commissioners to levy a special tax.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Ross, H. B. 168, a bill to be entitled an act relative to holding Superior Courts in Randolph County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bynum, H. B. 169, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 256 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Gaither, H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 822, Public Local Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Allen, H. B. 176, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the Superior Courts for Montgomery County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Young of Vance, H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debt heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bennett, H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the Deputy Register of Deeds of Forsyth County to administer oaths. Placed on the Calendar. H. B. 179, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 626 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 relative to fees in Forsyth County. The rules are suspended, 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 and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 33, H. B. 172, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913 relative to the holding of the Superior Courts of Stokes County. The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 28, H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 763 of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relative to primary elections in Pitt County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 35, H. B. 174, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay certain costs incurred before the grand jury. The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 10, H. B. 175, a bill to establish a stock law in Sampson County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 4, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 325 of the Public Local Laws of 1913. Passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 10, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907, applying to High Point Township only. Passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 48, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 812 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 relative to stock running at large in Avery County. The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 49, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 395 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the dog tax in Avery County.

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The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 52, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint J. R. Davenport a justice of the peace in Pactolus Township, Pitt County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 59, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of Public Local Laws of 1913, so as to make March term of Rowan Superior Court for the trial of civil cases exclusively.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 62, a bill to be entitled an act to make section 1662 of chapter 35 of Revival of 1905 of North Carolina applicable to Bertie County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the laws relative to the time for holding courts in Washington and Beaufort counties.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 54, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 617 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relating to salaries for the officers of Alamance County, so as to increase the school fund of Alamance County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 55, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the running of sawdust in certain streams in Graham County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 76 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the collection of taxes in Graham County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 94, a bill to be entitled an act to relieve the citizens of Catawba Springs Township, Lincoln County, from a certain tax and the issuance of bonds.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 752, section 4 thereof, of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to fishing in Duplin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 98, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in certain territories in Cherokee County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 109, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish free labor on the public roads in certain townships in Davidson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 111, S. B. 4, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws 1913, relating to the holding the courts of Halifax County.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 119, S. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Cotton Grove Township, Davidson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 67, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a fireman for the public heating plant and to employ other help.

Mr. Gordon offers a substitute, and the bill and substitute are recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 165, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing recorder's court in Mount Airy Township in Surry County.

The rules are suspended, and the bill is taken up for immediate consideration.

Mr. Haymore offers an amendment. Adopted, and as amended the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Gates County to designate some Gates County bank to act as treasurer to handle the good road funds.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 65, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1913 of the laws of North Carolina, session of 1847, being an act to incorporate the trustees of Danover Institute in the town of Yanceyville.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 69, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to elect cotton weighers for Hubert, Belgrade and Cross Roads in Onslow County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 75, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 646, Public Local Laws of 1900, by striking out "Union County."

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 79, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for holding one of the terms of Superior Court for Union County in the Thirteenth Judicial District, so that said court will not conflict with the call of said district in the Supreme Court.
The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 81, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint B. F. Parker a justice of the peace for Lanes Creek Township, in Union County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 70, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to remove and reinter certain dead bodies.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace in Wilkes County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the pay of jurors in the recorder's court for Stanly County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 84, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro and the board of commissioners of Wayne County to exempt from local taxation certain bond issues.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 90, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws 1913, in regard to courts to be held in Catawba County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 91, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of the public road crossings of Burke County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 114, S. B. 7, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of court stenographer for Halifax County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 115, S. B. 8, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 206 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and for other purposes.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 118, S. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 784, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relative to the improvement of the Public Roads of Sampson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 99, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the board of commissioners of Forsyth County to draw an additional number of jurors for service at the criminal and civil terms of courts of Forsyth County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 101, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the bonding of certain officers in Haywood County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 105, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale and delivery of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the salary of the Paymaster-General.

On motion of Mr. Dowd, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 93, a bill to be entitled an act for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis.

On motion, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Health.

H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act to create Micro Graded School District in Johnston County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 442, Public Laws 1909, and acts amendatory thereto, applying to the Parksville Drainage District No. 1, Perquimans County.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township and improve public roads in said township, if required by a majority of the voters of said county.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Coats Graded School of Coats, Harnett County, and allow it to vote on a special tax to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 201 of Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County."

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 61, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the drainage of Grants Creek in Rowan County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dowd, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gold, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Haymore, Hodges, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, Newell, Noland,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships in Onslow County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 72, a bill to be entitled an act to create a system of exclusive stock law boundaries by townships by vote of the citizens thereof for Jackson County, and to reduce taxes.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Boney, Bowie, Bolick, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 73, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 204, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock law in Cherokee County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 76, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs townships to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 77, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships in Duplin County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 78, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 269 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to bond issue for city of Monroe.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 85, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 164, section 1 thereof, relative to the town of Trenton.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Pink Hill Township in Lenoir County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the trustees of Sanford Graded Schools to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for special assessment for improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for special assessment for improving the sidewalks in the town of Clinton.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Cappelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dowd, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gold, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Haymore, Hodges, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Ross,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 103, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District No. 11 for the white and colored races of Columbus County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the board of drainage commissioners of Chadbourn Drainage District in the county of Columbus to acquire rights of way and outlets for drainage canals.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dowd, Etheridge, Fairecloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gold, Gordon,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 7, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 8, a bill to be entitled an act to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County, and to levy a tax and to create a sinking fund for said bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 13, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled an act to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County and to create a road commission therein," ratified on the 30th day of January, 1913.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911 to authorize an increase in the special tax for schools in the Faison Graded School District, Duplin County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 274 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Edgecombe County to submit to the qualified voters of said county, excepting that part embraced within the boundaries of the Rocky Mount Road District and Number Six Township or Whitakers Road District, the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of improving the public roads in said county."

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for the completion of its water and lighting systems, and for other purposes.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for street improvement and provide for a board of public works, and repeal an act ratified March 1, 1913, authorizing certain bond issues of the town of Wilson.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 198 of the Public
Local Laws, regular session of 1913, in reference to the construction of an iron bridge across the Yadkin River, the dividing line between the counties of Yadkin and Forsyth, at or near Huffman's ferry, formerly Glenn's ferry.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 41, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Grimesland School District in Pitt County, and to authorize it to issue bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Fairecloth, H. B. 117, S. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act establishing the office of highway commissioner for Sampson County, N. C., and H. B. 116, S. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse, are taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committees on Public Roads and Turnpikes and Counties, Cities, and Towns, respectively.

On motion of Mr. Page, H. B. 58, a bill to be entitled an act to secure semi-monthly payment of wages to employees of railroad shops and terminals, and to regulate the selling of merchandise by railroads to their employees, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Ray, H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Koonce, H. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships in Onslow County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, and H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Pink Hill Township, in Lenoir County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, are taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Mull, H. B. 9, S. B. 39, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton, so as to give said court civil jurisdiction, etc., is recalled from the Senate.

Mr. Mull introduces H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton, so as to give the said court civil jurisdiction and provide for a solicitor and jury for said court.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Williams of Cabarrus, the House adjourns to meet Monday, the 29th of September, 1913, at 12 M.

FIFTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 29, 1913.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Wooten, Speaker pro tem.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Maddry, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read and stands approved.

The Speaker names Messrs. McNair, Allred and Mull Journal Committee for the week.

Mr. Grier of Iredell moves that all bills pertaining to courts introduced
heretofore and all hereafter shall go to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

Motion carried, and it is so ordered.

Mr. Justice makes a report, under a resolution, of the Special Commission as to Freight Rates. He is permitted to make his report verbally, and that he also file as a part of said report for said Special Commission the transcribed record of a stenographer who takes his verbal report as he makes it to the House.

On motion of Mr. Justice, the report awaits the transcribing of the same and becomes then the report of said commission, to accompany any joint resolution that may hereafter be introduced.

A report is received from the Corporation Commission, in answer to a resolution as to railroad passes, which message is received and referred to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

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. Cox, for Committee on Health, H. B. 93, a bill to be entitled an act for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis, with a favorable report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills and find them properly engrossed as follows:

H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing, selling, and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Cox, H. R. 181, resolution to give the Corporation Commission power to control the intrastate freight rates of the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Mull, H. R. 182, joint resolution in favor of T. G. Cobb, Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Young of Harnett, H. B. 184, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace of Neills Creek Township, Harnett County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 185, a bill to be entitled an act to amend bill on Constitutional Amendments.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to give the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with recorders and police justices.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 792, Public Laws of 1907, as amended by chapter 861, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Dunn Road District.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Miller, H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act to create the Fallston-Belwood District in Cleveland County and to authorize subscription to railroad by same.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 189, a bill to be entitled an act to create Casar Railroad District in Cleveland County and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stock.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bunn, H. B. 191, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Thomas of Davidson, H. B. 192, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Davidson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Clayton, H. B. 193, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 98, Public Laws 1913, and to amend chapter 509, Public Laws of 1909, relating to drainage commission in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. McBryde, H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1 of chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the division of the State into judicial districts and the holding of courts therein.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Etheridge, H. B. 195, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the Superior Courts in Dare County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of the county of Wayne to make certain improvements upon the courthouse square.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Clark, H. B. 197, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stewart, H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subsection 30 of section 1318 of The Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relative to distribution of road funds where township lines have been changed.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Whitford, H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the public graded schools of New Bern and the issuance of bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of public graded school buildings.

Placed on the Calendar.
H. B. 200, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of New Bern, being chapter 82 of the Private Laws of 1899.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Gold, H. B. 201, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of R. E. Fentress.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.
By Mr. Foy, H. B. 202, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 533, Public Local Laws of 1911.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Hatchett, H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Caswell County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. McClure, H. B. 204, a bill to be entitled an act relating to stock law territory in Clay County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Williams of Buncombe, H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township in Buncombe County, and to levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.
By Mr. Faircloth, H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Kellum, H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the board of health of New Hanover County.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Dixon, H. B. 209, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at the session of 1913, relative to the public roads of Jones County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Hutchins, H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 603, Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled an act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Reavis, H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the powers of the board of county commissioners of Yadkin County for the purpose of improving the public roads.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Rodman, H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 424 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of public roads in the county of Beaufort.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Page, H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, affecting Superior Courts of Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
By Mr. Ruffin, H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Pennys Chapel, a baptist church in Franklin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Rodman, H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint T. A. Berry a justice of the peace in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Majette, H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrreell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Majette, H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 264 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 relating to hunting quail in Tyrrell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 338 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 relating to the public roads of Scuppernong Township of Tyrrell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the delivery of freight in the State.

Referred to the Committee on the Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Ruffin, H. B. 220, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Franklin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wooten, H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Dixon, H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 714 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 relative to salaries of county officers of Jones County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Cox, H. B. 223, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the office of county treasurer in Pitt County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hatchett, H. B. 224, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit vicious dogs from running loose in Caswell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1590 of The Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of contingent remainders.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Ray, H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain sales of real estate under mortgages, deeds of trust and other instruments.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Austin, H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Haymore, H. B. 228, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township, and to issue bonds in Surry County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Newell, H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Warren County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Killian, H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 659 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to game in Lincoln County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Porter, H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 307 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hutchins, H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 313, Private Laws of North Carolina 1911, as amended and reenacted by chapter 334, Private Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to Morganton Township road bonds in Burke County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 234, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of quail and partridge in Burke County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 235, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 758, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to free passage of fish in Linville River, Burke County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Payne, H. B. 236, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a recorder's court for Currituck County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Ruffin, H. B. 237, a bill to be entitled an act to exempt the mortgage bonds and other evidence of debts issued by educational institutions from taxation.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 238, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Joyners Chapel, Franklin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Porter, H. B. 239, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 652, section 1, relative to pay of jurors in Forsyth County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 240, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Forsyth County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Page, H. B. 241, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

By Mr. Gold, H. B. 242, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of High Point.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Boney, H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Warsaw, Duplin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 244, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the time of holding the Superior Court in Duplin County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Roberts, H. B. 245, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 110 of the Public Laws of 1911 relative to the salary of the adjutant-general.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Perry, H. B. 246, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 196, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the First Judicial District.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Buchanan, H. B. 247, a bill to be entitled an act to protect birds in Mitchell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Deaver, H. B. 248, a bill to be entitled an act to correct an error in chapter 709 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to working the public roads of Transylvania County, by amending the said chapter.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Clark, H. B. 249, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish free labor on the public roads of Pitt County under certain conditions.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Phillips, H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the registration of certain grants in the office of Secretary of State.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Austin, H. B. 251, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners for Stanly County to make an appropriation for the county fair.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 31 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to Norwood Graded School District, Center Township, Stanly County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Faircloth, by request, H. B. 253, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent depredations by domestic fowls and animals in the town of Roseboro, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Mintz, H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 802, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to stock law for Indian Springs Township, Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. B. 140, H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District No. 1 in Cleveland County, North Carolina.
The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Gordon, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock tonight.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess with Mr. Speaker Murphy in the chair, and resumes consideration of business.

On motion of Mr. Mull, H. B. 9, S. B. 39, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton, so as to give said court civil jurisdiction, etc., having been recalled from the Senate, is placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, and the vote by which it passed its third reading is reconsidered.

The bill is laid on the table.

Message from the Senate.

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

H. B. 23, S. B. 40, a bill to extend the general road law of Macon County to give Franklin Township and other amendments to the road law.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 38, H. B. 255, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 174, Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 53, H. B. 256, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace and a constable for the village of Whitnel, in the county of Caldwell, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 64, H. B. 257, a bill to be entitled an act for the working of convicts in Gaston County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 19, H. B. 258, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize an election in the city of Hendersonville on the question of issuing bonds for the purchase of a watershed and other purposes, and to repeal chapter 326 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 3, H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Durham to extend and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds necessary therefor.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 21, H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, North Carolina, ratified the 25th day of February, 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 22, H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of graded school trustees of Lenoir to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 17, H. B. 262, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 485 of the Public Laws of 1899, and to increase the tax levy for the graded school in the town of Waynesville.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 18, H. B. 263, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Henderson County to place certain moneys in the sinking fund of A. and S. Railroad bonds.

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. Bolick, H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 94, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the right of eminent domain.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act to create Micro Graded School District in Johnston County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 422 Public Laws 1909, and acts amendatory thereto, applying to the Parksville Drainage District No. 1, Perquimans County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the board of drainage commissioners of Chadburn Drainage District in the county of Columbus to acquire rights of way and outlets for drainage canals.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bolick, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Cox, Crisp, Deaver,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 164, section 1 thereof, relative to the charter of the town of Trenton.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township and improve public roads in said township, if required by a majority of the voters of said county.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Coats Graded School of Coats, Harnett County, and to allow it to vote on a special tax to issue bonds.
The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 201 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 61, bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the drainage of Grants Creek in Rowan County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 72, a bill to be entitled an act to create a system of exclusive stock law boundaries by townships, by vote of the citizens thereof, in Jackson County, and to reduce taxes.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 73, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 204, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock law in Cherokee County.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bolick, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mintz, Mull, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Roberts, Ross, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stevens, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wallace, Whitfield, Whitford, White, Wike, Williams of Cabarrus, Williamson,
Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of Vance—81.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 76, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs township to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 77, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships in Duplin County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 78, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 269 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to a bond issue for the city of Monroe.

The bill passes its third reading, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bolick, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 85, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the trustees of Sanford Graded Schools to issue bonds.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bolick, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mintz, Mull, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for special assessment for improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for special assessment for improving the sidewalks in the town of Trenton.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bolick, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellingier, Dixon, Doughton, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mintz, Mull, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Roberts, Ross, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 103, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District No. 11, for the white and colored races of Columbus County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 167, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships, Yancey County, and to empower the county commissioners of said county to levy a special tax.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 822, Public Local Laws of 1913 of North Carolina, relative to establishing drainage districts and drainage commissions in Catawba County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bolick, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debts heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Angier High School District in Harnett County, and to authorize it to issue bonds and to levy a special tax.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the road trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckaseigee River.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bolick, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Meck-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks system in said town, and levy taxes for payment thereof.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 132, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 271, Public Local Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the better construction, maintaining and repairing public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 135, a bill to be entitled an act to create a road district of Hookerton Precinct, Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or Road District, and to issue bonds for the same.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Austin, Bell,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Drexel in Burke County, contracting the corporate limits thereof.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for the building of a town hall, and for street improvement in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes.

As amended, the bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 159, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road laws of Jackson County, so as to allow trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances, and for other purposes.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a road commission for Columbus County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 166, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff in Columbus County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 80, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 545 of Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
Substitute for H. B. 100 and H. B. 137, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to permit certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer.

Mr. Koonce offers a substitute for the pending bill. 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. 122, a bill to be entitled an act appointing justices of the peace for Graham County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 relating to the time for holding courts in Graham County.

The bill is recommitted to the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled an act relative to Wilkes County to repeal chapter 593 of Public Local Laws of 1913 and amend Public Laws of 1911.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 125, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Engelhard, chapter 48, Private Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 136, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 398 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to authorizing the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to submit a salary system to the voters of said county.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 138, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint M. L. Martin a Justice of the peace of Coffey Township, Rutherford County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 139, a bill to be entitled an act supplementary to and amendatory of an act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Perquimans County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 140, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 97 of the Public Laws of 1913, extending the provisions of said law in Duplin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, regulating the holding of courts in Pitt County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 144, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 750 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to provide better railroad facilities for the people of the town of Jacksonville, N. C.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act to empower the board of education of Northampton County to alter the boundary line of Lasker Special School District.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Ashe County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the appointment of a justice of the peace for Pigeon Township in Haywood County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of the State of North Carolina of the session of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 169, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 256 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting and killing of squirrels in Chatham County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint T. A. Berry a justice of the peace in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 264 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting quail in Tyrrell County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 220, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Franklin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 128, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the vital statistics law.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 131, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 134, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing and shipping of young calves for veal.

Several amendments are offered. Mr. Haymore offers a substitute.

On motion, the bill, amendments, and the substitute and H. B. 148 are ordered recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the lien laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize any consul-general to take proofs of deeds, etc.

The bill, as amended, 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 for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 126, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Walkerville Church, in Union County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 127, a bill to be entitled an act amending chapter 184 of the Private Laws of 1913, authorizing the board of county commissioners to sell the county home.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the obstruction of the streams in Onslow County and to promote better drainage and health conditions.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 145, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate fishing in Six Runs River, Sampson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 147, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 in respect to the public road laws of the county of Nash.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 149, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 458, Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the deputy register of deeds of Forsyth County to administer oaths.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 184, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Mills Creek Township, Harnett County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 191, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a certain justice of the peace for Wake County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 192, a bill to be entitled an act to protect game in Davidson County.
The bill 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 commissioners of the county of Wayne to make certain improvements upon the courthouse square.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 197, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 6, chapter 782 of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 202, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 533, Public Local Laws of 1911.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Caswell County.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 204, a bill to be entitled an act relating to stock law territory in Clay County, N. C.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 313, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1911, as amended and reënacted by chapter 334, Private Laws of 1913.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 234, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Burke County.
The bill 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 repeal chapter 758, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to free passage of fish in Linville River, Burke County.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 251, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners for Stanly County to make an appropriation to the county fair.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 253, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent depredations by domestic fowls and animals in the town of Roseboro, N. C.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 249, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish free labor on the Public Roads of Pitt County under certain conditions.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 157, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Bailey, Nash County.

The bill 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 provide for the collection of costs and fees in the mayor's court in the town of Bailey, Nash County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 160, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 587 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1913, regular session, concerning fishing in Slocumbs Creek.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 236, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a recorder's court for Currituck County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 238, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Joyners chapel, Franklin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 239, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 652, section 1, relative to pay of jurors in Forsyth County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 240, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Forsyth County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Warsaw, Duplin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 247, a bill to be entitled an act to protect birds in Mitchell County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Warren County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 659 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to game in Lincoln County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 307 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 714 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to salaries of county officers of Jones County. The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 223, a bill to be entitled an act to abolish the office of the county treasurer in Pitt County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 224, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit vicious dogs from running loose in Caswell County.

The bill 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 chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the powers of the board of county commissioners of Yadkin County for the purpose of improving the public roads.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Perry's Chapel, a Baptist church, in Franklin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 217, Private Laws of 1909.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 154, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 71 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the recorder's court of Transylvania County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 155, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John D. Lancaster a justice of the peace for Number Thirteen Township, Edgecombe County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled an act to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library.

The bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Mr. Weatherspoon the House adjourns until tomorrow at 11 a. m.
SIXTH DAY.

House of Representatives, September 30, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Barber, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read and stands approved.

Mr. Doughton presents a report from the Rules Committee, which report is adopted.

The report of Mr. Justice, continued from yesterday, is presented, accepted, and ordered spread on the Journal.

The report follows:

To the House of Representatives.

The Special Commission on Freight Rates submits to the House the following, for its information.

Justice, for the Commission.

Greensboro, N. C., September 20, 1913.

To His Excellency, Locke Craig, Governor,

Raleigh, N. C.

Dear Governor: Replying to your request of the 19th, we beg to say that we have examined the proposition of the railroads submitted to you through the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

The suggested reduction of rates on inbound western business is substantial.

We should be constantly advertent to the fact, however, that the establishment of the State's policy that there shall be no greater charge for a short haul than for a long, the short haul being included in the long and both hauls being in the same direction, where the freight hauled is of the same kind and quantity, and absolutely essential to the ultimate adjustment of our troubles upon any systematic plan, or indeed upon any plan except one that is purely arbitrary, but while this is true, pending the establishment of this principle by the Interstate Commerce Commission or by Congress as a national policy, it may be wise to take from the railroads as a temporary adjustment on western business for the term of two years a reduction less than we are justly entitled to, if this can be secured without a surrender of principle.

The aggregate amount that would be saved to the State of North Carolina under the proposition submitted by the railroads, if put into effect, is so great that we feel it ought not to be hastily or inconsiderately rejected, and that certain features of the proposition which render it optional with the railroads to refuse to put even the proposed rates into effect after the General Assembly has adjourned, were removed, it would be our disposition to enter into a consideration of the proposition, with the sincere hope of putting the reduction proposed by the railroads into effect, pending the settlement of the principle with reference to long and short hauls which might result in greater reduction, or at least which might remove arbitrary discriminations and extortion.
A careful analysis of the details of the proposition which would result in accurate opinion as to whether or not the rates proposed are just to all points in North Carolina is difficult, for the reason that the railroad companies have delayed in making their proposition until the very eve of the special session of the Legislature, and there is great danger of the negotiations defeating the reforms in rates which the Legislature has power to make. Whatever is done with respect to the railroad companies' proposition must be done speedily, lest the consideration of it will necessarily divert the attention of the General Assembly from other important matters with reference to rates and stand in the way of working out such reforms.

It is stated in the proposition submitted by the railroads to the North Carolina Corporation Commission that it is "subject to the understanding between representatives of the State and representatives of the carriers in conference in Raleigh on February 26, 1913."

That proposal made by the railroads is to us perfectly clear, and to avoid any misunderstanding about its terms you dictated to this Commission a response to the proposal, stating that we understood it to mean, and the response in this response was reported to the General Assembly.

After the General Assembly had adjourned serious difference arose between us and the representatives of the carriers and the traffic managers of the roads and others who were present representing them, on April 19th, as to what this proposition meant. It was stated in the proposition, In substance, that substantial reduction would be made by the railroads on freight from the west, and that the carriers would withdraw from business to Virginia cities, and that the reduction in rates agreed upon would be submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission with the request that these rates be approved. We were willing that this last step should be taken, because the act of Congress requires the rates to be submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission for their approval in any event.

It was never contemplated, however, that the rates so agreed upon should be contingent upon a holding of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and that if Tennessee and South Carolina complain that they were entitled to reductions, that the North Carolina situation would not influence the Interstate Commerce Commission upon such applications. This we understand to be the contention of some of the representatives of the roads now. Of course the Interstate Commerce Commission is not going to prejudge any case that might be brought by Tennessee and South Carolina before such case arises, and if we were not to get any relief under the proposal of the railroads that unless and until the Interstate Commerce Commission agrees that the reduction of rates to North Carolina will not affect the rates in South Carolina and Tennessee, then the proposition of the railroads is utterly meaningless.

Inasmuch as the condition as above quoted from the proposition of the carriers caused serious misunderstanding because of the insistence by the railroads of their construction of it is shown, and inasmuch as the railroad companies have the power to refuse to put in the rates unless there is compliance with their construction of the proposition of February 26th, we think that this condition ought to be eliminated altogether.

The recent proposition of the carriers also contains this condition: Then
the State shall not in the "meantime adopt punitive or retaliatory measures against the carriers."

The experience of the members of this Commission who have been members of the General Assembly is that all measures which the carriers oppose are in their judgment unfair, retaliatory and punitive. If we were to accept this proposition with this condition then we would abrogate the State sovereignty to the railroads for a period of two years, and, having become accustomed to this subserviency and humiliation, it would probably be hard for the State to again regain its self-respect.

Of course if the State insisted that measures for the relief of the people were not retaliatory, and the carriers insist that they were, then the carriers could arbitrarily refuse to reduce the rates because they had determined that the measures were retaliatory. In such an event there would be no tribunal to which to refer the questions as to whether the measures were arbitrary and retaliatory, and therefore the railway companies could refuse to reduce rates at all, or, having reduced them, could arbitrarily restore them and give as the excuse that the State had broken faith.

The insistence of the carriers in North Carolina, upon having dealt out to them what they are pleased to call fair treatment, and the fact that the people of North Carolina were too busy to know about the merits of the controversy, has already given the carriers in North Carolina too great an influence with respect to the laws of this State, but we believe that the people of North Carolina are sufficiently informed now about this technical subject to be able to judge with satisfaction to themselves what is just, even though they can not bring the carriers to agree with them, and certainly this question ought not to be referred to the carriers as would be, in effect, done if we accept their proposition with the condition last quoted as a part of it.

If the State is sovereign in this matter and lets the special session of the Legislature pass without exercising its power to secure just treatment for the people of North Carolina, it would be very analogous to the position Samson was in after his locks were cut and he was blind.

We do not desire, however, by this answer to your letter to interpose unjustly or improperly any obstacles to an adjustment with the carriers of any interstate freight charges, and we are sure that if the carriers are sincerely desirous of giving to North Carolina fair treatment, that in that event they will not withhold proper reductions on interstate rates because the State refuses to surrender its power with respect to the matters over which it has jurisdiction.

We have asked Mr. J. C. Forrester, Secretary of the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. J. F. Ryan, Secretary of the Southern Furniture Manufacturers' Association, rate experts, to examine the proposition submitted by the carriers to the North Carolina Corporation Commission, and make such comments, and particularly with respect to technical phases of it, as in their opinion will be helpful to us and to you in an understanding of it. We hand you herewith their comments.

While it is not advisable to extend this report by pointing out that some points in North Carolina are out of harmony with the general plan of reduction on western freights proposed by the carriers, we wish to say that we
think this point should have attention, provided the carriers should see their way clear to submit their proposal in definite form and indicate a time when they will put the reduced rates into effect.

The suggestion of the carriers that the State accept certain reductions on eastern rates, provided the carriers, after negotiations with their communicating lines find themselves in a position to propose such reductions, does not appeal to us, as we think the contingency upon which the suggested reduction is based may or may not happen. If the carriers who have made this proposition find as much difficulty in inducing the trunk lines to reduce their rates to Virginia cities as the State has found in inducing these carriers making this proposal to reduce the proportional south of Virginia cities, we fear it will be a long time before the condition is met upon which the carriers will reduce eastern rates.

Independent of whether the northern roads connecting with the carriers making this proposition reduce their rates, we are thoroughly satisfied that the proportional south of Virginia cities is abnormally high, and that these carriers should reduce this proportional, which is absolutely under their control and with which connecting carriers have no concern.

As you know, every member of this Commission, as well as yourself, has, at all times since the adjournment of the regular session of the General Assembly, urged upon the carriers the importance of negotiations looking to a reduction of interstate rates.

This Commission's power to negotiate and its duty to report to the General Assembly its proceedings and any recommendation it might desire to make, and particularly its power to negotiate, was based upon the urgent request of these carriers, and it is a source of very great regret to us that any proposition substantially reducing rates has been delayed so long, and that it is connected with so many conditions and contingencies as to make it very difficult for us to give it that degree of attention that the magnitude of this matter requires.

We shall be very glad to contribute anything we can to a just adjustment of these matters, but, as has been so well said by you, peace is desirable, but peace without honor is intolerable.

No member of this Commission is disposed to be resentful toward the carriers, or to permit anything but the welfare of the State to control us in taking any action or making any recommendation.

If we should recommend the acceptance of the proposal, and after the General Assembly has adjourned it should be discovered that by reason of conditions that can never be met, the proposition of the carriers, which, like the fruits of the Dead Sea, looked well at a distance, should crumble to ashes at the touch, and no reduction at all should follow, the people of North Carolina would rightfully condemn us as being inefficient or unfaithful servants.

There is considerable ambiguity in the proposition as pointed out by Messrs. Forrester and Ryan in the accompanying paper, and this should be remedied and a time limit should be fixed for putting the proposed rates into effect, and all the conditions which may defeat entirely the carrying into effect of the proposal should be eliminated by the carriers from their proposition.
Of course the entire understanding between the carriers and those representing the State should be reduced to writing, so that nothing will be left to inference.

CONCLUSIONS.

Our conclusion, therefore, is that the conditions and ambiguities pointed out by us should be removed by the carriers, in writing, and that they should agree to put the proposed western rates into effect within sixty days; and when this is done the General Assembly could well afford to declare that it will be the policy of the State to allow these rates to remain as so fixed for a period of two years. The State should make clear that such an adjustment does not in any sense restrict the State in its power to act with respect to any other rates or any other matter, and that there is no express or implied obligation on the State to do or refrain from doing anything else it may deem wise and proper.

The benefits so received by the State will be inadequate but the aggregate amount of the reduction will be substantial and the condition that the State will not disturb these particular rates for two years is not so serious or objectionable as to justify the declination of the proposal.

September 20, 1913.

E. J. Justice, Chairman;
W. B. Councill,
N. B. Broughton,
Special Commission.

GREENSBORO, September 20, 1913.

Hon. E. J. Justice, Chairman Legislature Commission,
Greensboro, N. C.

DEAR SIR: We submit herewith as complete analysis of the latest proposition of the railroads as the limited time at our disposal would permit:

CINCINNATI-LOUISVILLE.

First. On western traffic, reductions are proposed only on traffic from western points, from which rates are made by combination on Ohio and Mississippi River crossings. This would result in no reduction from a wide territory west of the Buffalo-Pittsburg territory which now base on Virginia cities.

To illustrate: The rates from Grand Rapids, Detroit, Akron, Cleveland and many other important points in Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, etc., will be full sum of the local rates to and from Virginia cities.

Suggestion: That basing rates published from Virginia cities in Agent J. A. Ryan's I. C. C. No. 1 be reissued, establishing proportional rates on the basis used south of the Virginia gateways in constructing the rates proposed from Cincinnati and Louisville to North Carolina points, which would result in same reduction in cents per hundred pounds as proposed from Ohio and Mississippi River crossings on traffic originating in the States of Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas, Louisiana and west thereof where specific through rates are not published and lower rates can not be made on Ohio and Mississippi River crossings.
The printed report of the Corporation Commission of August 5th, on pages 9 and 16, provided for rates to Fayetteville on the same basis as Zone 2, but not to increase the present rates. This would result in reductions as follows:

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The memorandum of the railroads published in the same report makes no specific reference to Fayetteville.

The proposition of the railroads of September 12th specifically excludes reductions to Fayetteville.

Suggestions: The rates to Fayetteville ought not to exceed Zone 2 rates in any case.

Notwithstanding the fact that the proposition of the railroads does not entirely eliminate discrimination against North Carolina, we are of the opinion that the proposition, in so far as it relates to the rates from Cincinnati and Louisville and points basing thereon, the reductions offered to the State as a whole are substantial and based on the limited analysis we have had time to make, we are disposed, with the following exceptions, to recommend its acceptance.

Exceptions: Rates to be established without tying the hands of the State with respect to any other traffic, or requiring the State to become a party to any proceedings of any character before the Interstate Commerce Commission; and further, that appropriate consideration be given the claims of points not specifically provided for as being located in zones.

TERRITORY LYING IN AND EAST OF BUFFALO-PITTSBURG TERRITORY.

Second. No definite reductions are offered except on iron and steel articles from Pittsburg three and four cents per hundred pounds on carloads, and two and one-half cents per hundred on less than carloads. With this exception no reductions have been definitely offered. The reductions which the carriers suggest that they may possibly offer from Buffalo and Pittsburg appear to be reasonably satisfactory on the first three classes, while on other classes the possible reductions are but two or three cents per hundred pounds, and are small as compared with the reductions offered on Cincinnati traffic.

From New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore we understand the suggested reductions are simply reducing the present rates to the sum of the local rates to and from Norfolk, and even this concession is made contingent upon negotiations with their northern connections.

We are unable to understand why it is necessary to consult their connections in this case, which is specifically prohibited by the fourth section of the Act to Regulate Commerce, and the ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission. To reduce through rates to the sum of the locals is not a concession. The Interstate Commerce Commission has repeatedly ruled that through rates should be less than the sum of the local rates to and from intermediate points.

The railroads, in their proposition of September 12th, cite striking illustrations of through rates being in excess of the sum of intermediate locals as follows:

From New England points—hardware, 7 cents.
From various points—molasses and glucose, 1½ to 5 cents.
From Pittsburg territory—glassware, 11 cents.
From New York and Philadelphia—crackers, canned goods and soap, from 3 to 5 cents.
Because of the above facts in regard to eastern rates, we contend that no definite proposition has been submitted which the State can accept or reject.

**OUTBOUND RATES TO OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RIVER CROSSINGS.**

The class rates proposed by the railroads as maxima from any point in North Carolina, being approximately the same as the maximum rates from the Ohio River, would be reasonably satisfactory at this time on articles moving under class rates, but until such time as the railroads indicate from what points they propose to apply these maximum rates and what specific rates they propose to make from other points, intelligent comment is impossible. If the railroads submit a satisfactory scale of class rates, acceptance by the State should not preclude the State from taking appropriate action to secure equitable and nondiscriminatory rates to western points on products produced in North Carolina.

In conclusion, we do not believe that the proposition as a whole can be accepted by the State as a settlement of the North Carolina rate situation, as no definite and clear-cut offer has been made as to many rates and as out-bound rates have not been considered in detail and for other reasons pointed out in the above. We do believe, however, that the proposition of the railroads as to Cincinnati, Louisville and points basing thereon and related thereto would be acceptable for a two years period, provided the acceptance would not tie the hands of the State as to other adjustments, and if the objectionable stipulations proposed by the carriers incident to its acceptance are eliminated.

In the above we have not attempted to go into the merits of each individual rate, but have considered the proposition from a Statewide viewpoint.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) J. T. Ryan,

(Signed) J. C. Forrester.

*To the Honorable the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina.*

In compliance with the resolution of the House, of date September 26th, I communicated with Mr. W. W. Finley, President of the Southern Railway Company, calling his attention to the report made by the Special Legislative Commission to the Governor, of date September 26th, which report was subsequently presented to the House of Representatives for its information.

The representatives of certain carriers joined Mr. Finley in his reply to my communication. There now seems to be no ground for difference or misunderstanding as to what the proposal of the carriers means. The reply to my letter meets each point I raised, and as I asked that any other point of difference between the carriers and the Special Commission which occurred to Mr. Finley should be indicated, and none was indicated, the carriers can not hereafter reasonably disagree with the construction placed on the proposal in the conclusion by the Special Commission.
Any idea of the State being restricted in its power and right to legislate is entirely negatived by the position taken by this Special Commission in its report, which report was sent to Mr. Finley, and which he had before him when the letter of the carriers of September 28th was written to me.

The State, by accepting the proposal does nothing more than agree that it shall be the policy of the State not to disturb for a term of two years the freight charges of western traffic on which reductions are proposed to be made.

The only contingency suggested by the carriers which may interfere with putting into effect the reduced rates proposed is mentioned in the reply of the carriers.

As the consent of the Interstate Commerce Commission is necessary to permit a violation of the long and short haul principle, as the carriers assert, in their letter of September 28, 1913, that the putting of the lower rates into effect, as they propose, violates that principle, that unless the Interstate Commerce Commission allows it to do so the rates can not be lowered as proposed.

It seems clear that the State is left entirely free to take such course as it deems right on outgoing freight, except on furniture, on which rates are proposed to be reduced, and on incoming freight other than the western freight on which rates are reduced, and with respect to all intrastate matters, without any embarrassment, and it is made certain that there is no implied understanding and nothing is left to inference.

The communications between me and the carriers are attached hereto. The report of the Special Commission and this report, together with the attached papers, should be spread on the Journal of the House for preservation, as these, together with the message of the Governor, state fully what the situation is.

This September 29, 1913.

(Signed) E. J. Justice,
Chairman of the Special Commission.

Raleigh, N. C., September 27, 1913.

To Mr. W. W. Finley, President,
Southern Railway Company,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: The House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina adopted a resolution on September 26 which reads as follows:

"Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the Chairman of the Special Legislative Commission, which was appointed to investigate injustices in freight charges, he being a member of the House, be requested to communicate with some authoritative representative of the carriers referred to in the Governor's message, with the purpose of ascertaining for the information of the House whether the conclusion in the report of said Special Commission this day made to the House, with which conclusion the Governor's message is in accord, will be carried out by the carriers as indicated in said conclusion, and that he report to the House not later than Monday, the 29th day of September, 1913."

The portion of the conclusion referred to in the foregoing resolution material for your consideration under the terms of this resolution, reads as follows:
“Our conclusion, therefore, is that the conditions and ambiguities pointed out by us should be removed by the carriers, in writing, and that they should agree to put the proposed western rates into effect within sixty days; and when this is done the General Assembly could well afford to declare that it will be the policy of the State to allow these rates to remain as so fixed for a period of two years.”

The other portion of the conclusion referred to is a statement of the State's position, as the Commission understood it, and was inserted to make its position clear.

The "conditions and ambiguities" referred to in the foregoing language quoted from the report of the Special Commission are set out fully in the report of the Commission, first, with reference to the submission to the Interstate Commerce Commission of the question of the reduction proposed; and second, the condition, with reference to so-called "retaliatory and punitive legislation," as it is expressed in your proposal to the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

The report of the Special Commission referred to was made to the Governor on September 20th, and since that time it is the understanding that these conditions have been eliminated.

The ambiguity referred to is mentioned on page six of the report, being comments of Messrs. Ryan and Forrester, which accompany the report made to the Governor by the Special Commission.

It is understood that it is the position of the carriers that the proposal of the railroads meet this criticism of Messrs. Ryan and Forrester, and that under the proposal the situation, with respect to the extent of reduction on western rates, is as contended by them should be the case, and include western freights from the territory mentioned, which bases on Virginia cities as well as other freights from the western territory based on other points.

It is the view of the Commission, of which I have the honor to be chairman, and I believe that it is the view of the General Assembly, that there should be no ground left for misunderstanding between the carriers and the representatives of the State, and it is with this purpose in view that it is desired to have your confirmation of our understanding as expressed herein. If there is any other point upon which you think there is doubt about the position of the representatives of the State and the carriers being the same, I would be glad for you to call it to my attention, and I assure you that I will appreciate your response to this communication in time for me to comply with the direction of the House of Representatives to report not later than the 29th of September. I accompany this with a printed copy of our report to the Governor, which was later made to the House, though I understand from Mr. Henry W. Miller that he has already transmitted this report to you.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) E. J. Justice.
Hon. E. J. Justice,
Raleigh, N. C.

DEAR SIR:—Mr. Finley received only this morning your letter of the 27th instant, although he learned yesterday through Mr. Miller that you had mailed him such a letter.

Mr. Finley being, as you will understand, without authority to speak on behalf of all the North Carolina carriers, a conference with such executives of other companies as were available was at once sought, so that an answer, as authoritative as possible, might be sent you in time for you to receive it, as you request, by tomorrow, the 29th instant.

Referring to your inquiries, which are as follows:

1. Whether the proposed rates on western traffic are confined to the traffic from western points on which rates are made by combination on Ohio and Mississippi River crossings or includes also traffic from territory west of the Buffalo-Pittsburg territory as to which the rates now base on Virginia cities.

This point is dealt with on the first page of the carriers' proposal of September the 12th, as follows:

"RATES FROM THE WEST.

"This heading is intended to embrace points on and north of the Ohio River, and points west of the Buffalo-Pittsburg zone and points west of the Mississippi River, from which rates are made by combination on the Ohio and Mississippi River crossings."

The qualifying expression here used, namely, "from which rates are made by combination on Ohio and Mississippi River crossings," applies only to the following words in the paragraph referred to, namely, "points west of the Mississippi River," and are not intended to apply to the remainder of the clause, namely, "points on and north of the Ohio River, west of the Buffalo-Pittsburg zone." The proposal, therefore, means that proportional rates proposed to be established south of Virginia cities will apply on traffic from points west of Buffalo-Pittsburg zone whether basing on Ohio River crossings or basing on Virginia cities.

We note your reference to putting the proposed western rates into effect within sixty days. The situation in regard to that is this: The procedure required by the interstate commerce law to put the rates into effect and the provisions of the fourth section of that law will require, as a preliminary, a statement of the matter in general terms to the Interstate Commerce Commission for the purpose of obtaining its permission, necessary under the fourth section, to put the rates into effect so far as the provisions of the long and short haul clause are concerned. When that permission shall have been obtained it will be necessary to work up the changes in traffic, one of which now has 502 pages, and after the amended tariffs are printed to file them with the Interstate Commerce Commission. We should hope to be able to accomplish the filing of these tariffs with the Interstate Commerce Commission within sixty days after relief by that Commission from the
provisions of the long and short haul clause is obtained. Certainly it will be done in good faith and just as quickly as is physically practicable to accomplish the work. The Interstate Commerce Law requires that thirty days shall elapse after the rates are thus filed before they go into effect unless the Commission shall see fit to shorten this period.

2. Whether it is the understanding of the carriers that that portion of the agreement with the representatives of the State made in Raleigh on February 26th has been eliminated which requires that a ruling shall be obtained by the State from the Interstate Commerce Commission that the effect of any rates agreed upon shall not extend beyond the limits of North Carolina so as to affect reductions in other States.

It is true that that principle was agreed upon at Raleigh in the February agreement, it being expressly provided therein that an order was to be obtained from the Interstate Commerce Commission which would protect the carriers from reductions in their rates to other territory caused by any reductions which might be agreed upon to North Carolina points.

When the Governor, through Mr. Travis of the Corporation Commission, conveyed to us the suggestion that the Interstate Commerce Commission might hesitate to make such an order, and that an insuperable obstacle might thereby be created to making the proposed rates effective, the carriers accepted the Governor's suggestion and agreed to eliminate the clause referred to.

3. Whether it is the understanding of the carriers that the expressed proviso in their proposition of September 12th has been eliminated which provided that if the proposal of the carriers was accepted there should be no punitive or retaliatory legislation on the part of the State.

The facts in regard to this are that the proposal of the carriers, dated September 12th, as originally submitted, and which the Legislative Commission doubtless had before them when preparing their report to the Governor, did contain a proviso to that effect. The Governor, however, before making his recommendation to the Legislature, conveyed to the carriers, through Mr. Travis an objection to this language. Our understanding was that the Governor objected to even the appearance of contracting away the freedom of the State in respect to legislation, and the carriers, accepting the Governor's view, consented to the elimination of the clause relating to punitive and retaliatory legislation, and this was accordingly done. It is not the intention of the carriers to be technical in regard to this matter. They have proposed to make these reductions in order to meet, as far as practicable, the desire and will of the people of North Carolina, hoping thereby to secure their good will and to establish entirely harmonious relations with the State. In order to do this they have proposed to make great sacrifices in their earnings, sacrifices that they could not afford to make except for the purpose of securing the good will of the people and the harmonious relations which they so much desire. Having gone so far in a spirit of compromise to meet the wishes of the people, the carriers are relying for their protection not on any contract with the State, for there is none, but upon the sense of fairness and justice of the representatives of the people and upon the faith that, if the State should accept the proposal, such course
will thereafter be pursued by the State as would be in keeping with the spirit of the settlement and just, fair and equitable under the circumstances.

Yours very truly,

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY,
By (Signed) T. M. EMERSON, President.
SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY,
By (Signed) C. R. CAPPS, Vice-President.
SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY,
By (Signed) W. W. FINLEY, President.

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. Ray, for Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
H. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act to license J. T. Reynolds, of Clinton, North Carolina, to practice as a veterinary surgeon within said town, with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 83, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint William L. Byrd a veterinary surgeon in Duplin County, with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 193, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 98, Public Laws of 1913, and to amend chapter 509, Public Laws 1909, relative to drainage commission in Hyde County, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Patton for Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 802, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to stock law for Indian Springs Township, Wayne County, with an unfavorable report.
By Mr. Grier of Mecklenburg, for Committee on Pensions:
H. B. 201, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of R. E. Fentress, with a favorable report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills and find them properly engrossed as follows:

H. B. 165, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township, Surry County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:
By Mr. Crisp, H. R. 266, joint resolution in regard to extra pay for the pages of the Senate and of the House of Representatives.
Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. Seawell, H. R. 267, joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 761
of the Public Local Laws of 1913, as to wholesale druggists in Guilford County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dunning, H. B. 269, a bill to be entitled an act to protect Smithwick Creek Baptist church in the county of Martin.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 270, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint three justices of the peace in Columbus County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the squirrel law of Wayne County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, H. B. 272, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 610, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting in Scotland County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Wilson, H. B. 273, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of blind and deaf students.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 274, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wines, ciders and all intoxicants within two miles from the Baptist church at Hinsons Cross Roads in Columbus County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 275, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the commissioners of Columbus County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Woodard, H. B. 276, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Toisnot to that of Elm City.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bunn, H. B. 277, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of the public and regulating public shows.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 278, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the State of North Carolina to pay to the city of Raleigh assessments on pavings laid in front of State property.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. McClure, H. B. 279, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws regular session of 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville in Clay County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Carlton, H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 591, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the game laws of Rowan County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hutchins, H. B. 281, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, ratify, approve and confirm chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, entitled an act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Vance County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Williamson, H. B. 282, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter
791 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, prohibiting ticket scalping in Columbus County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 283, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 52 of Public Laws of general session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 284, a bill to be entitled an act to establish an inferior court for Columbus County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Etheridge, H. B. 285, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Croatan Township, Dare County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Ruflin, H. B. 286, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Company.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McBryde, H. B. 287, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider within two miles of Shiloh Presbyterian church in Hoke County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gaither, H. B. 288, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 435 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to salaries in Catawba County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 289, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the disposition of any money received from sale of books by the State Librarian.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bumgarner, by request, H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the graded school charter of the town of North Wilkesboro.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Thomas of Anson, H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Wadesboro.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Miller, H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Eight Township in said county the question of levying a special road tax for the improvement and building of the public roads and highways in said township.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Majette, H. B. 293, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 624 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the recorder's court of Tyrrell County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Kellum, H. B. 294, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the sale of beer in New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Wallace, H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 969, Public Laws of 1907, and chapter 585, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the oyster industry.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Clement, H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide good roads in Enfield Township, Halifax County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Young of Harnett, H. B. 297, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the appointment and duties of cotton weighers for the town of Dunn in Harnett County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNider, H. B. 298, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 107, Public Laws 1913, applicable to Perquimans County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Austin, H. B. 299, a bill to be entitled an act to protect animals and game in Fairview Park, Stanly County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNider, H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the convicts of Perquimans County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 301, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the State hospitals at Raleigh and Goldsboro a sufficient maintenance fund and certain improvements for the State Hospital at Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 302, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 402 of the Private Laws of North Carolina 1913 relative to the propagation of diamond back terrapin in Carteret County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Roberts, H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of West Asheville in the county of Buncombe.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Griffin, H. B. 304, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 803 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the salaries of county officers of Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Whitfield, H. B. 305, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 214, Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to increase of the salaries of the clerk of the Superior Court of Person County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the Superior Courts of Lee County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1747 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, affecting the registration of grants.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to call an election to submit to the qualified voters of Lee County the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of the roads of said county.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for improvement districts and for street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Faircloth, H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to revise the charter of the town of Clinton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ross, by request, H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

By Mr. Haymore, H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 253 of the Private Acts of the session of the General Assembly of 1911.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Machinery Act of 1913, with reference to settlement of state taxes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 315, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to charter of town of Morganton.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Clark, H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 144 of the Public Laws of 1908 and to establish a uniform passenger rate of two cents per mile.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. McBryde, H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a suitable building by the Department of Agriculture.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Bellamy, H. B. 318, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the deer law of Brunswick County.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the hiring out of convicts by the State unless a good and sufficient bond is given to indemnify the State.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Porter, H. B. 320, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a medical depository for the city of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McNair, H. B. 321, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of game birds in Robeson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Cox, H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 437 of the Private Acts of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Woodard, H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bell, H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 84 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Austin, H. B. 325, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dellinger, H. B. 326, a bill to be entitled an act relative to drainage in Gaston County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Britton, H. B. 327, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Bertie County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hodges, H. B. 328, a bill to be entitled an act to require the commissioners of Watauga County to construct two public bridges in said county, one across Watauga River at or near Valle Crucis, and one across New River near Three Forks church.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Porter, H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 336 of the Private Laws of 1911.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hutchins, H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the division of the State into judicial districts and for holding the courts therein.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Boney, H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Smiths Township, Duplin County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Stevens, H. B. 332, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the cutting and felling of trees or brush in the waters of the run of Brooks Swamp, Wayne County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Foy, H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 541 of Public Laws of 1901, giving the commissioners of the town of Burgaw authority to construct and maintain a fence around said town, and to levy a tax for the same.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Kellum, H. B. 334, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 561 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to placing the officers of New Hanover County on salary.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Kellum, H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 509 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 relative to elections in New Hanover County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Pickard, H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the number of the board of commissioners for the county of Orange.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Noland, H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 755 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the pay of the commissioners of Haywood County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Allred, H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2721 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to working public roads in Johnston County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Allred, H. B. 339, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District" and to ratify the election held May 14, 1913, for the issuance of the bonds authorized by said act, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Long, H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate and amend the charter of the town of Elon College.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Price, H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 411 of the Private Laws, session 1911, and to provide for a change in the management and control of the Wesly Chapel Special School District.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Miller, H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled and act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Cleveland County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Bellamy, H. B. 359, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the commissioners of navigation and pilotage, coming under section 7 of Article 14 of the Constitution of North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled an act to construct and maintain good roads in North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 361, a bill to be entitled an act to make Town Creek in Brunswick County a lawful fence only from the mouth of said creek to Indigo Creek in said county.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. R. 176, H. R. 265, joint resolution to invite the President of the United States to deliver the address at the dedication of the monument to the North Carolina Women of the Confederacy donated to the State by Colonel Ashley Horne.

The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 15, H. B. 343, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Dublin in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 24, H. B. 344, a bill to be entitled an act to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax and to create a sinking fund for said bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 29, H. B. 345, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of
county commissioners of Forsyth County to issue bonds to pay its debts, contracted in building its present courthouse.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 32, H. B. 346, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to a franchise tax on corporations.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. E'. 34, H. B. 347, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton in Rutherford County.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 36, H. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow $35,000 to enlarge its light plant.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 119, H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled an act to restore sections 10, 11, 12, and 13 of chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1903, relative to the city of Washington.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 120, H. B. 350, a bill to be entitled an act to give the mayor and aldermen of the city of Washington, North Carolina, authority to pay the chief of police what his services are worth.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 121, H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the amount of bond for the County Treasurer.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 122, H. B. 352, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for distribution of tax levied and collected in Lexington Township, Davidson County, for the working of the public roads of Lexington Township, between the town of Lexington and the balance of the township.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 123, H. B. 353, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Lexington and Yadkin College townships in Davidson County.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 124, H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Davidson County.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 126, H. B. 355, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, same being the charter of the city of Greensboro.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 125, H. B. 356, a bill to be entitled an act taxing dogs in Sampson County and making them subjects of larceny.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 134, H. B. 357, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1905, and chapter 188, Public Local Laws of 1911, public road law of Haywood County.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 143, H. B. 358, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 651 of the Public Laws of 1909, pertaining to the municipal court of the city of Greensboro.

    Referred to Committee on Calendar.

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ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Martin of Cherokee, 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. 112, S. B. 5, an act to amend section 2919, chapter 73, of the Revisal of 1905, in reference to town charter and election of town officers in the town of Murphy.

H. B. 113, S. B. 6, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to donate funds for premiums awarded at its agricultural county fairs.

H. R. 38, S. R. 41, a joint resolution to print the Governor's message.

H. B. 174, S. B. 35, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay certain costs incurred before the grand jury.

H. B. 172, S. B. 33, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the holding of the Superior Courts of Stokes County.

H. B. 119, S. B. 16, an act to amend the road law of Cotton Grove Township in Davidson County.

H. B. 115, S. B. 8, an act to amend chapter 206 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and for other purposes.

H. B. 118, S. B. 14, an act to repeal chapter 784, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relating to the improvement of the public roads of Sampson County.

H. B. 111, S. B. 4, an act to amend section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the holding of the courts of Halifax County.

H. B. 114, S. B. 7, an act to provide for the appointment of court stenographer for Halifax County.

H. B. 23, S. B. 40, an act to extend the general road law of Macon County to Franklin Township, and other amendments to the road law.

H. B. 183, S. B. 140, an act to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District No. 1, in Cleveland County, North Carolina.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker presents H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Williams of Buncombe, the House resolves itself into committee of the whole to consider said bill, with Mr. Kellum in the chair.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the committee of the whole rises and the House is called to order.

The committee of the whole makes the following report:

Mr. Speaker, the committee of the whole house, having under consideration the bill as above referred to, reports that it recommends the adoption of section 1, subsection 1, of the bill.

Pending further consideration the House takes a recess until tonight at 8 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

The House meets pursuant to recess, with Mr. Speaker Murphy in the chair, and resumes consideration of business.
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. Young of Harnett, for Committee on Propositions and Grievances: H. B. 175, S. B. 10, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in Sampson County, with a favorable report.

The rules are suspended. Mr. Faircloth sends up an amendment. Mr. Young of Harnett calls the previous question. Call sustained. The question recurs upon the adoption of the amendment. Mr. Faircloth calls for the ayes and noes. The demand is sustained, and the amendment is defeated by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Carroll, Clayton, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Faircloth, Ferguson, Haymore, Hooker, Koonce, Majette, Mewborne, Mull, McClure, Reavis, Sheek, Snell, Whitfield, Williams of Cabarrus—19.


The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Young of Harnett, H. R. 362, joint resolution.
Referred to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 256, S. B. 53, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace and a constable for the village of Whitnel in the county of Caldwell, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 263, S. B. 18, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Henderson County to place certain moneys in the sinking fund of Asheville and Spartanburg Railroad bonds.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 257, S. B. 64, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for working convicts in Gaston County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 193, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 98 of the Public Laws of 1913, to amend chapter 509, Public Laws of 1909, relating to drainage in Hyde County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 201, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of R. E. Fentress.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 255, S. B. 38, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 174, Public Local Laws for the session of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Wake County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 44, a resolution relating to uniform classification of freight by common carriers.

The resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 45, resolution relative to the Interstate Commerce Commission Act.

The resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 969, Public Local Laws of 1907, and chapter 585, Public Laws 1909, relating to the oyster industry.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 262, S. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 485 of the Public Laws of 1899, and to increase the tax levy for the graded school in the town of Waynesville.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 261, S. B. 22, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of graded school trustees of Lenoir to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bum-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 260, S. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, North Carolina, ratified the 25th day of February, 1913.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Durham to extend and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds necessary therefor.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 258, S. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing an election in the city of Hendersonville on the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of a watershed and other purposes and to repeal chapter 326 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 31 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to Norwood Graded School District in Center Township, Stanly County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 242, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of High Point.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Cornwell, Cox, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hatchett, Hodges,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 228, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township, and to issue bonds in Surry County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 333 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the public roads of Scuppernong Township of Tyrrell County.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrrell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 424 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of public roads in the county of Beaufort.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Cornwell, Cox, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Newborn, Mills, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 603, Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled an act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County.

The bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 209, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at session of 1913, relative to the public roads of Jones County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 200, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of New Bern, being chapter 82 of the Private Laws of 1899.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the public graded schools of New Bern, and the issuance of bonds to aid in the construction and the equipment of public graded school buildings.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stocks.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Cornwell, Cox, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 189, a bill to be entitled an act to create the Casar Railroad District in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 792, Public Laws of 1907, as amended by chapter 86, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Dunn Road District.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act to create the Fallston-Bellwood District in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad by same.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clayton, Clement, Coffield,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debt heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses.

The bill, 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.

H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 832, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to establishing drainage districts and drainage commissions, etc., in Catawba County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 167, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships in Yancey County, and empower the county commissioners of said county to levy a special tax.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 166, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff in Columbus County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a road commission for Columbus County.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Cornwell, Cox, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, Mintz, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 159, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road laws of Jackson County so as to allow trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances, and for other purposes.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for the building of a town hall, and for street improvements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes, as amended.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Drexel in Burke County, contracting the corporate limits thereof.
The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 135, a bill to be entitled an act to create a road district of Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or road district, and issue bonds for the same.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 132, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 271, Public Local Laws of General Assembly of 1913, relative to the better construction, maintaining and repairing public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Cornwell, Cox, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Fairecloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborn, Mills, Miller, Mull, Mintz, McByrd, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks system in said town and levy taxes for payment thereof.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the road trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckasiegee River.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Angier High School District in Harnett County and to authorize the issue of bonds and to levy a special tax.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,

Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Ray, H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to Morganton Township road bonds in Burke County, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Seawell, H. R. 267, joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Insurance.

On motion of Mr. Bellamy, H. R. 319, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the hiring out of convicts by the State unless a good and sufficient bond is given to indemnify the State, and H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled an act to construct and maintain good roads in North Carolina, are taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

On motion of Mr. Bynum, the House adjours to meet tomorrow at 10 a. m.

SEVENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 1, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Dr. O'Kelley, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read, and the same stands approved.

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. Capelle, for Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments, with a favorable report.

H. B. 148, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of calves under one year of age, with a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 184, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing and shipping of young calves for veal, with an unfavorable report.

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By Mr. Ray, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
H. B. 173, S. B. 28, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 763 of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relative to primary elections in Pitt County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Appropriations:
H. B. 67, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a fireman for the public heating plant and to employ other help, with an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable as to substitute.
H. B. 245, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 110 of the Public Laws of 1911, relative to the salary of the Adjutant-General, with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled an act to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library, with a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Capelle, for Committee on Judiciary No. 1:
H. R. 182, resolution in favor of T. G. Cobb, Principal Clerk of House of Representatives, with a favorable report.
H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, affecting Superior Courts of Moore County, with a favorable report.
H. B. 195, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the Superior Courts in Dare County, with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 246, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding courts in the First Judicial District, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts:
H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State.
H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Graham County.
H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the division of the State into judicial districts for holding the courts therein.
H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to give the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with recorders and police justices, with favorable report.

By Mr. Griffin, for the Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes:
H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township in Buncombe County, and levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor, with a favorable report.
H. B. 241, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills, and find them properly engrossed as follows:
H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize any consul-general to take proof and acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments, and to amend section 990 of The Revisal of 1905.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 363, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the establishment of a school district in Madison County.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Bolick, H. B. 364, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 440, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the depredations of domestic fowls in the county of Polk.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Woodard, H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a county court for Wilson County.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Page, H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Moore County to be known as the Vass Graded School.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Cox, H. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act appointing a justice of the peace for Contentnea Township, Pitt County.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Pickard, H. B. 368, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Venable in the county of Orange.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Thomas of Anson, H. B. 369, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 73 of the Public Laws of the session of 1913.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Phillips, H. B. 370, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5428 of The Revisal of 1905.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Haymore, H. B. 371, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to Superior Courts in Surry County.
Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Porter, H. B. 372, a bill to be entitled an act to declare the law and regulate the management of the House of Correction or Reformatory of Forsyth County, established under chapter 6 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 373, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Liberty church in No. 8 Township, Madison County, N. C.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. McPhail, H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special court for Richmond County with criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Richmond County Court.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Foy, H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of the town of Burgaw to call an election on a bond issue for municipal improvement.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
By Mr. Clayton, H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the county of Hyde a special court to be called the Recorder's Court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. McMillan, H. B. 377, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 418, Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled an act to provide for rural policemen for Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Rector, H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 173, Public Laws, session 1913, entitled an act to make school attendance compulsory.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Young of Harnett, H. B. 379, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 497, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to stock law in Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Martin of Cherokee, H. B. 380, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy Graded School, Cherokee County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Clark, H. B. 381, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County by special tax levy.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Haymore, H. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Elkin Graded School District to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act making public drunkenness in Scotland County a misdemeanor.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Clark, by request, H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 115 of the Private Laws of 1899, amending the charter of the town of Greenville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr., Martin of Cumberland, H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 706 Public Local Laws of 1911, so as to restore the office of standard keeper of Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Griffin, H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, relative to the charter of the town of Wendell.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Mills, H. B. 387, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 3001 of The Revisal of 1905, in regard to the fees to be charged for electrical inspection of buildings.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Mull, H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the board of supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public road improvement.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Bellamy, H. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to pay W. J. Benton, of Brunswick County, pensions due him for the years of 1911 and 1912.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.
By Mr. Bumgarner, H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 178 of amended laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 391, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the dumping, running or otherwise emptying sawdust into streams in Wilkes County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Bumgarner, by request, H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 144 of the Private Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Page, H. B. 393, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a bond school election of Aberdeen School District, Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Price, H. B. 394, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Colin G. Shaw a justice of the peace for Monroe Township, Union County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate York School District in Union County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Wilson, H. R. 396, joint resolution to authorize the sale of thirty-five acres of land in the southeastern limits of the city of Raleigh now used by the institution for the blind.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McClure, H. B. 397, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a certain election in Clay County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Thomas of Anson, H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to require a second sale of real estate by mortgagees, trustees and those making sale by virtue of the power contained in wills.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Boney, H. B. 399, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Duplin County to vote on the question of stock law or no stock law.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Whitford, H. B. 400, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for No. 5 Township, Craven County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Coffield, H. B. 401, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Ellenboro.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Ruffin, H. B. 402, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the hunting of foxes in Franklin County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Bellamy, H. B. 403, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Brunswick County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 171, Public Laws of 1913, being an act supplemental to an act relative to dividing
the State into twenty Superior Court judicial districts and to fix the number of weeks for courts for each, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. White, H. B. 405, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 801 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the appointment of a cotton weigher for the town of Scotland Neck, N. C.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Buchanan, by request, H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 276 of the Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Clement, H. B. 407, a bill to be entitled an act for the better working of the public roads in certain parts of Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 408, a bill to be entitled an act relating to boundary fences in stock law territory.

Referred to Committee on the Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. McNider, H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer in Perquimans, Pasquotank, Gates and Graham counties.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 410, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 406, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to primary elections in Lee County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Hutchins, H. B. 411, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in Yancey County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Wike, H. B. 412, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 549 of the Public Laws of 1899, so as to strengthen the local prohibition laws of Jackson County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C., and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for issue of bonds to levy a tax.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Woodard, H. B. 414, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Mount Pleasant Methodist church, Wilson County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Clement, H. B. 415, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Halifax County as contained in chapter 444 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Bell, H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a recorder's court for Chowan County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Gold, H. B. 437, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special court for High Point and High Point Township, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, and to elect the officers thereof by the people.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
By Mr. Dowd, H. R. 438, resolution asking information from Commissioner of Agriculture and President of Agricultural and Mechanical College.

The rules are suspended, and the resolution is adopted.

By Mr. Gaither, H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 110, Public Laws 1913, relating to probate trust deed to building and loan associations.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Mashburn, H. B. 440, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building and to hold an election for levying a tax for the payment thereof.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Miller, H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Shelby.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve the public roads.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 361, Private Laws of 1901, so as to make the board of trustees of Sanford Graded Schools elective by the qualified voters of the district.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special court for Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 447, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Richlands-Township, Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 448, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Young of Harnett, H. B. 450, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize fence commissioners of Harnett County to sell the stock law fence.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Mills, H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 447 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the working of the public roads of Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. B. 31, H. B. 435, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 633, Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relating to the manufacture and sale of wines, cider and other intoxicating liquors within the vicinity of Oak Grove Free Will Baptist and Oak Grove Universalist churches in Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 37, H. B. 432, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of Cherokee County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 46, H. B. 434, a bill to be entitled an act to protect sheep, hogs, cows, and other live stock in that part of Harnett County west of the Cape Fear River.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 49, H. B. 431, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 65, H. B. 433, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the city of Statesville to refund certain of its bonded indebtedness.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 137, H. B. 430, a bill to be entitled an act to change the length of the terms for the courts for the trial of criminal cases exclusively in Mecklenburg County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 144, H. B. 429, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 645 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled an act to provide for the proper deposit of all public funds of Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 147, H. B. 428, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of tales jurors in Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 153, H. B. 427, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Washington Township, Beaufort County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 157, H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 167, H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, and changing the time for holding the February and September terms of the Superior Court of Bertie County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 168, H. B. 423, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 504 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1907, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 171, H. B. 425, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the place for advertisements and sales required to be made and held at the courthouse door in Wayne County while the new courthouse of said county is under construction.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 173, H. B. 422, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 2, Private Laws of 1911, relative to public libraries of Greensboro.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 178, H. B. 421, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, in respect to the courts of Mecklenburg County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 179, H. B. 420, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to provide an additional term of court for Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 182, H. B. 419, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint H. J. Wheless a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 183, H. B. 418, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John E. Cobb a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 192, H. B. 417, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Liberty-Piedmont Institute.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 183, H. B. 418, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John E. Cobb a sioners of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina, to use certain funds of said town, known as the sewerage fund, for street improvement and other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 792, Public Laws 1907, as amended by chapter 861, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Dunn Road District.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 424 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of public roads in the county of Beaufort.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 209, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at regular session of 1913, relative to the public roads of Jones County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allred, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 200, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of New Bern, being chapter 82 of the Private Laws of 1899.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the public graded schools of New Bern and the issuance of bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of public graded school buildings.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allred, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Fay, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Kellum, Killian, Long, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhall, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Ruffin, Sheek, Sikes, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Thomas of

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stocks.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 189, a bill to be entitled an act to create the Casar Railroad District in Cleveland County and to authorize subscription to railroad stocks by same.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act to create the Fallston-Bellwood District in Cleveland County and to authorize subscription to railroad by same.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allred, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrrell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same. The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 338 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the public roads of Scuppernong Township, of Tyrrell County. The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 228, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township and to issue bonds in Surry County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 242, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of High Point.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allred, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton, Carroll. Cherry, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwall, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Ether-
H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 31 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to Norwood Graded School District in Center Township, Stanly County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 258, S. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing an election in the city of Hendersonville on the question of issuing bonds for the purchase of a watershed and other purposes, to repeal chapter 326 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 258, S. B. 3, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Durham to extend and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds necessary therefor.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 260, S. B. 21, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, North Carolina, ratified the 25th day of February, 1913.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 261, S. B. 22, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of graded school trustees of Lenoir to issue bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allred, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 262, S. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 485 of the Public Laws of 1899, and to increase the tax levy for the graded school in the town of Waynesville.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Martin of Cherokee, 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. 69, S. B. 96, an act to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to elect cotton weighers for Hubert, Belgrade and Cross Roads in Onslow County.

H. B. 180, S. B. 117, an act to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton so as to give said court civil jurisdiction, provide for a solicitor and jury for said court, etc.

H. B. 25, S. B. 36, an act to amend chapter 210 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the charter of the town of Cherryville.

H. B. 101, S. B. 109, an act to regulate the bonding of certain officers in Haywood County.
H. B. 110, S. B. 113, an act to abolish free labor on the public roads in certain townships in Davidson County.

H. B. 248, S. B. 191, an act to correct an error in chapter 769 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to working the public roads of Transylvania County, by amending the said chapter.

H. B. 256, S. B. 53, an act to appoint certain justices of the peace and a constable for the village of Whitnel in the county of Caldwell, North Carolina.

H. B. 54, S. B. 88, an act to amend chapter 617 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relating to salaries for the officers of Alamance County, so as to increase the school fund of Alamance County.

H. B. 175, S. B. 10, an act to establish a stock law in Sampson County.

H. B. 257, S. B. 64, an act to provide for working convicts in Gaston County.

H. B. 263, S. B. 18, an act to authorize the commissioners of Henderson County to place certain moneys in the sinking fund of Asheville and Spartanburg Railroad bonds.

H. B. 17, S. B. 55, an act to provide for the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the recorder's court of Spencer, North Carolina.

H. B. 98, S. B. 108, an act to establish stock law in certain territories in Cherokee County.

H. B. 255, S. B. 38, an act to amend chapter 174. Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Wake County.

On motion of Mr. Weatherspoon, the House resolves itself into a committee of the whole, with Mr. Kellum in the chair, and resumes consideration of H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina (with amendments thereto).

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the committee of the whole rises, and the House resumes consideration of its regular business.

Mr. Kellum, for the committee of the whole, reports progress as follows:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole having under consideration H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, recommend the adoption of section IV, subsection 28, as amended.

KELLUM, for the Committee.

On motion of Mr. Dowd, section 29 of the bill, with the amendments thereto, as offered, is referred to the Committees on Judiciary Nos. 1 and 2.

On motion of Mr. Capelle, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 10 a. m.

EIGHTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 2, 1913.

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

Prayer by Mr. Dellinger of the House.

The Journal of yesterday is read and stands approved.

Mr. Ruffin introduces to the House Hon. A. W. Graham, member-elect from
Granville County, who approaches the bar of the House and files his certificate of election.

After taking his oath of office he is assigned a seat and his certificate ordered on the Journal as follows:

North Carolina—Granville County.

To Hon. Walter Murphy, Speaker of the
House of Representatives, Raleigh, N. C.

This is to certify that on Tuesday, the 30th day of September, 1913, at a special election held under a writ of election issued by his Excellency, Locke Craig, Governor of North Carolina, to fill the vacancy in the House of Representatives caused by the resignation of Hon. William A. Devin, former member of said House, Augustus W. Graham, Esq., was duly elected, having received a majority of all the votes cast, the returns having been duly canvassed and the result declared by the Board of Canvassers of Granville County in accordance with the laws of the State of North Carolina.

In testimony whereof, I have set my hand and affixed my private seal, this October 1, 1913.

Frank W. Hancock. (Seal.)

Chairman Board of Elections of Granville County.

The Speaker announces the following additions to committees:

Mr. Dowd to the Committee on Regulation of the Liquor Traffic.

Mr. Graham to Committee on Judiciary No. 1, Regulation of Public Service Corporations and Agriculture.

Mr. Page to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

By Mr. Long, for Committee on Calendar:

H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 110, Public Laws 1913, relating to probate of trust deeds to building and loan associations. Recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. R. 267, joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies, with a favorable report.

H. B. 419, S. B. 182, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint H. J. Wheless a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 173, Public Laws session 1913, entitled an act to make school attendance compulsory in Madison and Avery counties. Recommitted to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Sikes, for Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 94, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the right of eminent domain, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 590 of The Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of contingent remainders, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain sales of real estate
under mortgages, deeds of trust and other instruments, with a favorable report.

H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subsection 30 of section 1318 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to distribution of road funds where township lines have been changed, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Allred, for Committee on Judiciary No. 1:
H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to Morganton Township road bonds in Burke County, with an unfavorable report; favorable as to substitute.

H. R. 1, resolution relating to the appointment of a commission for the purpose of revising the system of procedure, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Dixon, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
H. B. 116, S. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse, with a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 276 of the Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville, with an unfavorable report as to bill; favorable as to substitute.

By Mr. Sikes, for Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations:
H. B. 58, a bill to be entitled an act to secure semi-monthly payments of wages to employees at railroad shops and terminals, and to regulate the selling of merchandise by railroads to their employees, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships in Onslow County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, with a favorable report.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the delivery of freight in the State, with a favorable report.

H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Pink Hill Township in Lenoir County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wooten, for the Committee on Appropriations:
H. B. 86, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the salary of the Paymaster-General, with a favorable report.

H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to require a second sale of real estate by mortgagees, trustees and those making sale by virtue of the power contained in will.

Recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 117, S. B. 12, a bill to be entitled an act establishing the office of highway commissioner for Sampson County, N. C., with a favorable report, as amended.

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

By Mr. Dixon, for Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to revise the charter of the town of Clinton, with an unfavorable report; favorable as to substitute.
ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills, and find them properly engrossed as follows:

H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debts heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement.

H. B.156, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for the building of a town hall, and for street improvements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Justice, H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on the Regulation of Public Service Corporations, and five hundred copies are ordered printed.

By Mr. Woodard, H. R. 453, a resolution endorsing the efforts of the American Bar Association to secure uniformity in Federal and State procedure in civil cases.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Bellamy, H. R. 454, resolution to investigate the hiring out and assigning of convicts to certain works in the State.

The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 298, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 107, Public Laws of 1913, applicable to Perquimans County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 299, a bill to be entitled an act to protect animals and game in Fairview Park, Stanly County.

The substitute is adopted, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The original bill is tabled.

H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the convicts of Perquimans County.

As amended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 302, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 402 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relative to the propagation of diamond-back terrapin in Carteret County.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 304, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 803 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the salaries for county officers of Wake County.

The bill 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 amend chapter 214, Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to increase of the salary of the clerk of the Superior Court of Person County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 275, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the commissioners of Columbus County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 274, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of wine, cider and all intoxicants within two miles of the Baptist church at Hinson's Cross Roads in Columbus County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 591, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the game laws of Rowan County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 253 of the Private Acts of the session of the General Assembly of 1911.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 318, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the deer law of Brunswick County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 321, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of game birds in Robeson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 350, S. B. 120, a bill to be entitled an act to give the mayor and aldermen of the city of Washington, N. C., authority to pay the chief of police what his services are worth.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Graham County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 173, S. B. 28, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 763 of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relative to primary elections in Pitt County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, affecting Superior Courts of Moore County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 435, S. B. 31, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 633, Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relating to the manufacture and sale of wines, cider and other intoxicating liquors.

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

H. B. 288, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 435 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to salaries in Catawba County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 287, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wines and cider within two miles of Shiloh Presbyterian church, in Hoke County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 285, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Croatan Township, Dare County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Wadesboro.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 293, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 624 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the recorder's court of Tyrrell County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 297, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the appointment and duties of cotton weighers for the town of Dunn in Harnett County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 284, a bill to be entitled an act to establish an inferior court for Columbus County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 282, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 791 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, prohibiting ticket scalping in Columbus County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 283, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 52 of the Public Local Laws of general session of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the division of the State into Judicial districts and for holding the courts therein.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 349, S. B. 19, a bill to be entitled an act to restore sections 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the city of Washington.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the Superior Courts of Lee County.

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

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 269, a bill to be entitled an act to protect Smithwicks Creek Baptist church in the county of Martin.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 270, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Columbus County.

The bill 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 amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the squirrel law of Wayne County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 246, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 196, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the first judicial district.

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

H. B. 272, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 610, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting in Scotland County.

The bill 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 regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township in Buncombe County, and to levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornel, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Delinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McMillan, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavls, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Ruffin, Seawell, Sheek, Sikes, Stallings, Stephenson, Stewart, Thomas of

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 279, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws regular session of 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville in Clay County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 276, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Toisnot to that of Elm City.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide good roads in Enfield Township in Halifax County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Alred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of the town of Burgaw to call an election on a bond issue for municipal improvement.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Moore County to be known as the Vass Graded School.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 348, S. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow $35,000 to enlarge its light plant.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 347, S. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton in Rutherford County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 348, S. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to a franchise tax on corporations.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellingier, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 345, S. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to issue bonds to pay its debt contracted in building its present courthouse.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 344, S. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax and to create a sinking fund for said bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 343, S. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Dublin in Bladen County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate and amend the charter of the town of Elon College.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 339, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled an act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District and to ratify the election held May 14, 1913, for issuance of the bonds authorized by said act, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Del-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2721 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to working public roads in Johnston County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 541 of the Public Laws of 1901, giving the commissioners of the town of Burgaw authority to construct and maintain a fence around said town, and to levy a tax for the same.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mauney, Newborn, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McMillan, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Ruffin, Seawell, Sheek, Sikes, Stallings, Stephenson, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Whitfield,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 328, a bill to be entitled an act to require the commissioners of Watauga County to construct two public bridges in said county, one across Watauga River at or near Valle Crucis, and one across New River near Three Forks church.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 437 of the Private Acts of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden, by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 315, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the town of Morganton.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for improvement districts and for street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwall, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McMillan, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness incurred in advertising in creation of the county.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to call an election to submit to the qualified voters of Lee County the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of the roads of said county.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of West Ashe-ville in the county of Buncombe.

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The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Number Eight Township in said county the question of levying a special road tax for the improvement of the public roads and highways in said township.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 286, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Company.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwall, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Delinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mauney, Mewborn, Mills, Miller,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 281, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, ratify, approve and confirm chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled “An act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County.”

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 435, S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the city of Statesville to refund certain of its bonded indebtedness.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C., and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for the issue of bonds and to levy a tax.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 401, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Ellenboro.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 393, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a school bond election of Aberdeen School District, Moore County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Cornwell, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Delling, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Long, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McMillan, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Ruffin,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 78 of amended laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 221, Private Laws of 1907, relative to the charter of the town of Wendell.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Elkin Graded School District to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 381, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County by special tax levy.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 380, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy Graded School, Cherokee County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 448, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 447, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Richlands Township, Onslow County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellingier,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 361, Private Laws of 1901, so as to make the board of trustees of Sanford Graded Schools elective by the qualified voters of the district.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Williams of Buncombe, Williams of Cabarrus, Williams of Hertford, Williams of Harnett—103.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve the public roads.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 441 (substitute), a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Shelby.

The substitute is adopted.

H. B. 440, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building and to hold an election for levying a tax for the payment thereof.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

A message is ordered sent to the Senate requesting the return of H. B. 124, S. B. 223, a bill to be entitled an act relative to Wilkes County, to repeal chapter 593 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, and to amend Public Laws of
1911. The Senate responds to the message, returning said bill, and on motion of Mr. Dellinger the vote by which the bill passed its several readings is reconsidered, and the bill, together with all data pertaining thereto, is referred to a special committee named by the Speaker, to wit:

Messrs. Sikes, Seawell, Doughton, Page, and Ferguson.

On motion of Mr. Koonce, H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special court for Onslow County, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Onslow County Court, is taken from the Calendar and referred to a special committee composed of Messrs. Doughton, Kellum, and Gaither.

Pending further consideration of the Calendar, the House resolves itself into a committee of the whole, with Mr. Kellum in the chair, to consider H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Bolick, the committee rises, and reports progress as follows:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee of the whole having under consideration H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, reports progress as follows:

It recommends the adoption of—
Paragraph 5, section 29, as amended.
Paragraph 6, without amendment.
Paragraph 7, with an unfavorable report.

KELLUM, for Committee.

The House resumes consideration of the Calendar.

H. R. 1, a resolution relative to the appointment of a commission for the purpose of revising the system of procedure.

The resolution is postponed and made a special order at the expiration of the morning hour tomorrow.

Mr. Hatchett, 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. 262, S. B. 17, an act to amend chapter 485 of the Public Laws of 1899, and to increase the tax levy for the graded school in the town of Waynesville.

H. B. 260, S. B. 21, an act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, North Carolina," ratified the 25th day of February, 1913.

H. B. 259, S. B. 3, an act to authorize the city of Durham to extend and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds necessary therefor.

H. B. 261, S. B. 22, an act to authorize the board of graded school trustees of Lenoir to issue bonds.

H. B. 258, S. B. 19, an act authorizing an election in the city of Hendersonville on the question of issuing bonds for the purchase of a watershed, and for other purposes; and to repeal chapter 326 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

H. B. 30, S. B. 78, an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for the completion of its water and lighting systems, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. Sikes, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 10 a.m.
NINTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 3, 1913.

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

Prayer by Representative Hall, of the House.

The Journal of yesterday is read, and the same stands approved.

Leave of absence was granted as follows: Messrs. Cox, Stevens, Thomas of Davidson, Gaither, Cornwell, Newell.

The courtesies of the floor are extended to Ex-Representatives Patterson and Hartness.

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. Gaither, for special committee, H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special court for Onslow County, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Onslow County Court, with an unfavorable report as to bill; favorable as to substitute.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, for Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1 of chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the division of the State into judicial districts and the holding of courts therein, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Newell, for Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a suitable building by the Department of Agriculture, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 278, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the State of North Carolina to pay to the city of Raleigh assessments on pavings laid in front of State property, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Gold, for Committee on School for Feeble Minded, simple report, referred to Committee on Appropriations.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Martin, of Cherokee, 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. 59, S. B. 91, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to make March term of Rowan Superior Court for the trial of civil cases exclusively.

H. B. 64, S. B. 94, an act to authorize the commissioners of Gates County to designate some Gates County bank to act as treasurer to handle the good roads fund.

H. B. 109, S. B. 112, an act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

H. B. 49, S. B. 85, an act to amend chapter 395 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the dog tax in Avery County.
H. B. 22, S. B. 77, an act to amend chapter 274 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Edgecombe County to submit to the qualified voters of said county, excepting that part embraced within the boundaries of the Rocky Mount Road District and Number Six Township of Whitakers Road District, the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of improving the public roads in said county.

H. B. 326, S. B. 332, an act to increase the number of the board of commissioners for the county of Orange.

H. B. 34, S. B. 81, an act to amend chapter 198 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, in reference to the construction of an iron bridge across the Yadkin River, the dividing line between the counties of Yadkin and Forsyth, at or near Huffman's Ferry, formerly Glenn's Ferry.

H. B. 10, S. B. 69, an act to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907, applying to High Point Township only.

H. B. 16, S. B. 54, an act to reduce the costs in Rowan County Court.

H. B. 56, S. B. 90, an act to amend chapter 76 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the collection of taxes in Graham County.

H. B. 55, S. B. 89, an act to prohibit the running of sawdust in certain streams in Graham County.

H. B. 48, S. B. 84, an act to amend chapter 812 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock running at large in Avery County.

H. B. 70, S. B. 97, an act to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to remove and reinter certain dead bodies.

H. B. 33, S. B. 79, an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for street improvement and the enlargement of its electric light plant, to provide for a board of public works and fix the duties thereof, and to repeal an act ratified March 1, 1913, authorizing certain bond issues of the town of Wilson.

H. B. 349, S. B. 119, an act to restore sections 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1903.

H. B. 173, S. B. 28, an act to amend chapter 763 of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relative to primary elections in Pitt County.

H. B. 350, S. B. 120, an act to give the mayor and aldermen of the city of Washington, North Carolina, authority to pay the chief of police what his services are worth.

H. B. 65, S. B. 95, an act to amend chapter 119 of the Laws of North Carolina of the session of 1847, being "An act to incorporate the trustees of Dan River Institute, in the town of Yanceyville."

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.**

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills and find them properly engrossed, as follows:

H. B. 246, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 196, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the first judicial district.

H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the Superior Courts of Lee County.

H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled an act providing for the convicts of Perquimans County.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Woodard, H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a Public Service Commission for North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. B. 11, H. B. 455, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 55 of the Public Laws of 1913.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 44, H. B. 456, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to the shipment of intoxicating liquors into Rutherford County.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 51, H. B. 457, a bill to be entitled an act to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 52, H. B. 458, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 649, Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled an act to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $100,000 in bonds for school purposes.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

H. B. 51, S. B. 86, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 1041 of the Public Laws of 1907.
The House concurs and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 127, H. B. 459, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Apostolic Holiness University of Guilford County.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 130, H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the protection and keeping up of the public roads of Anson County.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 133, H. B. 461, a bill to be entitled an act to cure certain defective registrations of deeds in Jackson County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 138, H. B. 462, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Special Tax District No. 1 in Rowland Township, Robeson County, for the white race; to create Rowland High School District; to authorize the board of trustees of said school district to issue bonds, and to levy an additional special tax; to purchase property; to authorize the town of Rowland to sell its school property and use the funds arising from such sale, and for general purposes.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 139, H. B. 463, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of Rowland, Robeson County, so as to provide for sewerage, waterworks, electric lights and street improvements for said town, and to issue bonds therefor, and to create a sinking fund, and for like purposes.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 145, H. B. 464, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy taxes for the same."
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 146, H. B. 465, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy a tax for the same."
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 309, H. B. 466, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 276 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, relative to the prosecuting attorney's fee.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 312, H. B. 467, a bill to be entitled an act to require common carriers to furnish weights of car shipments in certain cases.
Referred to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.
S. B. 315, H. B. 468, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the State Building Commission to pay, out of the appropriation for the equipment of the State Administration Building, for vault placed in the Treasurer's office in the Capitol.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
S. B. 317, H. B. 469, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 319, H. B. 470, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 243 of the Private Laws of General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its session in the year 1911, the same being the charter of the city of Statesville.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 322, H. B. 472, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 164 of the Public Laws, session of 1911, and to amend section 923 of the Public Laws, session of 1909, relative to deposits by fire insurance companies.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 328, H. B. 471, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 600 of the Public Local Laws of 1911.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 327, H. B. 473, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Superior Courts of Edgecombe County.
Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
Substitute for S. B. 13, H. B. 475, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the uniform of the United States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina and persons entitled to wear the same.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 27, H. B. 498, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 182, Public Laws of 1911, extending time for registration of grants.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 47, H. B. 499, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the Department of Agriculture to manufacture material for the inoculating culture of leguminous crops.
Referred to Committee on Agriculture.
S. B. 132, H. B. 476, a bill to be entitled an act to cure the defective probate
of certain wills made by nonresidents prior to January 1, 1895, in Jackson County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 142, H. B. 477, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 150, H. B. 478, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 151, H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge special school district known as Special School District No. 1, of South Whitakers Township, Nash County, North Carolina, and to change the name thereof to Red Oak School District.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 155, H. B. 480, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the town of Winterville to issue bonds for electric lights and other public works, and to levy a special tax.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 158, H. B. 481, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to pay the State's proportion for paving in front of any of the State's property in Raleigh just as individuals are required to do by law under like circumstances.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
S. B. 159, H. B. 482, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subsection 12 of section 1318, Revisal of 1905, in reference to powers and duties of county commissioners, Cherokee County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 311, H. B. 493, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 398, Public Laws of 1909, relative to the substitute recorder of New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 313, H. B. 494, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged.

Referred to Committee on Public Service Corporations.
S. B. 314, H. B. 495, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of holding courts in Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
S. B. 333, H. B. 496, a bill to be entitled an act to give the Superior Court of Beaufort County concurrent jurisdiction with the recorder's court in Beaufort County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
S. B. 337, H. B. 492, a bill to be entitled an act to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 391, H. B. 497, a bill to be entitled an act to create a road commission for Rutherford County.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 161, H. B. 483, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Holly Springs High School District, Holly Springs Township, Wake County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 163, H. B. 484, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 314, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, "An act to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton."

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 169, H. B. 485, a bill to be entitled an act to drain the lowlands of Second Broad River and its tributaries in Rutherford County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 170, H. B. 486, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 828, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to create a highway commission for Madison County and to provide funds for the construction of a system of public roads and highways in said county."

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 174, H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled an act to permit Holly Springs High School District in Wake County to vote ten thousand dollars of bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 175, H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 177, H. B. 489, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 341 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, relative to issuance of bonds by Beaufort Township.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 300, H. B. 490, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4131 of The Revisal of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning land for school sites.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 303, H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates in Randolph County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

CALENDAR.

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

H. R. 1, a resolution relative to the appointment of a commission for the purpose of revising the system of procedure.

An amendment is sent forward by Mr. Stewart, which is lost.

Mr. Doughton offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill on its second reading. Upon this Mr. Thomas of Anson calls for the ayes and noes. The call is sustained.

The resolution, 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. Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum,


Under a suspension of the rules the bill passes its third reading, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Shelby.

The substitute is adopted.

H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Brunswick, Mitchell County.

The substitute is adopted.

H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 336 of the Private Laws of 1911.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to revise the charter of the town of Clinton.

The substitute is adopted.

H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to Morganton Township road bonds in Burke County.

The substitute is adopted.

H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Pink Hill Township in 11—House
Lenoir County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships in Onslow County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 348, S. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow $35,000 to enlarge its light plant.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Dowd,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 347, S. B. 34, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton in Rutherford County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 346, S. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to a franchise tax on corporations.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Connwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Dowd, Doughton, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Hodges, Hooker, Haymore, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Seawell, Sheek, Sikes, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stevens, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitfield, Whitford, White, Wike, Williams of Cabarrus, Williams of Hertford, Williamson, Wil-
son, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of Vance—107.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 345, S. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to issue bonds to pay its debt contracted in building its present courthouse.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 343, S. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Dublin in Bladen County, the bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled an act to consolidate and amend the charter of the town of Elon College.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 339, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled “An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District,” and to ratify the election held May 14, 1913, for the issuance of the bonds authorized by said act, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2721 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to working public roads in Johnston County.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cumberland, Masburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 541 of Public Laws of 1901, giving the commissioners of the town of Burgaw authority to construct and maintain a fence around said town, and to levy a tax for the same.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 328, a bill to be entitled an act to require the commissioners of Watauga County to construct two public bridges in said county—one across Watauga River at or near Valle Crucis, and one across New River near Three Forks church.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:

son, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of Vance—107.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 437 of the Private Acts of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 315, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to charter of the town of Morganton.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,
Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for improvement districts and for street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to call an election to submit to the qualified voters of Lee County the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of the roads of said county.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellingier, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of West Asheville in the county of Buncombe.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to provide good roads in Enfield Township in Halifax County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Number Eight Town-
ship in said county the question of levying a special road tax for the
improvement and building of the public roads and highways in said township.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,
Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan,
Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield,
Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Delliger, Dixon, Dough-
ton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling,
Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore,
Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin
of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde,
McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton,
Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross,
Seawell, Sheek, Sikes, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stevens, Stewart, Thomas
of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitfield, Whitford,
White, Wike, Williams of Cabarrus, Williams of Hertford, Williamson, Wil-
son, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of
Vance—107.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 286, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Louisburg and
Rocky Mount Railway Company.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,
Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan,
Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield,
Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Delliger, Dixon, Dough-
ton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling,
Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore,
Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin
of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde,
McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton,
Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross,
Seawell, Sheek, Sikes, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stevens, Stewart, Thomas
of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitfield, Whitford,
White, Wike, Williams of Cabarrus, Williams of Hertford, Williamson, Wil-
son, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of
Vance—107.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 281, a bill to be entitled an act to amend, ratify, approve and confirm
chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913, entitled “An
act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County.”

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,
Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan,
Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield,
Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Delliger, Dixon, Dough-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 279, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws, regular session of 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville in Clay County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 276, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the town of Toisnot to that of Elm City.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Seawell, Sheek, Sikes, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stevens, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitfield, Whitford,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township in Buncombe County, and to levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 448, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 447, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Richlands Township, Onslow County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled an act to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwall, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 361, Private Laws of 1901, so as to make the board of trustees of Sanford graded school elective by the qualified voters of the district.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve the public roads.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 440, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building, and to hold an election for levying a tax for the payment thereof.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


H. B. 433, S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the City of Statesville to refund certain of its bonded indebtedness.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C., and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for issue of bonds and levy a tax.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dillingier, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 401, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Ellenboro.

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


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 393, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a school bond election of Aberdeen School District, Moore County.

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

son, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of Vance—107.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 178 of amended laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, N. C.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Dough-
son, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of Vance—107.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 221, Private Laws of 1907, relative to the charter of the town of Wendell.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Dough-
son, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of Vance—107.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 382, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Elkin Graded School District to issue bonds.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 381, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County by special tax levy.

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


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 380, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy graded school, Cherokee County, N. C.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwell, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Dought- ton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cumberland, Masiburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Seawell, Sheek, Sikes, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stevens, Stewart, Thomas

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of the town of Burgaw to call an election on a bond issue for municipal improvements.

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


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a graded school in Moore County, to be known as the Vass graded school.

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


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Seawell, H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness incurred in advertising in creation of the county, is taken from the Calendar and is recommitted to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
On motion of Mr. Wallace, H. B. 344, S. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County, to levy a special tax, and to create a sinking fund for said bonds, is laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Tillett, H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1590 of the Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of contingent remainders, is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and placed on the regular Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Haymore, H. B. 134, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing and shipping of young calves for veal, is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and placed on the regular Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Stewart, the House resolves itself into a committee of the whole to resume consideration of H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, with Mr. Kellum in the chair.

After consideration, the committee of the whole rises, and through its chairman reports as follows:

Mr. Speaker:—The committee of the whole having under consideration H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, recommend that paragraph 8 be adopted, paragraph 9 be not adopted, paragraph 10 be adopted.

KELLUM,  
For the Committee.

The House resumes consideration of the business before it, and the Speaker announces the appointment of Mr. Clark to the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Justice, the House adjourns to meet tonight at 8 o'clock.

Evening Session.

The House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy, and resumes consideration of the Calendar.

The Calendar.

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

H. B. 436, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a Recorder's Court for Chowan County.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 432, S. B. 37, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of Cherokee County.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 426, S. B. 157, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Mr. Austin obtains unanimous consent to introduce H. R. 500, a resolution relative to the adjournment of the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, which is placed on the Calendar.
H. R. 453, resolution endorsing the efforts of the American Bar Association to secure uniformity in Federal and State procedure in civil cases.

The resolution passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 431, S. B. 49, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 359, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the commissioners of navigation and pilotage coming under section 7, Article XIV, of the Constitution of North Carolina.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 289, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the disposition of any money received from sale of books by the State Librarian.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a suitable building by the Department of Agriculture.

Consideration of same is made a special order for October 7th, at the expiration of the morning hour.

H. B. 369, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 73 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to judgment of nonsuit in criminal cases.

The bill 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 subsection 30 of section 1318 of The Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relative to distribution of road funds where township lines have been changed.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain sales of real estate under mortgages, deeds of trust, and other instruments.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1590 of The Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of contingent remainders.

On motion of Mr. Tillett, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 86, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the salary of the Paymaster-General.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled an act to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 148, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of calves under one year of age.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed.
H. B. 356, S. B. 125, a bill to be entitled an act taxing dogs in Sampson County, and making them subjects of larceny.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 447 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the working of the public roads of Wake County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 357, S. B. 134, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1905, and chapter 188, Public Local Laws of 1911.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 358, S. B. 143, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 651 of the Public Laws of 1909, pertaining to the municipal court of the City of Greensboro.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 320, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a medical depository for the City of Winston-Salem, N. C.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 325, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 755 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the pay of the commissioners of Haywood County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 411 of the Private Laws, session 1911, and to provide for a change in the management and control of Wesley Chapel Special School District.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special court for Onslow County, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Onslow County Court.

The 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. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a county court for Wilson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 367, a bill to be entitled an act appointing a justice of the peace for Contentnea Township, Pitt County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 368, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of the Town of Venable, in the County of Orange.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special court for Richmond County, with criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Richmond County Court.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled an act making public drunkenness in Scotland County a misdemeanor.

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

H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the County of Hyde a special court, to be called the Recorder's Court, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 361, a bill to be entitled an act to make Town Creek, in Brunswick County, a lawful fence only from the mouth of said creek to Indigo Creek, in said county.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 363, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County.

The bill 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 440, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the depredations of domestic fowls in the County of Polk.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate York School District, in Union County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act to provide good roads in Jacksonville Township, Onslow County.

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

H. B. 397, a bill to be entitled an act to validate a certain election in Clay County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 412, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 549 of the Public Laws of 1899, so as to strengthen the local prohibition law of Jackson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 414, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Pleasant Grove Methodist church, in Wilson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 416, S. B. 193, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the commission-ers of the Town of Rockingham to use certain funds of said town known as sewerage funds.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled an act to protect deer in Perquimans, Pasquo-tank and Graham counties.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 410, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in Yancey County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 411, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 496, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to primary elections in Lee County.

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

H. B. 428, S. B. 147, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the pay of tales jurors in Pitt County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 430, S. B. 137, a bill to be entitled an act to change the length of the terms for the courts for the trial of criminal cases exclusively in Mecklenburg County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 450, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the fence commissioners of Harnett County to sell the stock law fence.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments.

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

H. R. 182, a resolution in favor of T. G. Cobb, Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 67, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a fireman for the public heating plant and to employ other help.

The 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. 421, S. B. 178, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, relative to public libraries of Greensboro.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 422, S. B. 173, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, in respect to the courts of Mecklenburg County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 423, S. B. 168, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 504 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1907, entitled an act to incorporate the Town of Mills, Rutherford County.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 424, S. B., 167, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws, session of 1913, and changing the time for holding the February and September terms of the Superior Court of Bertie County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 425, S. B. 171, a bill to be entitled an act prescribing the place for advertisements and sales required to be made and held at the courthouse door in Wayne County, while the new courthouse of said county is under construction.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 427, S. B. 153, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace of Washington Township, Beaufort County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 417, S. B. 192, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Liberty-Piedmont Institute.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 418, S. B. 183, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint John E. Cobb a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 420, S. B. 179, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to provide an additional term of court for Gaston County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 399, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Duplin County to vote on the question of stock law or no stock law.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 402, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the hunting of foxes in Franklin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 403, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Brunswick County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 387, a bill to be entitled an act amending section 3001 of The Revisal of 1905, in regard to the fees to be charged for electrical inspection of buildings.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 391, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the dumping, running or otherwise emptying sawdust into any stream in Wilkes County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 394, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint Colin G. Shaw a justice of the peace for Monroe Township, Union County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 377, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 418, Public Local
Laws of 1913, entitled an act to provide for rural policemen for Robeson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 379, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 497, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to stock law in Harnett County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 706, Public Local Laws of 1911, so as to, restore the office of standard keeper of Cumberland County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 370, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 5428 of The Revisal of 1905, relating to taxes in Graham County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 372, a bill to be entitled an act to declare the law and regulate the management of the house of correction or reformatory of Forsyth County, established under chapter 6 of The Revisal of 1905.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 373, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Liberty Church, in Number Eight Township, Madison County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Cleveland County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 354, S. B. 124, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Davidson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 355, S. B. 126, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, same being the charter of the City of Greensboro.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 116, S. B. 9, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of the Town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1 of chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the division of the State into judicial districts and the holding of courts therein.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 761 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, as to wholesale druggists in Guilford County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 353, S. B. 123, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Lexington and Yadkin College townships, in Davidson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 351, S. B. 121, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the amount of bond for the county treasurer.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 352, S. B. 122, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for distribution of tax levied and collected in Lexington Township, Davidson County, for the working of the public roads of Lexington Township between the town of Lexington and the balance of the township.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 326, a bill to be entitled an act relative to drainage in Gaston County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 327, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Bertie County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Smiths Township, Duplin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 332, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the cutting and felling of trees or brush in the waters of the run of Brooks Swamp, Wayne County.

The bill 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 amend chapter 561 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to placing the officers of New Hanover County on a salary basis.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 509 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to elections in New Hanover County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Sikes, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 10 a. m.

TENTH DAY.

House of Representatives, October 4, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Mr. McCracken, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read and stands approved.

Leave of absence was granted as follows: McPhail, Mills, Wilke, McMillan, Dellinger, Newell, Bumgarner, Bynum, White, Long, Grier of Iredell, Koonce, Stallings, Cherry, Kellum, Snell.
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. Sikes, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:
H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to require a second sale of real estate by mortgagees, trustees and those making sale by virtue of the power contained in a will.
Recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Rector, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1:
H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 110, Public Laws 1913, relating to probates of trust deeds to building and loan associations.
Recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 492, S. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code, with a favorable report.

H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the board of supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public road improvements, with an unfavorable report as to bill; favorable as to substitute.

By Mr. Grier, for the Committee on Pensions:
H. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to pay W. J. Benton, of Brunswick County, pensions due him for the years 1911 and 1912, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Rector, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1:
H. B. 466, S. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 276 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, relative to the prosecuting attorney's fee, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Williams of Cabarrus, for the Committee on Calendar:
H. B. 490, S. B. 300, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4131 of The Revisal of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning lands for school sites.
Recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 455, S. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 55 of the Public Laws of 1913.
Recommitted to Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 498, S. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 182, Public Laws of 1911, extending time for registration of grants.
Recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 472, S. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 164 of the Public Laws, session of 1911, and to amend section 923 of the Public Laws, session of 1909, relative to deposits by fire insurance companies.
Recommitted to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Sikes, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:
H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the collection of arrears of taxes in the City of Southport, in the County of Brunswick, and State of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled an act to construct and maintain good roads in North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the hiring out of convicts by the State unless a good and sufficient bond is given to indemnify the State, with an unfavorable report.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.**

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills, and find them properly engrossed, as follows:

H. R. 1, a resolution relative to the appointment of a commission for the purpose of revising the system of procedure.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

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

By Mr. Graham, H. R. 501, a joint resolution to authorize and direct the North Carolina Historical Commission to submit a design and procure estimates of the cost of the execution and erection of a suitable monument to the North Carolina troops who participated in the battle of Gettysburg.

The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its several readings by a rising vote of the House, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Wooten, H. B. 502, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Carlton, H. B. 503, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 171, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the issuing of bonds for the purpose of owning, operating and maintaining a system of waterworks and electric light plant, also for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the present graded school building of the Town of Spencer, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Hatchett, H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 126, Private Laws 1823, authorizing the surviving trustee to convey the site of Milton Male Academy to the trustees of Milton Graded School District.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Ross, H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 608 of the Public Local Laws, session 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 506, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 197 of the Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.

By Mr. Perry, H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1911, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the charter of Elizabeth City, North Carolina."

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
By Mr. Payne, H. B. 508, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of
the peace in Currituck County.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
By Mr. Weatherspoon, H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled an act providing for a
special road tax levy in Spring Hill Township, Scotland County, and increas-
ing the pay of jurors in the criminal court of Scotland County.
Placed on the Calendar.

CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as
follows:
H. B. 457, S. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to permit Raleigh Township,
Wake County to issue twenty-five thousand dollars in bonds for public school
buildings.
The amendment is adopted by the following vote, and takes its place on the
Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin,
Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton,
Carroll, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver,
Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Fairecloth, Ferguson,
Foy, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett,
Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Majette,
Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne,
Miller, Mintz, McMillan, McNider, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Phillips, Pick-
ard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Ruffin, Sheek, Sikes, Stallings,
Stephenson, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitford, Wike,
Williams of Buncombe, Williams of Cabarrus, Wilson, Weatherspoon, Witty,
Woodard, Wooten—85.

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 489, S. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 341 of the
Public Local Laws, session of 1913, relative to issuance of bonds by Beaufort
Township, Carteret County.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place
on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin,
Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton,
Carroll, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver,
Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Fairecloth, Ferguson,
Foy, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett,
Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Majette,
Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne,
Miller, Mintz, McMillan, McNider, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Phillips, Pick-
ard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Ruffin, Sheek, Sikes, Stallings,
Stephenson, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitford, Wike,
Williams of Buncombe, Williams of Cabarrus, Wilson, Weatherspoon, Witty,
Woodard, Wooten—85.

Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 488, S. B. 175, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the road trustees
of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase
the tax levy.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 487, S. B. 174, a bill to be entitled an act to permit Holly Springs High School District, in Wake County, to vote $10,000 of bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 486, S. B. 170, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 828, Public Local Laws, session 1913, entitled “An act to create a highway commissioner for Madison County and to provide funds for construction of a system of public roads and highways in said county.”

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 485, S. B. 169, a bill to be entitled an act to drain the lowlands of Second Broad River and its tributaries, in Rutherford County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative none.

H. B. 484, S. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 314, Private Laws, session of 1911, entitled “An act to amend the charter of the Town of Lumberton.”

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative none.

H. B. 483, S. B. 164, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Holly Springs High School District, Holly Springs Township, Wake County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton, Carroll, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, McMillan, McNider, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Ruffin, Sheek, Sikes, Stallings, Stephenson, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitford, Wike,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 480, S. B. 155, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the Town of Win-terville to issue bonds for electric lights and other public works, and to levy a special tax.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 479, S. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge a special school district known as Special School District Number One, of South Whitakers Township, Nash County, North Carolina, and to change the name thereof to Red Oak School District.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 478, S. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the City of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools, and for other purposes.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton, Carroll, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 477, S. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of the City of Raleigh to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 458, S. B. 52, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 649, Public Local Laws 1913, entitled “An act to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $100,000.00 in bonds for school purposes.”

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 463, S. B. 139, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the Town of Rowland, Robeson County, so as to provide for sewerage, waterworks, electric lights, and street improvements for said town, and to issue bonds therefor, and to create a sinking fund, and for like purposes.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 462, S. B. 138, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Special Tax District Number One, in Rowland Township, Robeson County, for the white race, to create Rowland High School District, to authorize the board of trustees of said school district to issue bonds and to levy an additional tax to purchase property; to authorize the Town of Rowland to sell its school property and use the funds arising from such sale, and for general purposes.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 460, S. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the protection and keeping up the public roads of Anson County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton, Carroll, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellingier, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, McMillan, McNider, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Ruffin, Sheek, Sikes, Stallings, Stephenson, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitford, Wike,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to Morganton Township road bonds, in Burke County, it being a substitute.

The substitute passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to revise the charter of the Town of Clinton, it being a substitute.

The substitute passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the Town of Bakersville, Mitchell County, it being a substitute.

The substitute passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton, Carroll, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett,

Those voting in the negative, none.

The original bill is laid on the table.

Substitute for H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Shelby.

The substitute passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 336 of the Private Laws of 1911.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Pink Hill Township in Lenoir County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Carlton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships in Onslow County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. B. 304, H. B. 509, a bill to be entitled an act to Incorporate and charter the town of Crestmont, in Haywood County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 325, H. B. 510, a bill to be entitled an act to ratify the proceedings of the commissioners of Mecklenburg County in connection with the proposed issue of $110,000 bonds of said county to build a new county jail and construct highway bridges, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 156, H. B. 511, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 316, H. B. 512, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 181, H. B. 513, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 206 of chapter 342 of Private Laws, session 1907.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 324, H. B. 514, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 222, Public Local Laws of 1913, authorizing the commissioners of Mecklenburg County to issue bonds to refund its floating indebtedness, build a new county jail and construct certain highway bridges.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 321, H. B. 515, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 40 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to consolidate and amend the road laws of Madison County," as enacted by chapter 200 of Public Local Laws of 1909, and as amended by chapter 392 of the Public Local Laws of 1911.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

Substitute for S. B. 348, H. B. 200, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to improve and repair the city hall and to contract therefor, for concurrence in Senate substitute.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 373, H. B. 516, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District No. 1, in Cleveland County, ratified the 30th day of September, 1913.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 305, H. B. 517, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkston.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 384, H. B. 518, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint W. S. Howell a justice of the peace of Granville County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 386, H. B. 519, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the employment of an additional bank examiner.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 388, H. B. 520, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Robeson County to build a double track iron bridge across Lumber River in the town of Lumberton, Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 318, H. B. 521, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of the city of Hendersonville to issue municipal improvement bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 301, H. B. 522, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize and validate an election held in Cooper's Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Cooper's Township, dated the first day of July, 1913.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 306, H. B. 523, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Haywood County to refund the short time bonds of Haywood County and to improve the public roads of said county, and to levy a tax.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

Substitute for S. B. 101, H. B. 79, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for the holding of the Superior Courts of Union and Scotland counties, for concurrence in Senate substitute.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
On motion of Mr. Stewart, the House resolves itself into committee of the whole, with Mr. Weatherspoon in the chair, and resumes consideration of H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Doughton, the committee of the whole rises, and the House is called to order.

Mr. Weatherspoon makes report for the committee of the whole.

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole, considering H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, recommend:

That section 11, article 5, subsections 2, 3, and 4, be adopted.
Subsection 5 be adopted as amended.
Subsection 7 be adopted.
That paragraph 12 be adopted.

Weatherspoon,

For the Committee.

Resuming consideration of the Calendar, a report is received from the Committee on Enrolled Bills as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Martin, of Cherokee, 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. 433, S. B. 65, an act to permit the city of Statesville to refund certain of its bonded indebtedness.

H. B. 125, S. B. 224, an act to amend the charter of Englehard, chapter 48, Private Laws of 1913.

H. B. 41, S. B. 62, an act to incorporate Grimesland School District, in Pitt County, and to authorize it to issue bonds.

H. B. 42, S. B. 23, an act to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein.

H. B. 14, S. B. 73, an act to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 8, S. B. 68, an act to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County, to levy a tax and to create a sinking fund for said bonds.

H. B. 193, S. B. 297, an act to repeal chapter 98, Public Laws of 1913, and to amend chapter 509, Public Laws of 1909, relating to drainage of certain lands in Hyde County.

H. B. 251, S. B. 282, an act to authorize the commissioners for Stanly County to make an appropriation to the county fair.

H. B. 497, S. B. 391, an act to create a road commission for Rutherford County.

H. B. 27, S. B. 197, an act to amend the lien laws of 1913.

H. B. 20, S. B. 75, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness.

H. B. 99, S. B. 111, an act authorizing and empowering the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to draw an additional number of jurors for service at civil and criminal terms of court of Forsyth County.
H. B. 11, S. B. 70, an act to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina.
H. B. 347, S. B. 34, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton, in Rutherford County.
H. B. 31, S. B. 80, an act to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County.
H. B. 90, S. B. 104, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, in regard to courts to be held in Catawba County.
H. B. 24, S. B. 57, an act to fix the boundary of of Special School Tax District Number Nine, Gaston County.
H. B. 129, S. B. 228, an act to prevent obstructing the streams in Onslow County, and to promote better drainage and health conditions.
H. B. 107, S. B. 63, an act to amend chapter 327 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the township bond issue for good roads in Wayne County.
H. B. 74, S. B. 99, an act to increase the pay of jurors in the recorder's court for Stanly County.
H. B. 51, S. B. 86, an act to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907.
H. B. 158, S. B. 246, an act to provide for the collection of costs and fees in the mayor's court of the town of Baileys, Nash County.
H. B. 18, S. B. 74, an act to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County, and to create a road commission therein," ratified on the 30th day of January, 1913.
H. B. 21, S. B. 76, an act to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911, to authorize an increase in the special tax for schools in the Faison School District, Duplin County.
H. B. 13, S. B. 72, an act to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
H. B. 165, S. B. 331, an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township, in Surry County.
H. B. 7, S. B. 67, an act to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds.
H. B. 196, S. B. 257, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of the county of Wayne to make certain improvements upon the courthouse square.
H. B. 62, S. B. 93, an act to make section 1662, of chapter 35, of Revisal of 1905, of North Carolina, applicable to Bertie County.
H. B. 12, S. B. 71, an act to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
H. B. 80, S. B. 210, an act to repeal chapter 545 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.
H. B. 346, S. B. 32, an act to amend the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to franchise tax on corporations.
H. B. 343, S. B. 15, an act to incorporate the town of Dublin, in Bladen County.
H. B. 94, S. B. 106, an act to relieve the citizens of Catawba Springs Township from a certain bond tax and the issuance of bonds.
H. B. 197, S. B. 258, an act to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.
H. B. 178, S. B. 251, an act to authorize and empower the deputy Register of Deeds of Forsyth County to administer oaths.

H. B. 140, S. B. 233, an act to amend chapter 97, Public Laws of 1913, extending the provisions of said law to Duplin County.

H. B. 136, S. B. 230, an act to amend chapter 338 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to authorizing the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to submit a salary system to the voters of said county.

H. B. 345, S. B. 29, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to issue bonds to pay its debts contracted in building its present courthouse.

H. B. 192, S. B. 256, an act to protect game in Davidson County.

H. B. 348, S. B. 36, an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow $35,000 to enlarge its light plant.

On motion of Mr. Stewart, the House adjourns to meet Monday at 11 a. m.

ELEVENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 6, 1913.

The House meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Mr. Wooten, Speaker pro tem.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Harrell, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read, and stands approved.

Leave of absence was granted as follows: Mr. Clement, until Wednesday.

The Speaker appoints as Committee on the Journal for the week, Messrs. Britton, Gatling, and Snell.

Several petitions are received and properly referred.

The report of the Commissioner of Agriculture and President of the A. and M. College is read, and same is referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

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. Williams of Cabarrus, for Committee on Calendar:

H. B. 519, S. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the employment of additional bank examiners, with an unfavorable report.

Recommitted to Committee on Banks and Currency.

H. B. 79, S. B. 101, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for the holding the Superior Courts of Union and Scotland counties.

Recommitted to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Stewart, H. B. 525, a bill to be entitled an act to provide additional assistance for the Corporation Commission.

Referred to Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations.
By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care and cleaning of the new State Building.
   Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. B. 339, H. B. 526, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county, and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation.
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 372, H. B. 527, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 196, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of the fifth judicial district.
   Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 359, H. B. 528, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and operate and maintain a system of waterworks.
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.

Substitute for S. B. 166, H. B. 529, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court.
   Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 160, H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 452, Public Local Laws, session 1911, entitled "An act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County, and to increase the road fund and the school fund."
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 390, H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for repairing and improving the courthouse in said county.
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 358, H. B. 532, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Venable.
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 379, H. B. 533, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 491 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax and to construct certain bridges."
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.

Substitute for S. B. 128, H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County.
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 162, H. B. 535, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of game birds in Robeson County.
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 383, H. B. 536, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent hunting foxes in Lee County between certain dates.
   Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 385, H. B. 537, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Norman, Richmond County, N. C.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 376, H. B. 538, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Mooresville, North Carolina, to issue bonds without resubmitting the question to a vote of the qualified voters of said town, to improve streets, install waterworks and sewerage system.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
Substitute for S. B. 48, H. B. 539, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 180, H. B. 540, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 268, of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to good roads bond issue in Person County.
Referred to Committee on Calendar.
H. B. 154, S. B. 243, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 71, of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the recorder's court of Transylvania County.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.
Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills and find them properly engrossed, as follows:
H. B. 411, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in Yancey County.
H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled an act to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library.
H. B. 148, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing of calves under one year of age.
H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act to provide good roads in Jacksonville Township, in Onslow County.
H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled an act to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments.

CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1747, of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, affecting the registration of grants.
The bill, as amended, passes its second reading and takes its place on the Calendar.
H. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to pay W. J. Benton, of Brunswick County, pensions due him for the years 1911 and 1912.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the delivery of freight in the State.
The bill is recommitted to the Committee on Public Service Corporations.
H. B. 273, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of blind and deaf students.

The bill, as amended, fails to pass its second reading.

H. R. 267, a joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 493, S. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 398, Public Laws of 1909, relative to the pay of the substitute recorder of New Hanover County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 437, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a special court for High Point and High Point Township, with civil and criminal jurisdiction.

The bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 126, Private Laws of 1823, authorizing the surviving trustee to convey the site of Milton Male Academy to the trustees of Milton Graded School District.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 515, S. B. 321, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 40 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to consolidate and amend the road laws of Madison County."

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 520, S. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Robeson County to build a double-track iron bridge across Lumber River, in the town of Lumberton.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 518, S. B. 384, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint W. S. Howell a justice of the peace for Granville County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 608 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1911, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the charter of Elizabeth City."

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 508, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Currituck County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 471, S. B. 328, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 600 of the Public Local Laws of 1911.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 482, S. B. 159, a bill to be entitled an act to amend subsection 12 of section 1318, Revisal of 1905, in reference to powers and duties of county commissioners of Cherokee County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 491, S. B. 303, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain probates in Randolph County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 516, S. B. 373, a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the election of members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District Number One, in Cleveland County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for H. B. 200, S. B. 348, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to improve and repair the city hall and to contract therefor.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 456, S. B. 44, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to shipment of intoxicating liquors into Rutherford County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 466, S. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 276 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, relative to the prosecuting attorney's fee.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 469, S. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 459, S. B. 127, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Apostolic Holiness University of Guilford County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 134, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the killing and shipping of young calves for veal.

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

Substitute for H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the board of road supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public highways.

On motion of Mr. Roberts, the bill is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

Substitute for H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to Morganton Township road bonds, in Burke County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:

combe, Williams of Cabarrus, Williamson, Wilson, Weatherspoon, Witty, Wooten, Young of Vance—75.

Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled an act to revise the charter of the town of Clinton.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 462, S. B. 138, a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Special Tax District Number One in Rowland Township, Robeson County, for the white race; to create Rowland High School District; to authorize the board of trustees of said school district to issue bonds, and to levy an additional special tax; to purchase property; to authorize the town of Rowland to sell its school property and use funds arising from such sale, and for general purposes.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gatling, Gold, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 458, S. B. 52, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 649, Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled an act to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $100,000 in bonds for school purposes.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 477, S. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 478, S. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools and for other purposes.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gatling, Gold, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges,
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Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 480, S. B. 155, a bill to be entitled an act to permit the town of Winterville to issue bonds for electric lights and other public works and to levy a special tax.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 483, S. B. 161, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Holly Springs High School District, Holly Springs Township, Wake County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 484, S. B. 163, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 314, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled “An act to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton.”

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gatling, Gold, Graham, 14—House

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 486, S. B. 170, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 828, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to create a highway commission for Madison County and to provide funds for construction of a system of public roads and highways of said county."

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 487, S. B. 174, a bill to be entitled an act to permit Holly Springs High School District in Wake County to vote $10,000 of bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 488, S. B. 175, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 489, S. B. 177, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 341 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to issuance of bonds by Beaufort Township.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 479, S. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge Special School District Number One of South Whitakers Township, Nash County, North Carolina, and to change the name thereof to Red Oak School District.

Mr. Capelle offers a substitute, which is adopted and placed on the Calendar. The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 457, S. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 503, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 171, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the issuing of bonds for the purpose of owning, operating and maintaining a system of waterworks and electric light
plant; also for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the present graded school building of the town of Spencer, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 509, S. B. 304, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate and charter the town of Crestmont in Haywood County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 510, S. B. 325, a bill to be entitled an act to ratify the proceedings of the commissioners of Mecklenburg County in connection with the proposed issue of $110,000 bonds of said county to build a new county jail and construct highway bridges; to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative are: Mr. Stewart—1.
H. B. 511, S. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 512, S. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 513, S. B. 181, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 206, chapter 342, Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1907.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 514, S. B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 222 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina of 1913, authorizing the commissioners
of Mecklenburg County to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness, build a new county jail and construct certain highway bridges.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative are: Mr. Stewart—1.

H. B. 463, S. B. 139, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Rowland, Robeson County, so as to provide for sewerage, waterworks, electric lights and street improvements for said town, to issue bonds therefor, and to create a sinking fund, and for like purposes.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 517, S. B. 305, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkston.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.
H. B. 521, S. B. 318, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of the city of Hendersonville to issue municipal improvement bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 522, S. B. 301, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize and validate an election held in Coopers Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Coopers Township dated the first day of July, 1913.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 523, S. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Haywood County to refund the short-time bonds of Haywood County and to improve the public roads of said county.

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

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Haywood County to refund the short-time bonds of Haywood County and to improve the public roads of said county.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Connally, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Foy, Gatling, Gold, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Killian, Kellum, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, McClure, McNider, Noland, Page, Patton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Martin, of Cherokee, 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. 135, S. B. 290, an act to create the road district of Hookerton Precinct, Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or road district and issuing bonds for the same.

H. B. 166, S. B. 294, an act to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff, in Columbus County.

H. B. 430, S. B. 137, an act to change the length of the terms of the courts for the trial of criminal cases exclusively in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 422, S. B. 173, an act to amend chapter 2, Private Laws of 1911, relative to public libraries of Greensboro.

H. B. 423, S. B. 168, an act to amend chapter 504 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1907, entitled “An act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County.”

H. B. 356, S. B. 125, an act taxing dogs in Sampson County and making them subjects of larceny.

H. B. 238, S. B. 276, an act to incorporate Joyners chapel, Franklin County.

H. B. 392, S. B. 420, an act to amend chapter 402 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, 1913, relative to the propagation of diamond-back terrapin in Carteret County.

H. B. 247, S. B. 280, an act to protect birds in Mitchell County.

H. B. 358, S. B. 143, an act to amend chapter 651 of the Public Laws of 1909, pertaining to the municipal court of the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 417, S. B. 192, an act to incorporate the Liberty-Piedmont Institute.

H. B. 133, S. B. 114, an act to protect wild fowl and other game birds in Davie County.

H. B. 139, S. B. 232, an act supplementary to and amendatory to “An act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Perquimans County.”

H. B. 85, S. B. 211, an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds.

H. B. 66, S. B. 204, an act to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County, North Carolina.

H. B. 167, S. B. 295, an act to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships, Yancey County, and empower the county commissioners of said county to levy a special tax.

H. B. 353, S. B. 123, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Lexington and Yadkin College townships in Davidson County.

H. B. 77, S. B. 208, an act to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships, in Duplin County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.
H. B. 76, S. B. 207, an act to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs towns-
ships in Wayne County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the con-
struction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.
H. B. 4, S. B. 66, an act to repeal chapter 325 of the Public Local Laws of
1913.
H. B. 72, S. B. 205, an act to create a system of exclusive stock law bound-
aries by townships by vote of the citizens thereof for Jackson County, and to
reduce taxes.
H. B. 427, S. B. 153, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Washinton
Township, Beaufort County.
H. B. 92, S. B. 215, an act to provide for special assessment for improving
the sidewalks in the town of Trenton.
H. B. 420, S. B. 179, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of
1913, so as to provide an additional term of court for Gaston County.
H. B. 352, S. B. 122, an act to provide for distribution of tax levied and col-
lected in Lexington Township, Davidson County, for the working of the pub-
lic roads of Lexington Township, between the town of Lexington and the
balance of the township.
H. B. 354, S. B. 124, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, rela-
tive to the Superior Courts of Davidson County.
H. B. 169, S. B. 250, an act to repeal chapter 256 of the Public Local Laws
of 1913, relating to the hunting and killing of squirrels in Chatham County.
H. B. 220, S. B. 265, an act to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in
Franklin County.
H. B. 143, S. B. 291, an act to amend chapter 24 of the Private Laws of 1913,
entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Drexel in Burke County."
H. B. 108, S. B. 221, an act to amend chapter 164, section 1 thereof.
H. B. 230, S. B. 270, an act to amend chapter 659 of the Public Local Laws
of 1913, relative to game in Lincoln County.
H. B. 291, S. B. 415, an act to amend the charter of the town of Wadesboro.
H. B. 153, S. B. 242, an act to amend chapter 217, Private Laws of 1909, rela-
tive to street improvement in the town of Sanford.
H. B. 130, S. B. 288, an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the
town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks sys-
tem in said town and levy taxes for payment thereof.
H. B. 5, S. B. 195, an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913,
the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the
construction of a sewerage system for said town.
H. B. 63, S. B. 92, an act to amend the law relative to the time for holding
courts in Washington and Beaufort counties.
H. B. 209, S. B. 350, an act to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws
of North Carolina passed at session of 1913, relative to the public roads of
Jones County.
H. B. 128, S. B. 227, an act to amend the vital statistics law.
H. B. 207, S. B. 349, an act to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of
1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County.
H. B. 91, S. B. 156, an act to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of the
public road crossings of Burke County by freight trains.
H. B. 214, S. B. 268, an act to incorporate Perry's Chapel, a Baptist church,
in Franklin County.
H. B. 218, S. B. 353, an act to amend chapter 338 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the public roads of Scuppernong Township, in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 416, S. B. 193, an act authorizing the commissioners of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina, to use certain funds of said town, known as "the sewerage fund," for street improvement and for other purposes.

H. B. 431, S. B. 49, an act to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind.

H. B. 152, S. B. 289, an act to amend chapter 271 of the Public Local Laws of the general session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, ratified March 3, 1913, entitled "An act for the better construction, maintaining and repairing the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.

H. B. 126, S. B. 225, an act to incorporate Walkersville church in Union County.

H. B. 121, S. B. 287, an act to authorize the road trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckaseigee River.

H. B. 217, S. B. 264, an act to repeal chapter 264 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting quail in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 357, S. B. 134, an act to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1905, and chapter 188 of the Public Local Laws of 1911.

H. B. 228, S. B. 355, an act to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township, and to issue bonds in Surry County.

H. B. 355, S. B. 126, an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, same being the charter of the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 426, S. B. 157, an act to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.

H. B. 418, S. B. 183, an act to appoint John E. Cobb a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 424, S. B. 167, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, and changing the time for holding the February and September terms of the Superior Court of Bertie County.

H. B. 425, S. B. 171, an act prescribing the place for advertisements and sales required to be made and held at the courthouse door in Wayne County while the new courthouse of said county is under construction.

H. B. 421, S. B. 178, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, in respect to the courts of Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 432, S. B. 37, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of Cherokee County.

H. B. 89, S. B. 214, an act to provide for special assessment for improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont.

H. R. 265, S. R. 176, joint resolution to invite the President of the United States to deliver the address at the dedication of the monument to the North Carolina Women of the Confederacy donated to the State by Col. Ashley Horne.


H. B. 159, S. B. 292, an act to amend the road laws of Jackson County so as
to allow trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances, and for other purposes.

H. B. 428, S. B. 147, an act to regulate the pay of jurors in Pitt County.
H. B. 32, S. B. 59, an act to provide for the election of a cotton weigher for the town of Lincolnton in Lincoln County.

On motion of Mr. Majette, the House goes into committee of the whole for the purpose of considering H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, and consideration of said bill is referred to said committee, with Mr. Kellum in the chair.

On motion of Mr. Bowie, the committee of the whole rises, and the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy.

The committee reports through its chairman as follows:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole, having under consideration H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, recommends the adoption of section 1, article 5, and fails to recommend the adoption of section 6 thereof.

KELLUM, for Committee.

On motion of Mr. Bynum, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 9:30 a.m.

TWELFTH DAY.

House of Representatives, October 7, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Joyner, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read and stands approved.

On motion of Mr. Whitfield, H. B. 400, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Number Five Township, Craven County, is taken from the Committee on Justices of the Peace and referred to the Committee on the Calendar.

Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.

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

By Mr. Allred, H. B. 542, a bill to be entitled an act to validate certain acts of the deputy register of deeds of Johnston County.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Kellum, H. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the shrimp industry in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint R. W. S. Pegram and Eli Johnson justices of the peace in Antioch Township, Wilkes County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.
By Mr. Wallace, H. B. 547, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Morehead City Township, Carteret County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Majette, H. B. 548, a bill to be entitled an act to create a commission on problems and conditions in rural districts.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Woodard, H. B. 549, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to obstructing streams.

Referred to Committee on 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. 354, H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River.

The House concurs and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 364, H. B. 543, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County.

Referred to Committee on Drainage.

S. B. 341, H. B. 544, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh highway.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads and Turnpikes.

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. Weatherspoon, for Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 527, S. B. 372, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the fifth judicial district, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Young, for Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. R. 362, joint resolution relating to railroad reduction rates, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Ray, for Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 434, S. B. 46, a bill to be entitled an act to protect sheep, hogs, cows, and other livestock in that part of Harnett County west of the Cape Fear River, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, for Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts:

H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 171, Public Laws of 1913, being an act supplemental to an act dividing the State into twenty Superior Court judicial districts and to fix the number of weeks for courts for each, and for other purposes, with a favorable report.

H. B. 79, S. B. 101, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for the holding of the Superior Courts of Union and Scotland counties, with a favorable report.

H. B. 473, S. B. 327, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Superior Court of Edgecombe County, with a favorable report.
By Mr. Miller, for Committee on Liquor Traffic:
H. B. 294, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the sale of beer in New Hanover, with an unfavorable report.
B. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity, with a favorable report.

CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the erection of a suitable building by the Department of Agriculture.
The bill fails to pass its second reading.
H. B. 540, S. B. 180, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 268 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to good roads bond issue in Person County.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the negative, none.
Substitute for H. B. 479, S. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act surveying boundaries in School District No. 1, South Whitakers Township, Nash County, and authorizing a bond issue therein.
The substitute passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, Noland, Page, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Seawell, Sheek, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitfield, Whitford, White, Williams of Buncombe, Williams of Cabarrus, Wil-
liamson, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of Vance—98.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 533, S. B. 48, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 531, S. B. 390, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for repairing and improving the courthouse in said county.

The bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 538, S. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Mooresville, N. C., to issue bonds without resubmitting the question to a vote of the qualified voters of said town, to improve streets, install waterworks and sewerage system.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 533, S. B. 379, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 491 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled “An act to
authorize the board of commissioners of Madison County to levy a special
tax and to construct certain bridges."

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place
on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,
Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan,
Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark,
Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd,
Dunning, Etheridge, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham,
Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore,
Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn,
Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair,
McNider, Noland, Page, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray,
Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Ross, Seawell, Sheek, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson,
Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whit-
field, Whitford, White, Williams of Buncombe, Williams of Cabarrus, Wil-
liamson, Weatherspoon, Witty, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of
Vance—98.

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 537, S. B. 335, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of
Norman, Richmond County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place
on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred,
Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan,
Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark,
Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd,
Dunning, Etheridge, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham,
Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore,
Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn,
Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 532, S. B. 358, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Venable.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 528, S. B. 359, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and to operate and maintain a system of waterworks.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 526, S. B. 339, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county, and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation.
The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 511, S. B. 156, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 522, S. B. 301, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize and validate an election held in Coopers Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Coopers Township dated the 1st day of July, 1913.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, 15—House

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 517, S. B. 305, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkton.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 521, S. B. 318, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of the city of Hendersonville to issue municipal improvement bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 513, S. B. 181, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 206 of chapter 324, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1907.
The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 512, S. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 503, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 171, Private Laws of North Carolina, 1913, relating to issue of bonds for the purpose of owning, operating and maintaining a system of waterworks and electric light plant; also for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the present graded school building of the town of Spencer, N. C.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Hutchins, Justice, Kellum, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 510, S. B. 325, a bill to be entitled an act to ratify the proceedings of the commissioners of Mecklenburg County in connection with the proposed issue of $110,000 bonds of said county to build a new county jail and construct highway bridges, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative are: Mr. Stewart—1.

H. B. 509, S. B. 304. a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate and charter the town of Crestmont in Haywood County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 457, S. B. 51, a bill to be entitled an act to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings.
The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate for concurrence:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 514, S. B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 222 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, authorizing the commissioners of Mecklenburg County to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness, to build a new county jail and to construct certain highway bridges.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative are: Mr. Stewart—1.

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled an act providing for a special road tax levy in Spring Hill Township, Scotland County, and increasing the pay of jurors in the criminal court of Scotland County.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Coffield, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Ferguson, Fay, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of IredeI, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore,

Those voting in the negative, none.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Hatchett, 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. 520, S. B. 386, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Robeson County to build a double track iron bridge across Lumber River in the town of Lumberton, Robeson County.


H. B. 477, S. B. 142, an act to authorize the commissioners of the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

H. B. 459, S. B. 127, an act to incorporate the Apostolic Holiness University in Guilford County.

H. B. 145, S. B. 236, an act to regulate fishing in Six Runs River, Sampson County.

H. B. 471, S. B. 328, an act to amend chapter 600, Public Local Laws of 1911.

H. B. 478, S. B. 150, an act to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools, and for other purposes.

H. B. 518, S. B. 384, an act to appoint Dr. S. Howell a justice of the peace for Fishing Creek Township, Granville County.

H. B. 154, S. B. 243, an act to amend chapter 71 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the recorder's court of Transylvania County.

H. B. 462, S. B. 138, an act to change the name of Special Tax District Number One in Rowland Township, Robeson County, for the white race; to create Rowland High School District; to authorize the board of trustees of said school district to issue bonds and to levy an additional special tax; to purchase property; to authorize the town of Rowland to sell its school property and use the funds arising from such sale, and for general purposes.

H. B. 491, S. B. 303, an act to validate probates of certain instruments in the county of Randolph.

H. B. 463, S. B. 139, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rowland, Robeson County, so as to provide for sewerage, waterworks, electric lights and street improvements for said town, and to issue bonds therefor, and to create a sinking fund, and for like purposes.

H. B. 480, S. B. 155, an act to permit the town of Winterville to issue bonds for electric lights and other public works, and to levy a special tax.

H. B. 516, S. B. 373, an act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for
the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District No. 1 in Cleveland County, North Carolina," ratified on the 30th day of September, 1913.

H. B. 488, S. B. 175, an act to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and to increase the tax levy.

H. B. 200, S. B. 348, an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to improve and repair the city hall and to contract therefor.

H. B. 216, S. B. 352, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrrell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same.

H. B. 50, S. B. 200, an act to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township and improve the public roads in said township, if requested by a majority of the voters of said township.

H. B. 487, S. B. 174, an act to permit Holly Springs High School District, in Wake County, to vote $10,000 of bonds.

H. B. 47, S. B. 199, an act to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County.

H. B. 212, S. B. 351, an act to amend chapter 424 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of public roads in the county of Beaufort.

H. B. 515, S. B. 321, an act to amend chapter 40 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to consolidate and amend the road laws of Madison County as enacted by chapter 200 of Public Local Laws of 1909, and as amended by chapter 392 of the Public Local Laws of 1911."

H. B. 484, S. B. 163, an act to amend chapter 314, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton."

H. B. 493, S. B. 311, an act to amend chapter 398 of the Public Laws of 1909, relative to the pay of the substitute recorder of New Hanover County.

H. B. 489, S. B. 177 an act to amend chapter 341 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

H. B. 469, S. B. 317, an act to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 458, S. B. 52, an act to amend chapter 649, Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 466, S. B. 309, an act to amend chapter 276 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to the prosecuting attorney's fee.

H. B. 456, S. B. 44, an act to amend chapter 389 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to the shipment of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County.

H. B. 486, S. B. 170, an act to amend chapter 828, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, entitled "An act to create a highway commission for Madison County, and to provide funds for construction of a system of public roads and highways in said county."

H. R. 45, S. R. 286, a joint resolution requesting Congress to investigate the interpretation and administration of the act to regulate interstate commerce.

On motion of Mr. Stewart, the House goes into committee of the whole for the purpose of considering H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, with Mr. Kellum in the chair.

On motion of Mr. Bowle, the committee of the whole rises, and the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy, resuming consideration of its Calendar.
Mr. Kellum, for the Committee of the Whole, reports as follows:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole, having under consideration H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, reports as follows:

The committee recommends that:
Paragraph 13, section 1, be adopted.
Paragraph 14 be adopted up to subsection 2.
Article 5, section 6, be referred to a committee of five to be appointed by the chair. The chair appointed Messrs. Williams of Buncombe, Seawell, Doughton, Dowd, Majette.
Paragraph 2 be not adopted.
Paragraph 3, subsection 6, the amendments of Messrs. Justice and Page, are adopted and the paragraph as a whole, with amendments, fails to be adopted upon a call of the roll.

Kellum, for Committee.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Anson, the House takes a recess until 8:15 o'clock tonight.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy.

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. Justice, for the Committee on the Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing the rate to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Clayton, for the Committee on Drainage, H. B. 543, S. B. 364, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County, with a favorable report, as amended.

Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.

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

By Mr. Boney, H. B. 550, a bill to be entitled an act to legalize and ratify $2,000 of good roads bonds in Rockfish Good Roads District, Rockfish Township, Duplin County.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Calendar.

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

H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1747 of The Revisal of 1905, affecting the registration of grants.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 547, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Morehead City Township.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 473, S. B. 327, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Superior Courts of Edgecombe County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 168, a bill to be entitled an act relative to holding Superior Courts in Randolph County.

The bill 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 appoint R. W. S. Pegram and Eli Johnson justices of the peace in Antioch Township, Wilkes County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 434, S. B. 46, a bill to be entitled an act to protect sheep, hogs, cows, and other live-stock in that part of Harnett County west of the Cape Fear River.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 545, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the shrimp industry of North Carolina.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 549, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to obstructing streams.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 400, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Number-Five Township, Craven County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 79, S. B. 101, a bill to be entitled an act to change the time for the holding of the Superior Courts of Union and Scotland counties.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 171, Public Laws of 1913, being an act supplemental to an act relative to dividing the State into twenty Superior Court judicial districts and to fix the number of weeks for courts for each, and for other purposes.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 527, S. B. 372, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 196 of the
Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding courts in the fifth judicial district.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 535, S. B. 162, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of game birds in Robeson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 536, S. B. 383 a bill to be entitled an act to prevent hunting of foxes in Lee County between certain dates.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 539, S. B. 160, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 452 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled “An act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County and to increase the road fund and the school fund.”

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 362, a joint resolution concerning reduction of railroad rates.

Upon the passage of the resolution Mr. Clark calls for the ayes and noes.

The call is sustained.

The resolution passes its second reading by the following vote:


Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Buchanan, Carroll, Clark, Dowd, Etheridge, Ferguson, Haymore, Hooker, Kellum, McBryde, McNair, McClure, Newell, Payne, Perry, Reavis, Sheek, Snell, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Whittford, Williamson—23.

The resolution passes its third reading, 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. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina.

An amendment is offered by the committee, which is adopted by the House, and the bill, as amended by the committee, comes up for consideration.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill, as amended, on its second reading.

On this Mr. Justice calls 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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Bell, Bennett, Boney, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle,


The question recurs upon the passage of the bill on its third reading.

Mr. Justice sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Majette sends forward an amendment.

Both amendments are adopted.

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

Mr. Page makes the motion that the vote by which H. R. 362, joint resolution concerning reduction of railroad rates, passed its second and third readings, be reconsidered.

The motion is lost.

On motion of Mr. Ray, the House adjourns until tomorrow at 10:30 a.m.

THIRTEENTH DAY.

House of Representatives, October 8, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Dr. O'Kelly, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read, and 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. White, for the Committee on Agriculture, H. B. 499, S. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the Department of Agriculture to manufacture material for inoculating cultures of leguminous crops, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts: H. B. 529, S. B. 166, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court, with a favorable report.

H. B. 495, S. B. 314 a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Brunswick County, with a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Ray, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

H. B. 415, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Halifax
County as contained in chapter 444 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Majette, for the Committee on Education:

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 173, Public Laws, session of 1913, entitled an act to make school attendance compulsory. This act applies to Madison and Avery counties only, with a favorable report.

H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the graded school charter of the town of North Wilkesboro, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wallace, for the Committee on Finance:

H. R. 396, joint resolution to authorize the sale of thirty-five acres of land in the southeastern limits of the city of Raleigh now used by the Institution for the Blind, with a favorable report.

H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Machinery Act of 1913, with reference to settlement of State taxes, with favorable report.

By Mr. Stewart, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 525, a bill to be entitled an act to provide additional assistance for the Corporation Commission, with unfavorable report.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 244, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts in Duplin County, with favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Woodard, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a public service commission for North Carolina and to define its powers and duties, and to authorize the Governor to appoint the members thereof, with a favorable report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills and find them properly engrossed, as follows:

H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Rodman, H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal House Bill 63, special session of 1913, ratified the 6th day of October, 1913, to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in the first judicial district; to remove Washington County from the second judicial district to the first judicial district.

The rules are suspended and the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Mewborne, H. B. 552, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified on the third day of October, 1913, being an act to amend chap-
ter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and
being an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Greene County,
to provide for special tax for the same, and to facilitate the disposition of
road bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified
voters of Onslow County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock
law.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. McNair, H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 529
of the Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to protect fish in Robeson
County."

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Thomas of Davidson, H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled an act supple-
mental to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913
to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to
borrow money and increase the tax levy.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. White, H. B. 556, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 591
of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting game in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on 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. McBryde, H. B. 557, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the
manufacture and sale of wine and cider or beer within one mile of Bowmore
Methodist church in Hoke County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and
is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Wilson, H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the com-
ensation of members of the board of education of Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and
is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Dowd, H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 197
of the Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina
Corporation Commission.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

The rules are suspended, 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 and
resolutions, which are read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 188, H. B. 560, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 441, chap-
ter 12, Revisal of 1905, relative to validating irregular service on infants.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

Substitute for S. B. 515, H. B. 399, a bill to be entitled an act to establish
stock law in Duplin County.

Recommitted to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 156, H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for the building of a town hall, and for street improvements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes. For concurrence in Senate amendment.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 241, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913.

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

H. B. 492, S. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code.

Recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 244, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts in Duplin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 371, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to Superior Courts in Surry County.

The bill 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. 540, S. B. 180, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 268 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the good roads bond issue in Person County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 479, S. B. 151, a bill to be entitled an act changing the
boundaries of School District No. 1 in South Whitakers Township, Nash County, and authorizing a bond issue therein.

The substitute passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 533, S. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Mooresville, North Carolina, to issue bonds without resubmitting the question to a vote of the qualified voters of said town, to improve streets, install waterworks and sewerage system.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 533, S. B. 379, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 491 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax and to construct certain bridges."

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 537, S. B. 385, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the town of Norman, Richmond County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 534, S. B. 128, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hutchins, Hooker, Justice, Kellum, Koonce, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McBryde, McClure, McMillan, McNair, McNider, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Pickard, Porter, Price, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Rodman, Ross, Ruffin, Seawell, Sheek, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stevens, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 532, S. B. 358, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Venable.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 528, S. B. 359, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and operate and maintain a system of waterworks.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 526, S. B. 339, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county, and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation.

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The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 539, S. B. 48, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds.

The substitute passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 460, S. B. 130, a bill to provide for the protection and keeping up of the public roads of Anson County.

Substitute adopted and placed on the Calendar for second reading.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Martin of Cherokee, 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. 434, S. B. 46, an act to protect sheep, hogs, cows, and other live-stock in that part of Harnett County west of the Cape Fear River.

H. B. 473, S. B. 327, an act relating to the Superior Courts of Edgecombe County.
H. B. 536, S. B. 383, an act to prevent the hunting of foxes in Lee County between certain dates.

H. B. 535, S. B. 162, an act for the protection of game birds in Robeson County.

H. B. 510, S. B. 325, an act to ratify the proceedings of the commissioners of Mecklenburg County in connection with the proposed issue of $100,000 bonds of said county to build a new county jail and construct highway bridges, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

H. B. 187, S. B. 345, an act to amend chapter 792, Public Laws of 1907, as amended by chapter 861, Public Laws of 1909, relating to Dunn Road District.

H. B. 482, S. B. 159, an act to amend subsection 12 of section 1318, chapter 23, Revival of 1905, in reference to powers and duties of county commissioners of Cherokee County.

H. B. 57, S. B. 202, an act to amend section 201 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County."

H. B. 227, S. B. 354, an act authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River.

H. B. 530, S. B. 160, an act to amend chapter 452 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1911, entitled "An act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County, and to increase the road fund and the school fund."

H. B. 512, S. B. 316, an act to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company.

H. B. 162, S. B. 293, an act to provide for a road commission for Columbus County.

H. B. 521, S. B. 318, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of the city of Hendersonville to issue municipal improvement bonds.

H. B. 78, S. B. 209, an act to amend chapter 269 of the Private Laws of 1913.

H. B. 517, S. B. 305, an act to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkston.

H. B. 177, S. B. 399, an act to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debts heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses.

H. B. 328, S. B. 444, an act to require the commissioners of Watauga County to construct two public bridges in said county—one across New River near Three Forks church.

H. B. 509, S. B. 304, an act to incorporate and charter the town of Crestmont in Haywood County.

H. B. 514, S. B. 324, an act to amend chapter 222 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina of 1913, authorizing the commissioners of Mecklenburg County to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness, build a new county jail, and construct certain highway bridges.

H. B. 73, S. B. 101, an act to change the time for the holding of the Superior Courts of Union and Scotland counties.

H. B. 527, S. B. 372, an act to amend section 1, chapter 196, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the fifth judicial district.
The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a Public Service Commission for North Carolina and to define its powers and duties, and to authorize the Governor to appoint the members thereof.

Mr. Dellinger sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Reavis moves to lay on the table.

The question recurs upon the motion of Mr. Reavis to table, and Mr. Reavis calls for the ayes and noes.

Call sustained. The motion is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Burleson, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Coffield, Deaver, Dellinger, Doughton, Dunning, Faircloth, Ferguson, Foy, Gatling, Haymore, Hodges, Killian, Martin of Cherokee, Mashburn, Mauney, Mills, McClure, Newell, Noland, Patton, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Sheek, Snell, Stallings, Stewart, Whitfield, Williams of Cabarrus—40.


The question recurs upon the amendments as they are offered.

Pending further consideration of the bill and amendments, on motion of Mr. Majette, the House takes a recess until tonight at 8 o'clock.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, with Mr. Speaker Murphy in the Chair, and resumes consideration of H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a Public Service Commission for North Carolina, and to define its powers and duties, and to authorize the Governor to appoint the members thereof.

The question recurs upon the adoption of the substitute sent forward by Mr. Allred.

Upon this Mr. Kellum calls for the ayes and noes. Call sustained.

The substitute passes its second reading by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Bunn, Burleson, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clayton, Coffield, Cornwell, Cox, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Doughton, Dunning, Foy, Gatling, Gordon, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hall, Hooker, Killian, Long, Majette, Martin of Cherokee, Martin of Cumberland, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills, Miller, McPhail, Page, Patton, Payne, Perry, Phillips, Ray, Reavis, Rector, Roberts, Rodman, Ross, Ruffin, Seawell, Sikes, Snell, Stallings, Stephenson, Stevens, Stewart, Thomas of Davidson, Tillett, Wall, Wallace, Whitfield, Whitford, White, Williams of
Hertford, Williamson, Wilson, Weatherspoon, Witty, Wooten, Young of Harnett—75.


The following pair is announced: Mr. Gaither, aye; Mr. Dowd, no.

The question recurs upon the passage of the substitute on its third reading.

The substitute passes its third reading, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

The original bill is laid on the table.

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. Capelle, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1, substitute for H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the board of road supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public highways, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Gaither, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees, H. R. 266, joint resolution in regard to extra pay for the pages of the Senate and of the House of Representatives, 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. Doughton, H. B. 561, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 406 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the public road from Thurman, North Carolina, to Trap Hill, Wilkes County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Clayton, H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent drag nets being used in the waters of Rose Bay and its tributaries in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. McNider, H. B. 572, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act to amend the law relating to the time for holding courts in Washington and Beaufort counties."

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 573, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the collection or sale of floating logs in Perquimans County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. B. 368, H. B. 563, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 640 of the
Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to the disposition of public funds of Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 310, H. B. 566, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort, Avery, and Watauga counties.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 367, H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 129, H. B. 565, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2, of chapter 59, of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the publication of ordinances by the city of Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 340, H. B. 570, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Edgecombe County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 320, H. B. 569, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 110, H. B. 105 a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the delivery and sale of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties.

Substitute adopted, and the bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 437, H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the Superior Courts of Lee County.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 333, H. B. 568, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Superior Courts of Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 234, H. B. 142 a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, regulating the holding of courts in Pitt County.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 172, H. B. 571, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 702 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act authorizing the board of commissioners of Madison County to establish a recorder's court.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 377, H. B. 567, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County, North Carolina, in regard to stock running at large.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 115, H. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Hiwassee Valley Railroad Company, chartered by chapter 254, Private Laws, regular session of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Martin of Cherokee, 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. 281, S. B. 432, an act to amend, ratify, approve and confirm chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County."


On motion of Mr. Graham, the House adjourns, to meet tomorrow at 9 a. m

FOURTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 9, 1913.

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

Prayer by Representative Dellinger.

The Journal of yesterday is read, and the same stands approved.

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. Sikes, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1913, relating to probate of trust deeds to building and loan associations, with a favorable report.

H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to require a second sale of real estate by mortgagees, trustees, and those making sale by virtue of the power contained in will, with a favorable report.

H. B. 461, S. B. 133, a bill to be entitled an act to cure certain defective registrations of deeds in Jackson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 476, S. B. 132, a bill to be entitled an act to cure the defective probate of certain wills made by nonresidents prior to January 1, 1895, in Jackson County, with a favorable report.

H. B. 492, S. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act to validate deeds of married women who prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Ray, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, H. B. 399, S. B. 513, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock law in Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Sikes, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1590 of The Revisal of 1905, relating to the sale of contingent remainders. Reported without prejudice.

The rules are suspended, and the bill is put upon its immediate passage.

The bill fails to pass its second reading.
By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Appropriations:
H. B. 455, S. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 55 of the Public Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care and cleaning of the new State building, with a favorable report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills and find them properly engrossed, as follows:

H. B. 546, a bill to be entitled an act appointing justices of the peace in the counties of Wilkes, Pender, Dare, Yancey, Jones, Burke, Perquimans, Gaston, Wake, New Hanover, Brunswick, and Avery.

H. B. 241, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Brawley, H. B. 574, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 223, Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1909, entitled an act to establish a special criminal court in the city of Durham and Durham Township, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof."

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Gold, H. R. 575, a joint resolution to fill a vacancy in the board of trustees of the University of North Carolina.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 576, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of John Howell, a Confederate soldier of Lee County.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, by request, H. R. 577, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Senate and House of Representatives.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Newell, H. B. 578, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 20, chapter 560, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting birds in Warren County.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Mintz, H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in Wayne County.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 570, S. B. 340, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Edgecombe County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 561, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 406, Public Local
Laws of 1913, relative to the public road from Thurman, North Carolina, to Trap Hill, Wilkes County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent drag-nets being used in the waters of Rose Bay and its tributaries, in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 173, Public Laws, session 1913, entitled "An act to make school attendance compulsory."

The bill 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 amend the graded school charter of the town of North Wilkesboro.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 567, S. B. 377, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County, North Carolina, in regard to stock running at large.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 563, S. B. 368, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 645, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to the disposition of public funds of Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. R. 396, a joint resolution to authorize the sale of thirty-five acres of land in the southeastern limits of the city of Raleigh, now used by the institution for the blind.

The resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 571, S. B. 172, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 702, Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Madison County to establish a recorder's court.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 568, S. B. 393, a bill to be entitled an act relating to the Superior Courts of Cumberland County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 569, S. B. 320, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 529, Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to protect fish in Robeson County."

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 495, S. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of holding courts in Brunswick County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

H. B. 566, S. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort, Avery and Watauga counties.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
Substitute for H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the board of road supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public highways.

The 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. 415, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the road law of Halifax County as contained in chapter 444, Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 564, S. B 367, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace in Robeson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for H. B. 565, S. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 2 of article 2 of chapter 59, Private Laws of 1913, relative to the publication of ordinances of the city of Raleigh.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 399, S. B. 513, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock law in Duplin County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled an act supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 552, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified October 3, 1913, being "An act to amend chapter 261, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913," and being an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Greene County and to provide for special tax for the same, and to facilitate the disposition of road bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Bum-

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 460, S. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the protection and keeping up the public roads of Anson County.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness incurred in advertising in creation of the county.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.
On motion of Mr. Williams of Buncombe, the House goes into committee of the whole for the purpose of considering H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, and consideration of said bill is referred to said committee, with Mr. Kellum in the chair.

On motion of Mr. Brawley, the committee of the whole rises, and the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy.

The committee reports through its chairman as follows:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole, having under consideration H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, recommends the adoption of section 6, article 5, as amended, and article 5, as amended, by the committee of the whole house.

KELLUM, For the Committee.

On motion of Mr. Page, the House adjourns until 8 o'clock tonight.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy, and resumes consideration of business.

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. Capelle, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

H. B. 498, S. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 182, Public Laws of 1911, extending time for registration of grants, with a favorable report.

H. B. 490, S. B. 300, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4131 of The Revisal of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning lands for school sites, with a favorable report.

H. B. 560, S. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 441, chapter 12, Revisal of 1905, relative to validating irregular service on infants, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bowle, for the Committee on Banks and Currency, H. B. 519, S. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the employment of an additional bank examiner, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Wallace, for the Committee on Fish and Fisheries, H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent dragnets being used in the waters of Rose Bay and its tributaries, in Hyde County, with a favorable report.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.

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

By Mr. Williams, of Cabarrus, H. B. 586, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 201, section 29, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the tax on shows.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.
By Mr. Thomas of Anson, H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 339, Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relative to the Ansonville High School District.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Graham, H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, Public Laws of 1907, so as to increase pensions of the fourth class from $30 to $32.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Hall, H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the State Board of Pensions to raise William Pinkney Whitley from the fourth to the third-class pension.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Deaver, H. B. 590, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for a certain township in Transylvania County.

The rules are suspended, 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 and resolutions, which are read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 507, H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled an act to establish in the county of Hyde a special court to be called the recorder's court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 338, H. B. 580, a bill to be entitled an act to nominate and elect the chairman of the board of commissioners of Rockingham County and to require him to devote his whole time to the business of the county.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 452, H. B. 381, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and modify the public road law of Pitt County.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 239, H. B. 150, a bill to be entitled an act to provide better railroad facilities for the people of the town of Jacksonville, North Carolina.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 426, H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the division of the State into judicial districts and for holding the courts."

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 471, H. B. 450, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize fence commissioners of Harnett County to sell the stock law fence.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 380, H. B. 582, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 541, Public Laws of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at session of 1901.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 395, H. B. 581, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District No. 17, Dare County, North Carolina.
Referred to the Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 479, H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 761, Public Local Laws of 1913, as to wholesale druggists in Guilford County.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 365, H. B. 583, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County.
Referred to the Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 483, H. B. 372, a bill to be entitled an act to declare the law and regulate the management of the House of Correction or reformatory of Forsyth County, established under chapter 6 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 374, H. B. 584, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Bethany Presbyterian church in Union County, and to prohibit the manufacture or making of cider, wine or other intoxicating drinks.
Referred to the Committee on Calendar.
S. B. 361, H. B. 585, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of trustees of Andrews School District in Cherokee County.
Referred to the Committee on Calendar.
H. B. 97, S. B. 217, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 242, S. B. 356, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of High Point.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 253, H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the powers of the board of county commissioners of Yadkin County for the purpose of improving the public roads.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 560, S. B. 188, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 441, chapter 12, Revisal of 1905, relative to validating irregular service on infants.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 461, S. B. 132, a bill to be entitled an act to cure certain defective registrations of deeds in Jackson County.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 476, S. B. 132, a bill to be entitled an act to cure the defective probate of certain wills made by nonresidents prior to January 1, 1895, in Jackson County.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 543, S. B. 364, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County.

The committee amendment is adopted, and the bill is sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.

Mr. Brawley moves to adopt the report of the committee of the whole house. The report of the committee of the whole house is adopted by the following vote, and the bill, as amended by the committee of the whole house, is placed upon the Calendar for its second reading:


Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Bowie, Deaver, Dunning, Hodges, Whitford, Williams of Cabarrus—6.

The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading. Mr. Bowie sends forward an amendment. Upon the adoption of the amendment of Mr. Bowie, Mr. Ray demands the ayes and noes. The call is sustained.

The amendment of Mr. Bowie is lost by the following vote:


The question recurs again upon the passage of the bill, as amended, upon its second reading, and Mr. Page sends forward an amendment. Upon the adoption of the amendment, Mr. Page demands the ayes and noes. The call is sustained.
The amendment of Mr. Page is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Brawley, Buchanan, Bunn, Carroll, Clark, Coffield, Cromartie, Deaver, Faircloth, Gordon, Haymore, Hodges, Justice, Koonce, Mashburn, Mull, McClure, McMillan, Page, Price, Rodman, Sheek, Snell, Stallings, Wallace, Williams of Cabarrus, Williamson, Young of Harnett—29.


The question recurs upon the passage of the bill upon its second reading. Mr. Phillips sends forward an amendment, which amendment is lost.

Mr. Graham sends forward an amendment, which is lost.

Mr. Williams of Buncombe calls the previous question. The call is sustained, and the bill, as amended by the committee of the whole house, passes its second reading by the following vote:


Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Bowie, Buchanan, Bumgarner, Clark, Clayton, Deaver, Dunning, Etheridge, Faircloth, Hodges, Hutchins, Mewborne, Williams of Cabarrus—13.

The following pair is announced: Mr. Gold, aye; Mr. Whitford, no.

The rules are suspended, and the bill is placed upon its third reading.

Mr. Justice sends forward an amendment, and upon the adoption of the amendment Mr. Ray demands the ayes and noes. The call is sustained. The amendment of Mr. Justice is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs. Allred, Bell, Bennett, Brawley, Carlton, Clark, Coffield, Cox, Cromartie, Deaver, Etheridge, Faircloth, Gordon, Graham, Hatchett, Justice, Kellum, Koonce, Majette, Miller, Mintz, Mull, McMillan, Noland, Page, Payne, Pickard, Reavis, Rodman, Ruffin, Sheek, Snell, Stallings, Stewart, Thomas of Anson, Wallace, White, Williams of Cabarrus, Williams of Hertford, Williamson—40.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Allen, Austin, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Buchanan, Bunn, Carroll, Clayton, Cornwell, Crisp, Dellingar, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Foy, Gatling, Grier of Iredell, Griffin, Hall, Hooker, Killian, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, McClure, Newell, Patton, Phillips, Price, Ray, Roberts, Ross, Stephenson, Stevens, Wall, Whitford, Wil-
Mr. Graham sends forward an amendment, and upon that Mr. Ray demands the ayes and noes. The call is sustained. The amendment of Mr. Graham is lost by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Brawley, Buchanan, Carlton, Clark, Coffield, Cromartie, Dunning, Etheridge, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Graham, Grier of Mecklenburg, Hatchett, Kellum, Koonce, Majette, Mashburn, Miller, Mull, McClure, McMillan, Page, Ray, Reavis, Ruffin, Sikes, Stallings, Thomas of Anson, Wallace, Williams of Buncombe, Williams of Cabarrus, Woodard, Young of Harnett—44.


Mr. Justice sends forward an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Dowd sends forward an amendment, which is lost.

Mr. Clark sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Graham sends forward a substitute for the amendment offered by Mr. Clark, and the substitute is lost.

The question recurs upon the amendment of Mr. Clark. The amendment is lost.

Mr. Miller sends forward an amendment, which is lost.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Bowie, Bumgarner, Carroll, Clark, Deaver, Graham, Haymore, Hodges, Mashburn, Mewborne, McClure, Sheek, Whitford, Williams of Cabarrus—14.

On motion of Mr. Clark, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 10 a. m.
FIFTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 10, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Mr. North.

The Journal of yesterday is read, and the same stands approved.

REPORT 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. Weatherspoon, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts:
H. B. 569, S. B. 326, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County, with a favorable report.
H. B. 573, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the collection or sale of floating logs in Perquimans County, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bolick, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 465, S. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County and to levy a tax for the same," unfavorable as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute.

By Mr. Justice, for the Committee on Constitutional Amendments, H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 27 of article 4 of the Constitution of North Carolina, so as to make uniform the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in all civil actions, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Williams, of Cabarrus, for the Committee on Calendar, H. R. 577, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Senate and House of Representatives.

Recommitted to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Weatherspoon, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts, H. B. 572, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act to amend the law relating to the time of holding courts in Washington and Beaufort counties," with a favorable report.

By Mr. Bolick, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
H. B. 429, S. B. 144, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 645, Public Local Laws of North Carolina of 1911, entitled "An act to provide for the proper deposit of all public funds of Robeson County," with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 144, Private Laws of 1913, relative to the jurisdiction of the mayor and police outside of the corporate limits of the town of Wilkesboro, North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 464, S. B. 145, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County and to levy a tax for the same," with an unfavorable report.
H. B. 563, S. B. 38, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 645, Public
Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to the disposition of public funds of Robeson County, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Sikes, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations:

H. B. 467, S. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, with a favorable report.

H. B. 494, S. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Cornwell, for the Committee on Justices of the Peace, substitute for H. B. 566. S. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort, Avery and Watauga counties, with a favorable report, as amended.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills and find them properly engrossed, as follows:

H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled an act to provide an expert accountant for the Corporation Commission, and otherwise provide clerical assistance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Williams of Hertford, H. B. 591, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize steamboat companies to condemn land for wharf and warehouse facilities when necessary to serve the convenience of the public.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Cromartie, H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act for the benefit of the clerk of the Superior Court of Bladen County.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Thomas of Davidson, H. B. 593, a bill to be entitled an act supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to protect game in Davidson County.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Bolick, H. B. 594, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 273, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to Polk County road law.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Haymore, H. B. 595, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 690, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township, and repealing the act of this session of the General Assembly relative to said court.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.
By Mr. Gordon, H. B. 596, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 10 of chapter 368, Public Laws of 1907, relating to the manufacture or sale of foods, drugs, medicines or liquors.

Referred to Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Dixon, H. B. 597, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Jones County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

By Mr. Bynum, H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 202, Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the County Board of Education of Wake County.

Referred to the Committee on Calendar.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 572, a bill to be entitled an act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act to amend the law relating to the time of holding courts in Washington and Beaufort counties."

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 277, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of the public and regulating public shows.

The bill, as amended, 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 allow the qualified voters of Onslow County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 555, S. B. 361, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of trustees of Andrews School District in Cherokee County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 519, S. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the employment of an additional bank examiner.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the State Board of Pensions to raise William Pinkney Whitley from the fourth to the third class pensions.

The bill fails to pass its second reading.

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 339, Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relative to the Ansonville High School District.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 574, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 223, Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1909, entitled an act to establish a special criminal court in the city of Durham and Durham Township, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof."

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 578, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 20 of chapter 560, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting of birds in Warren County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to give the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with recorders and police justices.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, and takes its place on the Calendar.

H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Machinery Act of 1913, with reference to settlement of State taxes.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 266, a joint resolution in regard to extra pay for the pages of the Senate and House of Representatives.

The resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in Wayne County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 580, S. B. 338, a bill to be entitled an act to nominate and elect the chairman of the board of commissioners of Rockingham County and to require him to devote his whole time to the business of the county.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 584, S. B. 374, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Bethany Presbyterian church in Union County, to prohibit the manufacture or making of cider, wine or any other intoxicating drinks.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 84, Public Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to require a second sale of real estate by mortgagees, trustees and those making sale by virtue of the power contained in wills.

Mr. Thomas of Anson sends forward a substitute, which 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. 581, S. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District No. 17, Dare County, North Carolina.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bell, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Bunn, Capelle, Carlton, Carroll, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cox, Crisp, Cromartie, Deaver, Dellinger, Doughton, Dowd, Dunning, Etheridge, Foy, Gaither, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Kellum, Killian, Koonce, Long, Majette, Martin of Cumberland, Mashburn, Mauney, Mewborne, Mills,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 583, S. B. 355, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 552, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified on the third day of October, 1913, being "An act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913," and being "An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Greene County and to provide for special tax for the same, and to facilitate the disposition of road bonds."

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled an act supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to authorize the road
trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 460, S. B. 130, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the protection and keeping up of the public roads of Anson County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment:


Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Grier of Iredell, H. B. 492, S. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code, is taken from the Unfavorable Calendar and placed on the Calendar for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the delivery of freight in the State, is taken from the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations, and is placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Kellum, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock tonight.

Evening Session.

The House meets pursuant to recess, at 8 o'clock, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy, and the House resumes consideration of business.

Leave of absence is granted to Messrs. McClure and Patton.
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. Sikes, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations:

H. R. 181, a resolution to give the Corporation Commission power to control intrastate freight rates of the State of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.

H. B. 506, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 197, Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Cox, for the Committee on Health, H. B. 596, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 10 of chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to the manufacture and sale of foods, drugs and medicines or liquors, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Appropriations:

H. B. 468, S. B. 315, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the State Building Commission to pay, out of the appropriation for the equipment for the State Administration Building, for vault placed in the Treasurer’s office in the Capitol, with a favorable report.

H. R. 577, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Senate and House of Representatives, unfavorable as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute.

H. B. 481, S. B. 158, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to pay the State’s proportion for paving in front of any of the State’s properties in Raleigh, just as individuals are required to do by law under like circumstances, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Long, for the Committee on Insurance, H. B. 472, S. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 164, Public Laws of 1911, and to amend section 932, Public Laws of 1909, relating to deposits by fire insurance companies, with a favorable report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills and find them properly engrossed, as follows:

H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Onslow County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 277, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of the public and regulating public shows.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Pickard, H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1138 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to street railways.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Mr. Long, H. R. 606, a resolution in behalf of the clerks of the General Assembly.

The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

H. B. 389, S. B. 613, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 632, Public Laws of 1907, relating to the sale of merchandise in bulk.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 184, H. B. 612, a bill to be entitled an act to work the State convicts on the public roads.

Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

S. B. 118, H. B. 611, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to and to amend the public road law of the county of Nash as contained in chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1911, as amended by chapter 314, Public Local Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 378, H. B. 610, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 189, H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal, for concurrence in Senate amendment.

The House concurs, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 400, H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State, for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 369, H. B. 609, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 458, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 151, H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled an act enlarging the boundaries of School District No. 1 in South Whitakers Township, Nash County, and authorizing a bond issue therein.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 566, H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled an act authorizing the board of road supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public highways.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 581, H. B. 608, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to and amendatory of H. B. 355, S. B. 126, being file No. 141 in the office of the Secretary of State, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, at the special session of the General Assembly of North Carolina of the said year, and being "An act to
amend chapter 2, Private Laws of 1911," to wit, the charter of the city of Greensboro.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. R. 582, H. R. 607, a resolution to pay the widow of the late W. G. Hall, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, for full time, and to pay John S. Williams the sum of $4 per day and mileage for services he has rendered in the place of Sergeant-at-Arms since the latter became unable, by reason of sickness, to perform those duties.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 408, H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 591, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the game laws of Robeson County.

The bill is laid on the table.

Substitute for S. B. 131, H. B. 601, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 344, Private Laws of 1899, incorporating the Salisbury and Fayetteville Coast Line Railway Company.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 482, H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a county court for Wilson County.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 467, H. R. 600, a joint resolution in regard to extra compensation of the principal clerks of the General Assembly for the extra session of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 216, H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 190, H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 316, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the board of health of New Hanover County.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 298, H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 969, Public Laws of 1907, and chapter 585, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the oyster industry.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 330, H. B. 602, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Valley Railroad Company.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

S. B. 576, H. B. 603, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the policemen of the city of Washington to make arrests for the violation of city ordinances as they do for the violation of State offenses.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

S. B. 577, H. B. 604, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal the charter of Crestmont, being Senate Bill 304 and House Bill 509, special session of 1913.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 578, H. B. 605, a bill to be entitled an act to establish stock law in Pender County.

Placed on the Calendar.
The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 573, S. B., a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the collection or sale of floating logs in Perquimans County.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 593, a bill to be entitled an act supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to protect game in Davidson County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 595, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township.

The bill 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 create a commission on problems and conditions in rural districts.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 529, S. B. 166, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court.

The substitute, with amendments, is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the care and cleaning of the new State Building.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 575, a joint resolution to fill a vacancy in the board of trustees of the University of North Carolina.

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

H. B. 498, S. B. 27, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 182, Public Laws of 1911, extending the time for registration of grants.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 499, S. B. 47, a bill to be entitled an act to enable the Department of Agriculture to manufacture material for the inoculation of leguminous plants.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1913, relating to probate of trust deeds to building and loan associations.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 455, S. B. 11, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 55, Public Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 490, S. B. 300, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 4131 of The
Revisal of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning lands for school sites.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the qualified voters of Jones County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to give the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with recorder's courts and police justices.

The bill passes its third reading, and is ordered engrossed.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the delivery of freight in the State.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Substitute for H. B. 465, S. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to working the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy a tax for the same.

The substitute is adopted, and the bill takes its place on the Calendar.

The original bill is laid on the table.

Substitute for H. B. 566, S. B. 310, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort, Avery and Watauga counties.

The substitute passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

H. B. 569, S. B. 329, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 544, S. B. 341, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh Highway.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 587, S. B. 596, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 339, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to the Ansonville High School District.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bellamy, Bennett, Boney, Carlton, Carroll, Clayton, Connally, Corn-

Those voting in the negative, none.

On motion of Mr. Allen, H. B. 176, a bill to be entitled an act regulating the Superior Courts for Montgomery County, is laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Bellamy, H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the collection of arrears of taxes in the county of Brunswick and State of North Carolina, is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and placed on the favorable Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Sikes, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 11 a.m.

SIXTEENTH DAY.

House of Representatives, October 11, 1913.

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

Prayer by Mr. Wallace, of the House.

The Journal of yesterday is read, 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. Grier of Iredell, for the Committee on Penal Institutions, H. B. 612, S. B. 184, a bill to be entitled an act to work the State convicts on public roads, with a favorable report.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

By Mr. Austin, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2, H. B. 529, S. B. 166, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court, with a favorable report as to the bill, unfavorable as to the amendments accompanying it.

By Mr. Ruffin, for Special Committee:

H. B. 467, S. B. 312, a bill to be entitled an act to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, with a favorable report as amended.

The rules are suspended and, as amended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 494, S. B. 313, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for loading cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged, with a favorable report as amended.
The rules are suspended and, as amended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By Mr. Sikes, for the Special Committee to Report on H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled an act relative to Wilkes County, to repeal chapter 593 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, and Public Laws of 1911, makes report as follows:

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON H. B. 124, INTRODUCED BY MR. LINVILLE BUMGARNER, OF WILKES COUNTY.

The Special Committee appointed by the House of Representatives to report on H. B. 124, on the conduct of Representative Bumgarner, of Wilkes County, in securing the passage of said bill through this House, beg to file the following report:

That this bill was introduced by Mr. Linville Bumgarner, Representative from Wilkes County, on September 27, 1913, that it was placed on the Calendar; that the bill passed the next legislative day after it was introduced; that said bill was then sent to the Senate without engrossing.

That Representative Bumgarner, the author of said bill, appeared before the committee and stated that he did not believe that he could have gotten the bill through this House if he had given in the title the real purpose of the bill, but that he did not think there was anything wrong in doing what he did, at the same time admitting that he had never before attempted to amend two acts in one bill. That he thought if he could get it through with one hundred and three Democrats watching him it would be a good joke that he had successfully played on the Democrats. That he told his friends before introducing the bill that if he attempted to do the very thing that he did do, the Democratic members of this General Assembly would burn him in effigy.

The committee, therefore, are unanimously of the opinion that Representative Linville Bumgarner, of Wilkes County, prepared the title to his bill as he did with the deliberate intent to deceive the members of the General Assembly into believing that it was a private bill, when in fact it was a bill to repeal a private act and amend an important public act; that by his acts and conduct in this matter he has wilfully violated the confidence heretofore placed in him by the members of the General Assembly. That this report be spread upon the Journal of the House of Representatives.

John C. Sikes,
Henry A. Page,
R. A. Doughton,
Committee.

The report is adopted by the following vote:

Williams of Buncombe, Wilson, Weatherspoon, Woodard, Wooten, Young of Harnett, Young of Vance—84.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Connally, Williams of Cabarrus, Mull—3.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Tillett, H. B. 617, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled "An act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal, which was ratified on the 11th day of October, 1913, and repeal the same in so far as it applies to Camden, Perquimans, Orange and Gates counties."

Referred to a special committee of Messrs. Grier of Iredell, Stewart, Tillett, Clark, and Majette.

By Mr. Foy, H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal Senate Bill 317 and House Bill 469 of the extra session of 1913, being a bill to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 614, a bill to be entitled an act making appropriations for certain State institutions.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. R. 612, H. R. 615, a joint resolution commending to his Excellency, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, Hon. Geo. J. Studdert, Senator from the Second District, for appointment as consul at Dublin or Belfast, Ireland.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 556, H. B. 547, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Morehead City Township.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 560, H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina.

The House fails to concur in the Senate amendments, and a conference committee is asked for. The Speaker appoints Messrs. Justice, Woodard and Weatherspoon as committee of conference, and a message is ordered sent to the Senate to that effect.

S. B. 212, H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled an act to change the boundaries of Sanford graded school.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 492, S. B. 337, a bill to be entitled an act to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under section 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

H. B. 544, S. B. 341, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh highway.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

**ENROLLED BILLS.**

Mr. Hatchett, 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. 397, S. B. 512, an act to validate a certain election in Clay County.

H. B. 373, S. B. 488, an act to incorporate Liberty church in Number Eight Township, Madison County, North Carolina.

H. B. 379, S. B. 505, an act to amend chapter 497, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to stock law in Harnett County.

H. B. 446, S. B. 462, an act to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County.

H. B. 147, S. B. 237, an act to amend chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, in respect of the public road laws of the county of Nash.

H. B. 571, S. B. 172, an act to amend chapter 702 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act authorizing the board of commissioners of Madison County to establish a recorder's court.

H. B. 252, S. B. 357, an act to amend chapter 31 of the Private Laws of 1913, entitled an act providing for the erection of and equipping a graded school building in Norwood Graded School District, Center Township, Stanly County.

H. B. 155, S. B. 244, an act to appoint John D. Lancaster a justice of the peace for Number Thirteen Township, Edgecombe County, North Carolina.
H. B. 539, S. B. 48, an act to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds.

H. B. 161, S. B. 248, an act relative to the appointment of a justice of the peace for Pigeon Township, in Haywood County.

H. B. 534, S. B. 128, an act to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County.

H. B. 152, S. B. 241, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Ashe County.

H. B. 191, S. B. 255, an act to appoint a certain justice of the peace for Wake County.

H. B. 297, S. B. 417, an act to regulate the appointment and duties of cotton weighers for the town of Dunn in Harnett County.

H. B. 486, S. B. 468, an act to establish a recorder's court for Chowan County.

H. B. 123, S. B. 397, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Graham County.

H. B. 81, S. B. 162, an act to appoint B. F. Parker a justice of the peace for Lane's Creek Township in Union County.

H. B. 138, S. B. 231, an act to appoint M. L. Martin a justice of the peace for Colfax Township, Rutherford County.

H. B. 127, S. B. 226, an act amending chapter 184 of the Private Laws of 1913, authorizing the board of county commissioners to sell the county home,

H. B. 156, S. B. 398, an act to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for building of a town hall and for street improvements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purpose.

H. B. 243, S. B. 279, an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Warsaw, Duplin County, North Carolina.


H. B. 366, S. B. 449, an act to establish a graded school in Moore County to be known as the Vass Graded School.

H. B. 40, S. B. 61, an act to establish a stock law for Bladen County.

H. B. 401, S. B. 457, an act to amend the charter of the town of Ellenboro.

H. B. 116, S. B. 9, an act to allow the commissioners of the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse.

H. B. 565, S. B. 129, an act to amend section 2 of article 7 of chapter 59 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the publication of ordinances by the city of Raleigh.

H. B. 444, S. B. 516, an act to establish a special court for Onslow County, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Onslow County Court.

H. B. 476, S. B. 132, an act to cure the defective probate of certain wills made by nonresidents prior to January 1, 1895, in Jackson County.

H. B. 568, S. B. 393, an act relating to the Superior Courts of Cumberland County.

H. B. 570, S. B. 340, an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Edgecombe County.

H. B. 567, S. B. 377, an act to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County, North Carolina, in regard to stock running at large.

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H. B. 390, S. B. 455, an act to amend chapter 178 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, North Carolina.

H. B. 35, S. B. 60, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Hertford County.

H. B. 71, S. B. 98, an act to appoint certain justices of the peace in Wilkes County.

H. B. 52, S. B. 87, an act to appoint J. R. Davenport a justice of the peace in Pactolus Township, Pitt County.

H. B. 122, S. B. 222, an act appointing justices of the peace for Graham County.

H. B. 151, S. B. 240, an act to empower the board of education of Northampton County to alter the boundary line of Lasker School District.

H. B. 75, S. B. 100, an act to amend chapter 646, Public Local Laws of 1913, by striking out Union County, relative to taxing dogs.

H. B. 537, S. B. 385, an act to incorporate the town of Norman, Richmond County, North Carolina.

H. B. 540, S. B. 180, an act to amend chapter 268 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to good roads bond issue in Person County.

H. B. 533, S. B. 379, an act to amend chapter 491 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax and construct certain bridges."


H. B. 522, S. B. 301, an act to legalize and validate an election held in Coopers Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Coopers Township, dated the 1st day of July, 1913.

H. B. 511, S. B. 156, an act to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs.

H. B. 283, S. B. 410, an act to amend chapter 52 of Public Local Laws of the general session of 1913, relative to salary of county officers of Columbus County.

H. B. 367, S. B. 485, an act appointing a justice of the peace for Contentnea Township, Pitt County.

H. B. 184, S. B. 252, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Neills Creek Township, Harnett County.

H. B. 532, S. B. 358, an act to amend the charter of the town of Venable.

H. B. 327, S. B. 494, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Woodville Township in Bertie County.

H. B. 351, S. B. 121, an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the amount of the bond of the county treasurer.

H. B. 229, S. B. 269, an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Warren County.

H. B. 240, S. B. 278, an act to appoint justices of the peace in Forsyth County.

H. B. 342, S. B. 501, an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Cleveland County.

H. B. 394, S. B. 510, an act to appoint Colin G. Shaw a justice of the peace for Monroe Township, Union County, North Carolina.
H. B. 528, S. B. 359, an act to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and operate and maintain a system of waterworks.

H. B. 285, S. B. 412, an act to appoint Charles W. Mann a justice of the peace in Croatan Township in Dare County.

H. B. 215, S. B. 254, an act to appoint T. A. Berry a justice of the peace in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County.

H. B. 331, S. B. 495, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Duplin County.

H. B. 275, S. B. 407, an act to reduce the commissioners of Columbus County.

H. B. 538, S. B. 376, an act to authorize the town of Mooresville to issue bonds without resubmitting the question to a vote of the qualified voters of said town, to improve streets, install waterworks and sewerage system.

H. B. 282, S. B. 409, an act to repeal chapter 791 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, prohibiting ticket scalping in Columbus County.

H. B. 270, S. B. 303, an act to appoint three justices of the peace in Columbus County.

H. B. 293, S. B. 416, an act to amend chapter 624 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the recorder's court of Tyrrell County.

H. B. 303, S. B. 438, an act to incorporate the town of West Asheville in the county of Buncombe.

H. B. 53, S. B. 201, an act to incorporate Coats graded school, of Coats, Harnett County, and to allow it to vote on a special tax to issue bonds.

H. B. 504, S. B. 535, an act to amend chapter 126 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, at session of 1823, being "An act to incorporate the Milton Male Academy," authorizing the surviving trustees to convey the site of Milton Male Academy to the trustees of Milton Graded School District."

H. B. 106, S. B. 526, an act to authorize Pink Hill Township, in Lenoir County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

H. B. 564, S. B. 367, an act to appoint justices of the peace in Robeson County.

H. B. 340, S. B. 448, an act to amend the charter of the town of Elon College.

H. B. 364, S. B. 484, an act to repeal chapter 440, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the depredation of domestic fowls in the county of Polk.

H. B. 276, S. B. 430, an act to change the name of the town of Toisnot to that of Elm City.


H. B. 409, S. B. 518, an act to protect deer in Perquimans, Pasquotank, Gates and Graham counties.

H. B. 402, S. B. 520, an act to regulate the hunting of foxes in Franklin County.

H. B. 333, S. B. 445, an act to repeal chapter 541, Laws of 1901.

H. B. 299, S. B. 419, an act to protect animals and game in parks and game reservations in either private or public parks or places.

H. B. 393, S. B. 456, an act to ratify and approve an issue of $12,000 of bonds by Aberdeen graded school.
H. B. 204, S. B. 261, an act relating to stock law territory in Clay County, North Carolina.

H. B. 142, S. B. 234, an act to amend chapter 196 of Public Laws of 1913, regulating the holding of courts in Pitt County.

H. B. 322, S. B. 442, an act to amend chapter 437 of the Private Acts of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter.

H. B. 144, S. B. 235, an act to repeal chapter 750 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to compulsory education in Guilford County.

H. B. 179, S. B. 116, an act to amend chapter 626 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to fees in Forsyth County.

H. B. 274, S. B. 406, an act to prohibit the sale of wines, ciders and all intoxicants within two miles of the Baptist church at Hinsons Cross Roads in Columbus County.

H. B. 272, S. B. 405, an act to amend chapter 610, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting in Scotland County.

H. B. 307, S. B. 551, an act to amend section 1747 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, affecting the registration of grants.

H. B. 332, S. B. 496, an act to prohibit the cutting and felling of trees or brush in the waters of the run of Brooks Swamp, Wayne County.

H. B. 292, S. B. 434, an act to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Number Eight Township, in said county, the question of levying a special road tax for the improvement and building of the public roads and highways in said township.

H. B. 171, S. B. 296, an act to amend chapter 822, Public Local Laws of 1913 of North Carolina, relative to establishing drainage districts and drainage commissions, etc., in Catawba County.

H. B. 222, S. B. 266, an act to amend chapter 714 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to salaries of county officers in Jones County.

H. B. 338, S. B. 446, an act to amend section 2721, Revisal of 1905, relative to working the public roads of Johnston County.

H. B. 157, S. B. 245, an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Baileys, Nash County.

H. B. 414, S. B. 514, an act to incorporate Pleasant Grove Methodist church in Wilson County.

H. B. 380, S. B. 451, an act to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy Graded School District Number One, Cherokee County, North Carolina.

H. B. 29, S. B. 58, an act to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913.

H. B. 86, S. B. 473, an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the salary of the Paymaster-General.

H. B. 412, S. B. 415, an act to amend chapter 549 of the Public Laws of 1899, so as to strengthen the local prohibition law of Jackson County.

H. B. 231, S. B. 271, an act to amend chapter 307 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the auditor of Forsyth County.

H. B. 314, S. B. 500, an act to amend chapter 411 of the Private Laws, session of 1911, and to provide for a change in the management and control of Wesley Chapel Special School District.

H. B. 224, S. B. 268, an act to prohibit vicious dogs from running loose in Caswell County.
H. B. 318, S. B. 424, an act to amend the deer law of Brunswick County.
H. B. 395, S. B. 511, an act to incorporate York School District in Union County.
H. B. 287, S. B. 413, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider within two miles of Shiloh Presbyterian church, in Hoke County.
H. B. 279, S. B. 431, an act to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws, regular session of 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville in Clay County.
H. B. 202, S. B. 259, an act to repeal chapter 533, Public Local Laws of 1911, being an act to establish a ferry across Cape Fear River at County Line Landing.
H. B. 68, S. B. 524, an act to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships, in Onslow County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.
H. B. 339, S. B. 447, an act to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled “An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District” and to ratify the election held May 14, 1913, and for the issuance of the bonds authorized by said act, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.
H. B. 242, S. B. 356, an act to amend the charter of the city of High Point.
H. B. 97, S. B. 217, an act to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899.
H. B. 542, S. B. 545, an act to validate certain acts of the deputy register of deeds in Johnston County.
H. B. 330, S. B. 426, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled “An act to provide for the division of the State into Judicial districts and for holding the courts of Yancey County.”
H. B. 399, S. B. 513, an act to establish a stock law in Duplin County.
H. B. 205, S. B. 262, an act to amend chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913, relative to Columbus County.
H. B. 268, S. B. 479, an act to amend chapter 761 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, as to wholesale druggists in Guilford County.
H. B. 448, S. B. 464, an act to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County.
H. B. 449, S. B. 465, an act to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County.
H. B. 300, S. B. 436, an act providing for the convicts of Perquimans County.
H. B. 271, S. B. 404, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the squirrel law of Wayne County.
H. B. 288, S. B. 414, an act to amend chapter 435 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to salaries in Catawba County.
H. B. 269, S. B. 401, an act to protect Smithwick Baptist church in the county of Martin.
H. B. 443, S. B. 461, an act to amend chapter 361 of the Private Laws of 1901, so as to make the board of trustees of Sanford graded schools elective by the qualified voters of the district.
H. B. 584, S. B. 374, an act to incorporate Bethany Presbyterian church in Union County and to prohibit the manufacture or making of cider, wine or any other intoxicating drinks.
H. B. 403, S. B. 519, an act to allow the qualified voters of Brunswick County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 164, S. B. 540, an act to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library.

H. B. 371, S. B. 565, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to Superior Courts in Surry County.

H. B. 213, S. B. 492, an act to provide general jurisdiction for the February and August terms of the Superior Court of Moore County.

H. B. 105, S. B. 110, an act to prevent the delivery and sale of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties.

H. B. 150, S. B. 239, an act to provide better railroad depot facilities for the people of the town of Jacksonville, North Carolina.

H. B. 450, S. B. 471, an act to authorize fence commissioners of Harnett County to sell the stock law fence.

H. B. 461, S. B. 133, an act to cure certain defective registration of deeds in Jackson County.

H. B. 372, S. B. 483, an act to declare the law and regulate the management of the house of correction or reformatory in Forsyth County, under chapter 6 of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.

H. B. 413, S. B. 458, an act to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, North Carolina, and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for an issue of bonds and to levy a tax.

H. B. 368, S. B. 486, an act to change the name of the town of Venable, in the county of Orange.

H. B. 6, S. B. 284, an act to incorporate the Angier High School District in Harnett County, and to authorize it to issue bonds and to levy a special tax.

H. B. 519, S. B. 386, an act to authorize employment of additional bank examiners.

H. B. 326, S. B. 493, an act relative to drainage in Gaston County.

H. B. 104, S. B. 220, an act to authorize and empower the board of drainage commissioners of Chadbourn Drainage District, in the county of Columbus, to acquire rights of way and outlets for drainage canals.

H. B. 305, S. B. 422, an act to amend chapter 214, Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to increase of the salary of the clerk of the Superior Court of Person County.

H. B. 96, S. B. 107, an act to amend chapter 752, section 4 thereof, of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 310, S. B. 440, an act to provide for improvement districts and for street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro.

H. B. 103, S. B. 219, an act to authorize the issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District Number Eleven, for the white and colored races of Columbus County.

H. B. 386, S. B. 454, an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 221, Private Laws of 1907, relative to the charter of the town of Wendell.

H. B. 19, S. B. 196, an act to create Micro Graded School District in Johnston County.

H. B. 440, S. B. 459, an act to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to
borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building, and to hold an election to levy a tax for payment thereof.

H. B. 73, S. B. 206, an act to amend chapter 204, Public Local Laws of 1913.
H. B. 369, S. B. 487, an act to amend chapter 73 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to judgment of nonsuit in criminal cases.
H. B. 442, S. B. 460, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve the roads of said county.
H. B. 239, S. B. 277, an act to amend chapter 652, section 1, relative to pay of jurors in Forsyth County.
H. B. 296, S. B. 435, an act to amend "An act to provide good roads in Enfield Township, Halifax County."
H. B. 447, S. B. 463, an act to provide good roads in Richlands Township, Onslow County.
H. B. 526, S. B. 339, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation.
H. B. 100, S. B. 218, an act to amend chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to permit certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer.
H. B. 199, S. B. 347, an act to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of the State of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at its session of 1913, and entitled "An act to provide additional support for the graded public schools in the city of New Bern and to authorize said city to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of public graded school buildings."
H. B. 323, S. B. 443, an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson.
H. B. 404, S. B. 549, an act to amend chapter 171, Public Laws of 1913, being an act supplemental to an act relative to dividing the State into twenty Superior Court judicial districts and to fix the number of weeks for courts for each, and for other purposes.
H. B. 168, S. B. 548, an act relative to the holding of courts in Randolph County.
H. B. 445, S. B. 529, an act to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1913, and being an act to provide good roads in Jacksonville Township in Onslow County.
H. B. 189, S. B. 343, an act to create the Casar Railroad District in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same.
H. B. 190, S. B. 346, an act to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stocks.
H. B. 61, S. B. 203, an act to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the drainage of Grants Creek in Rowan County.
H. B. 233, S. B. 539, an act to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws of 1913, the same being an act relating to bonds by Morganton Township.
H. R. 362, S. R. 552, a joint resolution (concerning railroad reduction rates).
H. R. 266, S. R. 591, a joint resolution in regard to extra pay for the pages of the Senate and of the House of Representatives.

H. B. 286, S. B. 433, an act to incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railroad Company.

H. B. 503, S. B. 547, an act to amend chapter 171 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the issuing of bonds for the purpose of owning, operating and maintaining a system of waterworks and electric light plant; also for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the present graded school building of the town of Spencer, North Carolina.

H. B. 284, S. B. 411, an act to establish an inferior court for Columbus County.

H. B. 457, S. B. 51, an act to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $50,000 in bonds for school buildings.

H. B. 163, S. B. 249, an act to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of the State of North Carolina of the session of 1913, relative to Camden County.

H. B. 46, S. B. 198, an act to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 442, Public Laws of 1909, and acts amendatory thereto.

H. B. 236, S. B. 275, an act to establish a recorder's court for Currituck County.

H. B. 337, S. B. 499, an act to amend chapter 755 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the pay of the commissioners of Haywood County.

H. B. 376, S. B. 507, an act to establish in the county of Hyde a special court to be called the recorder's court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

H. B. 560, S. B. 188, an act to amend section 441 of chapter 12, Revisal of 1905, relative to validating irregular service on infants.

H. B. 441, S. B. 528, an act to amend the charter of the town of Shelby.

H. B. 374, S. B. 508, an act to establish a special court for Richmond County with criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Richmond County Court.

H. B. 580, S. B. 338, an act to nominate and elect the chairman of the board of commissioners of Rockingham County and to require him to devote his whole time to the business of the county.

H. B. 543, S. B. 364, an act relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell.

H. B. 585, S. B. 361, an act to provide for the election of trustees of Andrews School District in Cherokee County.

H. B. 211, S. B. 253, an act to increase the powers of the board of commissioners of Yadkin County for the purpose of improving the public roads.

H. B. 188, S. B. 344, an act to create the Fallston-Belwood Railroad District in Cleveland County and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same.

On motion of Mr. Phillips, H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled an act to validate the registration of certain grants in the office of the Secretary of State, is taken from the Committee on Judiciary No. 1 and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Clark, H. B. 381, S. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and modify the public road laws of Pitt County, it being a substitute, is taken from the Committee on Judiciary No. 2 and placed on the Calendar, the same having been returned from the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Tillett, H. B. 26 is recalled from the enrolling clerk, the
vote is reconsidered by which it passed third reading, and it is placed on the Calendar for further consideration.

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. Wooten, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 502, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded, with an unfavorable report as to the bill, favorable as to the substitute.

Pending consideration of the bill and substitute, the House takes a recess until 3:30 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House meets pursuant to recess, and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy.

Resuming consideration of the Calendar, the Speaker lays before the House H. B. 502 (it being a substitute), a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded.

Mr. Wooten calls the previous question. The call is sustained.

Upon the passage of the amendment of Mr. Dowd the ayes and noes are demanded. The call is sustained.

The amendment is lost by the following vote:


The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

A message having been received from the Senate that it has received a message from the House relating to the conference committee on H. B. 452, S. B. 560, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina, and that the Senate has appointed the following gentlemen as conference committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Ward, Hobgood, and Nimocks, the said committee makes the following report, and asks its adoption.

The report is adopted.
The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

The report follows:

The undersigned members of the Committee on Conference appointed by the Senate and the House of Representatives to consider the differences between the Senate and the House upon House Bill 452 and Senate Bill 560, entitled "An act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina," beg leave to report:

That the conference committee recommends that the House concur in the the Senate amendments; and further, the conference committee reports that the engrossing clerk has omitted from the bill the schedule of rates referred to as being set out in section three of the bill sent to the House by the Senate, and that to correct this omission, the committee recommends that the schedule of rates so omitted be inserted in said section, and that the bill as amended and with said schedule inserted be passed upon its three several readings in the House and sent to the Senate for its action.

October 11, 1913.

WARD,
HOBGOOD,
NIMOCKS,
Committee on part of Senate.

E. J. JUSTICE,
F. A. WOODARD,
W. H. WEAVER'SPOON,
Committee on part of House of Representatives.

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. Dellinger, for the Committee on Regulation of Public Service Corporations:

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 144 of the Public Laws of 1908, and to establish a uniform passenger rate of two cents per mile, with an unfavorable report and with a minority report.

The bill takes its place on the Calendar.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Noland, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and Resolutions, respectfully submits that we have carefully examined the following engrossed bills, and find them properly engrossed, as follows:

H. B. 573, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the collection or sale of floating logs in Perquimans County.

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled an act to give the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with recorders and police justices.
Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Doughton, H. B. 614, a bill to be entitled an act making appropriations for certain State institutions.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Doughton, H. R. 618, a resolution relative to purchase of land by the State.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 609, S. B. 369, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 458 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the road work in Bladen County.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 611, S. B. 118, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to and to amend the public road law of the County of Nash, as contained in chapter 451 of the Public Local Laws of 1911.

The bill, as amended by chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 602, S. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Railroad Company.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calender:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin, Bell, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Bunn, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwall, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Doughton, Dowd, Etheridge, Foy, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Grier of Iredell, Grier of Mecklenburg, Griffin, Hall, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Justice, Kellum, Majette, Martin of Cumberland, Mauney, Miller, Mills, Mintz, Mull, McBryde, McMillan, Newell, Noland, Page, Patton,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 465, S. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to working the public roads of Robeson County.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 610, S. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 202, of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled “An act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the county board of education of Wake County.”

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote and takes its place on the Calendar:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin, Bell, Bolick, Bowie, Brawley, Britton, Bunn, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Clement, Coffield, Connally, Cornwall, Cox, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Doughton, Dowd, Etheridge, Foy, Gatling, Gold, Gordon, Graham,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 581, S. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District No. 17, Dare County, N. C.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 583, S. B. 365, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 587, S. B. 596, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 339, Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relative to Ansonville High School District.

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Austin,

Those voting in the negative, none.

The House fails to concur in amendments to H. B. 26, S. B. 189, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal.

A conference committee ordered. The Speaker names Messrs. Tillett, Crisp, and Stewart, and a message is sent to the Senate accordingly.

On motion of Mr. Sikes, the House adjourns to meet Monday next at 9:30 a. m.

SEVENTEENTH DAY.

House of Representatives, October 13, 1913.

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

Prayer by Rev. Mr. McCracken, of Raleigh.

The Journal of yesterday is read and the same stands approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Kellum, H. B. 620, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the general welfare by providing for the establishment of agricultural development districts, bringing into productive use unemployed agricultural lands of the State, for improving the agricultural population, and presenting a method for so doing.

Placed on the Calendar.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Doughton, H. R. 621, a joint resolution relative to compensation of S. J. Hawkins.

The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Seawell, H. B. 626, a bill to be entitled an act to require witnesses to attend and be examined before the commission appointed under a joint resolution of the General Assembly to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies.

Placed on the Calendar.
The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Young, of Harnett, H. B. 627, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the fence commissioners of Harnett County.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Koonce, H. B. 628, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, being an act regulating the holding of the Superior Courts of the State, and amending the paragraph relating to Onslow County.

Placed on the Calendar.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Griffin, H. B. 629, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 7, chapter 114, of the Private Acts of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Doughton, H. R. 631, a resolution relative to adjournment.

The resolution passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

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

S. B. 381, H. B. 632, a bill to be entitled an act to amend Revisal, section 3672, relating to removal of dead bodies.

Placed on the Calendar.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 577, S. R. 632, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Legislature.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 166, H. B. 529, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 620, H. B. 614, a bill to be entitled an act making appropriations for certain State institutions.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 20, H. B. 630, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Rockdale Public School District of Scotland County.

Placed on the Calendar.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 572, H. R. 396, a joint resolution concerning the Blind Institution.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the resolution is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 624, S. R. 623, a joint resolution to pay expenses incurred by the committee in visiting the School for the Feeble Minded.
The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the resolution is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 43, S. B. 601, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.

The House fails to concur in the Senate amendment, and a committee of conference is asked for.

The Speaker appoints Messrs. Justice, Williams of Buncombe, and Page, and a message is ordered sent to the Senate accordingly.

The Senate refuses to concur in the House amendment to S. B. 166, H. B. 529, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for a stenographer for each Superior Court, and appoints as a conference committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Peebles and Payne.

The Speaker appoints on the part of the House, Messrs. Tillet, Brawley and Sheek.

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. Williams, of Buncombe, for the Committee on Constitutional Amendments:

H. B. 43, S. B. 601, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.

The report is adopted as read.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted by the following vote:


Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Bowie, Deaver, Haymore, Hodges, McNider, Ray, Thomas of Davidson, Whitford—8.

The question recurs on the passage of the bill as amended by the substitute, and passes its second reading by the following vote:

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Bowie, Haymore, Ray, Thomas of Davidson, Whitford—5.

The question recurs on the passage of the bill on its third reading.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence:


Those voting in the negative are: Messrs. Bowie, Deaver, Haymore, Hodges, Ray, Thomas of Davidson, Whitford—7.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 475, S. B. 13, a bill to be entitled an act to protect the uniform of the United States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina, and persons entitled to wear the same, it being a substitute.

The bill is laid on the table.

H. R. 500, a resolution relative to the adjournment of the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913.

The resolution is laid on the table.

Substitute for H. R. 577, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Senate and House of Representatives.

The 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. 596, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 10 of chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the manufacture or sale of foods, drugs, medicines or liquors.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 607, S. R. 582, a resolution to pay the widow of the late W. G. Hall, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, for full time, and to pay John S. Williams the sum of four dollars per day and mileage for services he has rendered in the place of the sergeant at arms since the latter became unable by reason of sickness to perform those duties.

The resolution passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 613, S. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 632, Public Laws of 1907, relative to sales of merchandise in bulk.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

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Substitute for H. B. 529, S. B. 166, a bill to be entitled an act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court.

The substitute as amended passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

The original bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 26, S. B. 189, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County, for veal.

The conference committee reports the second time. The report is adopted and sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 629, a bill to be entitled an act to promote the general welfare by providing for the establishment of agricultural development districts.

The bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 582, S. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 541, Public Laws of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at session of 1901.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 115, Private Laws of 1899, amending the charter of the town of Greenville.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 622, S. B. 583, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 202, Public Local Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 496, S. C. 333, a bill to be entitled an act to give the Superior Court of Beaufort County concurrent jurisdiction with recorder's courts in Beaufort County.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for H. B. 465, S. B. 146, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to working the public roads of Robeson County.

The substitute passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, chapter 202, Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the county board of education in Wake County."

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: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Bunn, Bynum,

Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 602, S. B. 330, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Valley Railroad Company.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

H. B. 611, S. B. 118, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental and to amend the public road laws of the county of Nash as contained in chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1911, as amended by chapter 314, Public Laws of 1913.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled:


Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 610, S. B. 378, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Allen, Allred, Austin, Bellamy, Bennett, Bolick, Boney, Bowie, Britton, Bunn, Bynum, Capelle, Carlton, Cherry, Clark, Clayton, Cornwell, Crisp, Deaver, Dellinger, Dixon, Doughton, Dowd, Etheridge, Gaither, Gold, Gordon, Graham, Griffin, Hatchett, Haymore, Hodges, Hooker, Justice, Kellum, Koonce, Majette, Mauney, Miller, McBryde, McMillan, McNair, McNider, McPhail, Newell, Page,

Those voting in the negative, none.

Substitute for H. B. 381, S. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County, by special tax levy.

The 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. 102, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the collection of arrears of taxes in the city of Southport, in the county of Brunswick and State of North Carolina.

The bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1138 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to street railways.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 603, S. B. 576, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and empower the policemen of the city of Washington to make arrests for the violation of State offenses.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for H. B. 601, S. B. 131, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 344, Private Laws of 1899, incorporating the Salisbury and Fayetteville Coast Line Railway Company.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 608, S. B. 581, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to and amendatory of H. B. 355, S. B. 126, being file No. 141 in the office of the Secretary of State, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, at the special session of the General Assembly of North Carolina of said year, and being an act to amend chapter 2, Private Laws of 1911, to wit, the charter of the city of Greensboro.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 600, S. R. 467, a joint resolution in regard to extra compensation of the principal clerks of the General Assembly for the extra session of 1913.

The resolution passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled an act relating to certain omissions and deficits in the registration of grants in the office of the Secretary of State.

The bill is laid on the table.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Bolick, 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. 311, S. B. 537, an act to revise the charter of the town of Clinton.
H. B. 612, S. B. 184, an act to work the State convicts on the public roads.
H. B. 388, S. B. 566, an act authorizing the board of road supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public highways.
H. B. 93, S. B. 216, an act for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis.

H. B. 524, S. B. 546, an act providing for a special road tax levy in Spring Hill Township, Scotland County, and increasing the pay of jurors in the criminal court of Scotland County.

H. B. 208; S. B. 190, an act to amend chapter 316 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the board of health of New Hanover County.

H. B. 579, S. B. 594, an act to prevent stock from running at large in Wayne County.

H. B. 550, S. B. 550, an act to legalize and ratify the $2,000 of good roads bonds in Rockfish Good Roads District, Rockfish Township, Duplin County.

H. B. 490, S. B. 300, an act to amend section 4131 of The Revival of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning lands for school sites.

H. B. 365, S. B. 482, an act to establish a county court for Wilson County.

H. B. 87, S. B. 212, an act to change the boundaries of the Sanford Graded School District and to provide for compulsory education within said district.

H. B. 479, S. B. 151, an act to change the name of Special School District Number One, South Whitakers Township, Nash County, to Red Oak School District, and to allow said school district to issue bonds.

H. B. 439, S. B. 609, an act to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1913, relating to probate of deeds of building and loan associations.

H. B. 285, S. B. 298, an act to amend chapter 969, Public Laws 1907, relating to the oyster industry.

H. B. 206, S. B. 428, an act to regulate the use of the public roads in Black Mountain Township, in Buncombe County, and to levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor.

H. B. 455, S. B. 11, an act to amend chapter 55 of the Public Laws of 1913.

H. B. 547, S. B. 556, an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Morehead City Township.

H. R. 267, S. R. 538, a joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies.

H. R. 615, S. R. 612, a joint resolution commending to His Excellency, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, Hon. George J. Studdert, Senator from the Second District, for appointment as consul at Dublin or Belfast, Ireland.

H. B. 604, S. B. 577, an act to repeal the charter of Crestmont, being Senate bill 304 and House bill 509, special session of 1913.

H. B. 378, S. B. 571, an act to amend chapter 173 of the Public Laws, session 1913, entitled "An act to make school attendance compulsory."

H. B. 499, S. B. 47, an act to enable the Department of Agriculture to manufacture material for the inoculating culture of leguminous crops.

H. B. 544, S. B. 341, an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh highway.

H. B. 574, S. B. 592, an act to amend chapter 223, Public Local Laws 1911, entitled "An act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws 1909, entitled an act to establish a special criminal court in the city of Durham and Durham Township, and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof."

H. B. 498, S. B. 27, an act to amend chapter 182, Public Laws 1911, extending time for registration of grants.
H. B. 198, S. B. 477, an act to amend subsection 30 of section 1318 of The Revisal of North Carolina.

H. B. 88, S. B. 213, an act authorizing the board of trustees of Sanford Graded School District to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping school buildings.

H. B. 194, S. B. 476, an act to amend section 1 of chapter 196, Public Laws 1913, relative to the division of the State into judicial districts and the holding of courts therein.

H. B. 290, S. B. 574, an act to amend the graded school charter of the town of North Wilkesboro.

H. B. 569, S. B. 320, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County.

H. B. 591, S. B. 589, an act to authorize steamboat companies to condemn land for wharf and warehouse facilities when necessary to serve the convenience of the public.

H. B. 605, S. B. 578, an act to establish stock law in Pender County.

H. B. 314, S. B. 595, an act to amend the Machinery Act of 1913, with reference to the settlement of State taxes.

H. B. 551, S. B. 564, an act to repeal House bill 63, special session 1913, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding court in the First Judicial District, to remove Washington County from the Second Judicial District to the First Judicial District.

H. B. 557, S. B. 563, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider or beer within one mile of Bowmore Methodist church, in Hoke County.

H. B. 406, S. B. 533, an act amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County.

H. B. 583, S. B. 365, an act to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County.

H. B. 581, S. B. 395, an act to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District Number Seventeen, Dare County, North Carolina.

H. B. 452, S. B. 560, an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 594, S. B. 586, an act to amend chapter 273 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to Polk County road law.

H. B. 508, S. B. 530, an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Currituck County.

H. B. 549, S. B. 554, an act to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1907, to prevent obstructions in Moccasin River or Big Contentnea Creek and Little Contentnea Creek.

H. B. 578, S. B. 593, an act to amend section 20 of chapter 560 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting birds in Warren County.

H. B. 201, S. B. 298, an act for the relief of R. E. Fentress.

H. B. 546, S. B. 569, an act appointing Justices of the peace in the counties of Wilkes, Pender, Dare, Yancey, Jones, Burke, Perquimans, Gaston, Wake, New Hanover, Brunswick and Avery.
H. B. 583, S. B. 606, an act supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to protect game in Davidson County.

H. B. 553, S. B. 602, an act to allow the qualified voters of Onslow County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 566, S. B. 310, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort, Avery and Watauga counties.

H. B. 244, S. B. 561, an act to regulate the time for holding the Superior Courts of Duplin County.

H. B. 492, S. B. 337, an act to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code.

H. B. 494, S. B. 313, an act to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged.

H. B. 609, S. B. 369, an act to amend chapter 458 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County.

H. B. 410, S. B. 517, an act to amend chapter 496, Public Local Laws of 1913 of North Carolina, relating to primary elections in Lee County.

H. B. 400, S. B. 555, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Number Five Township, Craven County.

H. B. 495, S. B. 314, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time for holding courts in Brunswick County.

H. B. 325, S. B. 492, an act to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, in reference to improving the public roads in Albemarle Township in Stanly County.

H. B. 588, S. B. 588, an act to amend section 1, Public Laws of 1907, so as to increase pensions of the fourth class from $30 to $32.

H. B. 387, S. B. 489, an act amending section 3001 of The Revisal of 1905, in regard to the fees to be charged for electrical inspection of buildings.

H. B. 474, S. B. 600, an act to provide an expert accountant for the Corporation Commission, and otherwise provide clerical assistance.

H. B. 67, S. B. 472, an act to amend section 2762 of The Revisal of 1905.

H. R. 501, S. R. 525, a joint resolution to authorize and direct the North Carolina Historical Commission to submit a design and procure estimates of the cost of the execution and erection of a suitable monument to the North Carolina troops who participated in the battle of Gettysburg.

H. B. 221, S. B. 400, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State.

On motion of Mr. Ray, the House takes a recess until 3:30 p. m.

**Afternoon Session.**

Pursuant to recess the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Murphy, and resumes consideration of the Calendar.

**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. Sikes, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

H. B. 582, S. B. 380, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 541 of the
Public Laws of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at session of 1901, with favorable report.

H. B. 437, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a court for High Point and High Point Township, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, and to elect the officers thereof by the people, with unfavorable report.

By Mr. Roberts, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 115 of the Private Laws of 1899, amending the charter of the town of Greenville, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on Appropriations, H. B. 301, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the State hospitals at Raleigh and Goldsboro a sufficient maintenance fund and certain permanent improvements for the State Hospital at Raleigh.

The bill is laid on the table.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Mr. Ray, H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Highlands.

Referred to Committee on Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Wooten, H. R. 624, a joint resolution to pay expenses incurred by the committee in visiting the School for the Feeble Minded.

The 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 and resolutions, which are read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

The Senate refuses to concur in the House amendment to S. B. 130, H. B. 460, a bill to provide for the protection and keeping up of the public roads of Anson County, and appoints as a conference committee on the part of the Senate Senators Little of Anson, Phillips and Jones, and asks the appointment of a similar committee on the part of the House.

The House fails to concur. Committee appointed: Messrs. Thomas of Anson, Porter and Coffield.

S. B. 303, H. B. 625, a bill to authorize and direct the directors of the State's Prison to aid in the construction of a public road in Halifax Township, Halifax County, by convicts.

Placed on the Calendar.

The rules are suspended, the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 312, H. B. 467, a bill to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, in order that an amendment may be attached to same, the bill having been returned to the Senate for concurrence in said amendment, but the amendment seems to have been lost in transit.
On motion of Mr. Sikes, the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

Mr. Kellum sends forward an amendment. The amendment is adopted, and, as amended, the bill passes its several readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence.

S. B. 558, H. B. 559, a bill to amend chapter 197 of the Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 583, H. B. 622, an act to amend section 1, chapter 202, of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the county board of education of Wake County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 562, H. B. 558, a bill to increase the compensation of members of the board of education of Johnston County, for concurrence.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the town of Morganton.

The bill and substitute are laid on the table.

S. R. 615, H. R. 623, a resolution concerning the publication of the laws, journals and documents of the special session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

The resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 312, S. B. 557, a bill to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 617, H. B. 502, a bill to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded, for concurrence in Senate amendment.

The House concurs, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

CALENDAR.

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

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 144, Public Laws of 1908, and to establish a uniform passenger rate of two cents per mile, with a minority report.

The minority report fails of adoption, and the bill is laid on the table.

H. B. 468, S. B. 315, a bill to be entitled an act to allow the State Building Commission to pay, out of the appropriation for the equipment of the State Administration Building, for vault placed in the Treasurer's office in the Capitol.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 472, S. B. 322, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 164, Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, and to amend section 923, Public
Laws of North Carolina, session of 1909, relative to deposits by fire insurance companies.

The bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 595, S. B. 605, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township, and repealing the act of this session of the General Assembly relative to said court.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 559, S. B. 558, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 197 of the Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Hatchett, 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. 590, S. B. 598, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for a certain township in Transylvania County.

H. B. 562, S. B. 597, an act to prevent dragnets being used in the waters of Rose Bay and its tributaries, in Hyde County.

H. B. 552, S. B. 590, an act supplemental to an act ratified on the 3d day of October, 1913, being an act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, being an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Greene County and to provide for a special tax for the same, and to facilitate the disposition of road bonds.

H. B. 555, S. B. 599, an act supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

H. B. 505, S. B. 532, an act to amend chapter 608 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

H. B. 312, S. B. 557, an act to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity.

H. B. 465, S. B. 146, an act to amend chapter 618 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to working the public roads of Robeson County.

H. B. 603, S. B. 576, an act to authorize and empower the policemen of the city of Washington to make arrests for the violation of city ordinances as they do for the violation of State offenses.

H. B. 468, S. B. 315, an act to allow the State Building Commission to pay, out of the appropriation for the equipment of the State Administration Building, for a vault placed in the Treasurer's office in the Capitol.

H. B. 472, S. B. 322, an act to repeal chapter 164 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, and to amend section 923 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1909, relative to deposits by fire insurance companies.

H. B. 608, S. B. 581, an act supplemental to and amendatory of H. B. 355, S. B. 126, being file number 141 in the office of the Secretary of State, ratified
on the 6th day of October, 1913, at the special session of the General Assembly of North Carolina of said year, and being an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, to wit, the charter of the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 592, S. B. 587, an act for the benefit of the clerk of the Superior Court of Bladen County.

H. B. 597, S. B. 608, an act to allow the qualified voters of Jones County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 309, S. B. 575, an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness.

H. B. 502, S. B. 617, an act to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded.

H. B. 507, S. B. 534, an act to amend chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1911, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the charter of Elizabeth City, North Carolina."

H. B. 559, S. B. 558, an act to amend chapter 197 of the Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

H. B. 554, S. B. 568, an act to amend chapter 529 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to protect fish in Robeson County."

H. B. 613, S. B. 389, an act to amend chapter 623 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the sales of merchandise in bulk.

H. B. 625, S. B. 302, an act to authorize and direct the directors of the State's Prison to aid in the construction of a public road in Halifax Township, Halifax County, by convicts.

H. B. 558, S. B. 562, an act to increase the compensation of members of the board of education of Johnston County.

H. B. 335, S. B. 498, an act to amend chapter 509 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to elections in New Hanover County.

H. B. 602, S. B. 330, an act to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Valley Railroad Company.

H. B. 595, S. B. 605, an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township, and repealing the act of this session of the General Assembly relative to said act.

H. B. 601, S. B. 131, an act to amend chapter 344 of the Private Laws of 1899 incorporating the Salisbury and Fayetteville Coast Line Railway Company.

H. B. 616, S. B. 616, an act to repeal Senate Bill 317 and House Bill 469 of the extra session of 1913, being a bill to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 541, S. B. 610, an act to provide for the care and cleaning of the new State Building.

H. B. 411, S. B. 531, an act to establish stock law in Yancey County.

H. B. 363, S. B. 481, an act relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County.

H. B. 320, S. B. 491, an act to establish a medical depository for the city of Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

H. B. 610, S. B. 378, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds.

H. B. 611, S. B. 118, an act supplemental of and to amend the public road
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H. R. 623, S. R. 615, a resolution concerning the publication of the laws, journals and documents of the special session of 1913. 
H. R. 600, S. R. 467, a joint resolution in regard to extra compensation of the principal clerks of the General Assembly for the extra session of 1913. 
H. R. 607, S. R. 582, a resolution to pay the widow of the late W. G. Hall, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, for full time, and to pay John S. Williams the sum of $4 per day and mileage for service he has rendered in the place of the Sergeant-at-Arms since the latter became unable, by reason of sickness, to perform those duties. 
On motion of Mr. Sikes, the House takes a recess until 8 o'clock tonight. 

NIGHT SESSION. 

The House meets pursuant to its recess with Mr. Speaker Murphy in the chair, and resumes consideration of business.  

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.  

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows: 
H. R. 634, a resolution in behalf of Mr. T. G. Cobb, principal clerk of the House of Representatives. 
Placed on the Calendar. 
The rules are suspended, the resolution passes its second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment. 

ENROLLED BILLS. 

Mr. Hatchett, 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. 529, S. B. 166, an act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court. 
H. B. 467, S. B. 312, an act to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases. 
H. B. 582, S. B. 380, an act to repeal chapter 541 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at session of 1901. 
H. B. 626, S. B. 628, an act to require witnesses to attend and be examined before the commission appointed under joint resolution of the General Assembly to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies. 
H. B. 599, S. B. 625, an act to amend section 1138 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to street railways. 
H. B. 384, S. B. 631, an act to amend chapter 115 of the Private Laws of 1899, amending the charter of the town of Greenville. 
H. B. 630, S. B. 20, an act to amend the act to establish the Rockdale Public School District in Scotland County. 
H. B. 60, S. B. 542, an act to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments.
H. B. 36, S. B. 342, an act to authorize any consul-general to take proof and acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments, and to amend section 990 of The Revisal of 1905 accordingly.

H. R. 624, S. R. 623, a resolution to pay expenses of the committee who visited the School for the Feeble Minded at Kinston, North Carolina.

H. R. 621, S. R. 624, a joint resolution relative to compensation of S. J. Hawkins.

H. R. 606, S. R. 611, a resolution in behalf of the clerks of the General Assembly.

H. R. 396, S. R. 572, a joint resolution to authorize the sale of thirty-five acres of land in the southeastern limits of the city of Raleigh, now used by the Institution for the Blind.

H. R. 44, S. R. 285, a joint resolution requesting Congress to require a uniform classification of freight for the United States.


H. B. 389, S. B. 536, an act to pay W. J. Benton pensions due him for the years 1911 and 1912.

H. B. 596, S. B. 627, an act to amend section 10 of chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the manufacture or sale of foods, drugs, medicines or liquors.

H. B. 622; S. B. 583, an act to amend section 1, chapter 202, of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the county board of education of Wake County."

H. B. 619, S. B. 622, an act to amend the charter of the town of Highlands in Macon County.

H. B. 628, S. B. 630, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, being an act regulating the holding of the Superior Courts of the State, and amending the paragraph relating to Onslow County.

H. B. 359, S. B. 502, an act relative to the commissioners of navigation and pilotage coming under section 7 of article 14 of the Constitution of North Carolina.

H. B. 614, S. B. 620, an act making appropriations for State institutions.


H. B. 496, S. B. 333, an act to give the Superior Court of Beaufort County concurrent jurisdiction with recorders' courts in Beaufort County.

H. B. 632, S. B. 381, an act to amend Revisal of 1905, section 3672, relating to removal of dead bodies, so that said section will not apply to a certain graveyard in Yancey County.

H. R. 577, S. R. 632, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Senate and House of Representatives.

H. B. 26, S. B. 189, an act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of veal in certain counties.

H. R. 634, S. R. 634, a resolution in behalf of T. G. Cobb, principal clerk of the House of Representatives.
The Speaker announces the appointment of the following:

To the Committee to examine the offices of State Treasurer, State Auditor and Insurance Commissioner, add Mr. Young of Vance in place and instead of Mr. Turner, resigned.

To the Committee on Insurance Investigation, according to resolution of extra session, Messrs. Seawell, Page and Long.

On Committee on Uniform Laws, Messrs. Woodard, Allred and Carlton.

The House, at the hour of 8:31 p. m., with Mr. Speaker Murphy presiding, adjourns sine die.

WALTER MURPHY,
Speaker of the House.

R. L. HUFFMAN,
Acting Principal Clerk of House.

Speaker of the House.
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*Died during extra session; succeeded by John S. Williams.
Pursuant to the call of his Excellency, the Governor, Locke Craig, hereinafter recorded, the Senate of the General Assembly convenes in extraordinary session in its chamber in the city of Raleigh this day at 11 o'clock a. m., and is called to order by Hon. Elijah L. Daughtridge, Lieutenant-Governor and President of the Senate.

Prayer is offered by Rev. Milton A. Barber.

The roll of Senators is called, and the following Senators answer to their names:


Hon. A. D. Watts, Senator from the Twenty-ninth Senatorial District, Iredell County, having been appointed Collector of Internal Revenue for the Fifth United States Collection District, which appointment disqualifies him for membership in this body, therefore Hon. Dorman Thompson, of Iredell County, presents the proper certificates of his election to the Senate to succeed Mr. Watts, and is administered and subscribes to the proper oath.

A quorum of the Senate being present, the proclamation by the Governor convening the General Assembly in extraordinary session is read as follows:

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

By and with the advice of the Council of State, I, Locke Craig, Governor of the State of North Carolina, in the exercise of the power conferred upon me by the Constitution, and in accordance with the resolution passed by the General Assembly and ratified on the 6th day of February, 1913, do issue this my proclamation on this extraordinary occasion, convening the General Assembly in extra session. I do, therefore, notify and request the Senators and the members of the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina to meet in their respective halls in the Capitol, in the city of Raleigh, on the 24th day of September, 1913, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the following specific purposes:

1. To provide for the people of North Carolina just transportation rates, and to adjust the relations and obligations between the State of North Carolina and the railroads operating within the territory of this State.

2. To receive the report of the Constitutional Commission, and to consider the submission to the people of amendments to the Constitution.
In witness whereof, I, Locke Craig, Governor and Commander-in-Chief, have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the State to be affixed.

Done in our city of Raleigh, this the 18th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and in the one hundred and thirty-eighth year of our Independence.

(Signed) Locke Craig,
Governor.

By the Governor:
Jno. P. Kerr,
Private Secretary.

On motion of Senator Pharr, it is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives informing that honorable body that the Senate is duly organized and ready to proceed with business.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message is received from the House of Representatives:

September 24, 1913.

Mr. President:—It is ordered that a message be sent to the Senate informing that honorable body that the House of Representatives has duly convened and is in readiness to transact business.

Walter Murphy,
Speaker.

R. L. Huffman,
Principal Clerk.

Senator Thorne offers the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring. That a joint committee of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House of Representatives be appointed by their respective presiding officers to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor, and inform him of the organization of the General Assembly in extraordinary session, and to notify him of its readiness to receive from him any communication it may be his pleasure to make.

The resolution is adopted.

The following message is received from the House of Representatives:

September 24, 1913.

Mr. President:—It is ordered that a message be sent to the Senate informing that honorable body that the House of Representatives, in accordance with Senate Resolution 1, H. R. . . . , a resolution to inform his Excellency, the Governor, that the General Assembly is ready to receive any communication he may desire to send, has appointed Messrs. Koonce, Kellum, and Capelle, on the part of the House, to act with a like committee on the part of your honorable body.

R. L. Huffman,
Principal Clerk.

The President appoints as a committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Thorne and Cook.

Senator Thorne, for the committee, reports that it has waited upon the Governor and that he will communicate with the General Assembly in writing.
ELECTION OF ENGROSSING CLERK.

A communication is read from Mr. W. H. Sawyer, former Engrossing Clerk of the Senate, in which he tenders his resignation.

Senator Daniel nominates Charles Davis, of Carteret.

Senator Phillips seconds the nomination of Mr. Davis.

Senator Council nominates Mr. Williams of Watauga.

Senator Bridgers seconds the nomination of Mr. Williams.

The President appoints as tellers Senator Evans of Pitt and Senator Daniel.

Senator Hannah moves that the vote be cast by written ballot.

The ballot is taken, and Mr. Williams receives ten votes and Mr. Davis twenty-eight votes.

The President declares Mr. Davis elected Engrossing Clerk to succeed Mr. Sawyer, resigned.

ELECTION OF READING CLERK.

Senator Peterson expresses his regret in regard to the death of our Reading Clerk, Mr. R. M. Phillips, of Guilford, and nominates Mr. Burnett, of Pender County, to succeed him.

There being no further nomination, a ballot is taken which results in the unanimous election of Mr. Burnett to succeed Mr. Phillips, deceased.

Mr. W. S. Wilson, secretary of the Raleigh Country Club, extends the courtesies of the club for the special session of the Legislature.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

The following bills and resolutions were introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

S. R. 1, by Senator Thorne, a joint resolution appointing a committee to notify the Governor.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. R. 2, by Senator Hobgood, a joint resolution restricting the business of this extra session to the particular matters mentioned in the Governor's proclamation, convening the General Assembly.

Referred to the Committee on Rules.

CALENDAR.

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

S. R. 1, a joint resolution appointing a committee to notify the Governor. The resolution passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House without engrossing.

MOTIONS.

Senator Council asks leave of absence for Senator Coffey until Friday.

On motion of Senator Nimocks, the privileges of the floor are extended to Ex-Senator McCullough.

Senator Barnes asks leave of absence for Senator Ward, which is granted.

On motion of Senator Peterson, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow.
SECOND DAY.

Senate Chamber, September 25, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. W. McC. White.
The journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Reports of Committees.
Reports are received from standing committees as follows:
From the Committee on Rules:
By Senator Pharr, S. R. 2, a resolution to restrict the business of the extra session to certain things.
The committee reports a substitute and recommends that the substitute do pass.

Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.
By Senator Bryant, S. B. 3, a bill to authorize the city of Durham to extend and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds therefor.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 4, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to holding courts of Halifax County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Lovingood, S. B. 5, a bill to amend section 2919 of The Revisal of 1905, in reference to town charters.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 6, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to donate funds for premiums at its agricultural county fairs.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 7, a bill to provide for the appointment of court stenographer for Halifax County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 8, a bill to amend chapter 206 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and for other purposes.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 9, a bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 10, a bill to establish stock law in Sampson County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 11, a bill to amend chapter 55 of the Public Laws of 1913.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 12, a bill establishing the office of highway commissioner for Sampson County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 13, a bill to protect the uniform of the United
States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina, and the persons entitled to wear the same.

Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 14, a bill to repeal chapter 784, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relating to the improvement of public roads of Sampson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 15, a bill to incorporate the town of Dublin in Bladen County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 16, a bill to amend the road law of Cotton Grove Township in Davidson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hannah, S. B. 17, a bill to amend chapter 485 of the Public Laws of 1899, and to increase the tax levy for the graded school in the town of Waynesville.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Allen, S. B. 18, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Henderson County to place certain moneys in the sinking fund of Asheville and Spartanburg Railroad bonds.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Allen, S. B. 19, a bill authorizing an election in the city of Hendersonville on the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of a watershed and other purposes, and to repeal chapter 326 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 20, a bill to amend an act establishing the Rheldale Public School District of Scotland County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Allen, S. B. 21, a bill to amend an act entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, North Carolina, ratified the 25th day of February, 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 22, a bill to authorize the board of graded school trustees of Lenoir County to issue bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 23, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina as framed by the Constitutional Commission of 1913, and referred to his Excellency the Governor, together with statutory machinery for submitting the same to the qualified voters of the whole State.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 24, a bill to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County, to levy a tax, and to create a sinking fund for said bonds.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Hooks, S. B. 25, a bill to amend chapter 107, Public Laws of 1913, known as the automobile law, by changing the age limit of operators of motor vehicles from sixteen to fifteen years.

Referred to Committee on Roads.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 4, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to holding of courts of Halifax County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 5, a bill to amend section 2919 of The Revisal of 1905, in reference to town charters and election of town officers in the town of Murphy, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 6, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to donate funds for premiums at the agricultural county fairs, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 7, a bill to provide for the appointment of court stenographer for Halifax County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 8, a bill to amend chapter 206 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 9, a bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 12, a bill establishing the office of highway commissioner for Sampson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 16, a bill to amend the road law of Cotton Grove Township in Davidson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 2, a resolution to restrict the business of the extra session to certain things, upon second reading.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted.

The substitute, as adopted, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hawes, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following resolution properly enrolled, and it is duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H. R. 3, S. R. 1, a resolution appointing a committee to notify the Governor.
MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

To the Honorable the General Assembly of North Carolina:

I transmit to you herewith the report of the Corporation Commission of negotiations for adjustment of interstate freight rates, made on August 5, 1913, with an amendment made on September 19, 1913.

If the proposals for reduction of transportation charges contained in this report be accepted, the reduced rates are to go into effect without delay, and the acceptance by the State of the proposals therein contained will be a settlement of all pending differences between the State of North Carolina and the railways in respect to rates on interstate traffic therein adjusted, for a period of at least two years from the time of such acceptance.

I refer this report with the proposals to the representatives of the people, that they may determine what shall be done.

The carriers make definite proposals in substance as follows:

1. From Northern and Eastern territory all rail rates on through freight shall in no case exceed combinations of local rates. This is not a concession but an agreement to comply with the law, which ought never to have been violated, but we would obtain this benefit without resort to the courts.

2. From the Buffalo-Pittsburg territory substantial reductions on all important iron and steel commodities.

3. From Western territory reductions to the zones of the State specifically set out in the report. This Western territory embraces all points east of the Buffalo-Pittsburg zone, north of the Ohio River, and west of the Mississippi River.

4. From all furniture points in the State to the far West, rates on furniture equal to the rates now in force from the Virginia cities, and to the territory east of the Rocky Mountains, a reduction of twelve dollars per carload on mixed furniture.

5. Commodity rates on inbound freight to the city of Asheville and related territory set out on pages 25 and 26 of the report of the Corporation Commission, and on pages 10 and 11 of the amendment.

In addition to the above unconditional proposals, the carriers agree to further reduce rates from Northern and Eastern territory, and from the Buffalo-Pittsburg zone, on condition that they secure the consent of their northern and eastern connections.

I have devoted to this question most earnest thought. I have had the assistance and cooperation of experts in freight rates, and have taken counsel with the Legislative Freight Rate Commission and with officials and members of the Just Freight Rate Association, with the Corporation Commission and with the Council of State. It is my duty under the Constitution to express to you my views and conclusions. In the discharge of this duty, I recommend that the proposals as above set out be accepted.

In the original proposition there were conditions that made acceptance impossible. These have been eliminated, and the proposition has been amended to the decided advantage of the State. As it now stands, I believe that it makes a reduction reasonable under the present rate system. I know that it makes a substantial reduction. In my opinion it is a fair compliance in good faith with the understanding between representatives of the State and representatives of the carriers in conference at Raleigh on February 26, 1913.
The acceptance of these proposals would save to our people a vast amount of money, and enable the cities and towns of North Carolina to compete on equal terms with the cities of other States.

The saving in freight rates would be a substantial gain, but the greater consideration is the opportunity for business that lower rates would offer. Our prosperity would increase, and our industries be encouraged to the extent of the reduction on the cost of transportation.

The proposed reductions are in my opinion as much or more than we could secure under the present system and construction of the law through the Interstate Commerce Commission, even by long and expensive litigation. Under this proposition we would secure the benefits of the reduction with little expense, and as soon as the rates could be put into effect.

Shall we accept these proposals and save to the State a vast sum of money, and vouchsafe to her industries increasing prosperity, without compromising the dignity of the Staté and without yielding our right to proceed for any further reductions in rates not provided for in the adjustment; or shall we reject them and make war upon the carriers to compel greater reductions? By the acceptance there are no limitations, expressed or implied, upon the State. Within her jurisdiction the State will exercise her sovereign power according to the dictates of her own conscience in the making and the administration of law. No one can barter away this right, if he would.

I want peace, but I prefer war to an ignominious peace. I really want peace, and peace on the terms proposed is an honorable peace.

I fully realize that we are not getting all to which we are entitled, but it is much. It is a move in the direction of complete justice.

If the issue with the railroads were within the jurisdiction of the State, justice would be decreed by statute, and enforced. But the power of the State can not directly control this matter. We contend under disadvantages; against a long established system recognized by Federal statute and authority.

The existing rate structure has been developed by the arbitrary will of the carriers; it has resulted in all manner of extortion and injustice; it must be revised. There is no competition between railroads, the people can expect no protection from competition; the law must fix and regulate rates. The rate for any point should be determined by the relative cost of the haul. This axiomatic principle can be established only in the Federal jurisdiction; not until it be established can we have complete relief from the injustice under which we have long suffered.

The present method of fixing rates by the arbitrary power of the railroads has existed from the beginning of railroad transportation. The people have submitted because they did not know. Like the protective tariff, it has grown insidiously until, oppressed by accumulating injustice, the people have awakened for action. We can not hope to upset or destroy the whole evil at one stroke. We must persevere on the line laid down by President Wilson in his discussion of the tariff. We have begun and will not stop. We have put our hands to the plough and will not look back.

Respectfully, Locke Craig, Governor.

On motion of Senator Peterson, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow.
THIRD DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, September 26, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. T. W. O'Kelley.
The journal of yesterday is read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:
From the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:
By Senator Thorne, S. B. 3, a bill to authorize the city of Durham to extend and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds therefor, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 10, a bill to establish a stock law in Sampson County, with a favorable report as amended.

From the Committee on Military Affairs:
By Senator Phillips, S. B. 13, a bill to protect the uniform of the United States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina and persons entitled to wear the same, with a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 26, a bill to provide for the erection of a suitable building by the Department of Agriculture.
Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Parsons, S. B. 27, a bill to amend chapter 182, Public Laws of 1911, extending the time for registration of grants.
Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Evans of Pitt, S. B. 28, a bill to amend chapter 763, Public Local Laws, session of 1913, relative to primary elections in Pitt County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 29, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to issue bonds to pay its debt.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Ivie, S. B. 30, a bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 31, a bill to repeal chapter 633, Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relating to the manufacture and sale of wine, cider and other intoxicating liquors within the vicinity of Oak Grove Free Will Baptist and Oak Grove Universalist churches in Sampson County.
Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Cok, S. B. 32, a bill to amend the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to a franchise tax on corporations.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hall, S. B. 33, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the holding of the Superior Courts of Stokes County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Carson, S. B. 34, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton in Rutherford County.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 35, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay certain costs incurred before the grand jury.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 36, a bill to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow $35,000 to enlarge its light plant.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Lovingood, S. B. 37, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of Cherokee County.
Referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 38, a bill to amend chapter 174, Public Local Laws for the session of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Wake County.
Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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

S. B. 39, H. B. 9, a bill to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton so as to give said court civil jurisdiction, etc.
Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 40, H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the general road law of Macon County to Franklin Township, and other amendments to the road law.
Placed on the Calendar.

S. R. 41, H. R. 38, a joint resolution to print the Governor's message.
Placed on the Calendar.

CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 28, a bill to amend chapter 763, Public Local Laws, session of 1913, relative to primary elections in Pitt County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 33, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the holding of the Superior Courts of Stokes County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 35, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay certain costs incurred before the grand jury, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 10, a bill to establish a stock law in Sampson County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 3, a bill to authorize the city of Durham to establish and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds necessary therefor, on second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 47, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 17, a bill to amend chapter 485 of the Public Laws of 1899, and to increase the tax levy for the graded school in the town of Waynesville, on second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 47, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 19, a bill authorizing an election in the city of Hendersonville on the question of issuing bonds for the purchase of a watershed and other purposes, and to repeal chapter 326 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, on second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 47, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 21, a bill to amend an act entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, North Carolina, ratified the 25th day of February, 1913, on second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 47, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 22, a bill to authorize the board of graded school trustees of Lenoir County to issue bonds, on second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 47, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 15, a bill to incorporate the town of Dublin in Bladen County, on second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 47, noes none, as follows:

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.
On motion of Senator Bryant, leave of absence is granted to Senator Thorne until Monday.
On motion of Senator Davis, leave of absence is granted to Senator Hobgood until Monday.
On motion of Senator Parsons, leave of absence is granted to Senator Studdert until Monday.
On motion of Senator Hannah, leave of absence is granted to Senator Long until Tuesday.
On motion of Senator Payne, leave of absence is granted to Senator Peebles until Monday.
On motion of Senator Scott, leave of absence is granted to Senator Hooks until Monday.
On motion of Senator Mason, S. B. 13, a bill to protect the uniform of the United States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina, and persons entitled to wear the same, is recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs.
On motion of Senator Phillips, the Senate adjourns until tomorrow at 10 o'clock a.m.

FOURTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, September 27, 1913.
The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. C. E. Maddry.
The journal of yesterday is read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.
Reports are received from standing committees as follows:
From the Committee on Railroads:
By Senator Jones, S. B. 18, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Hen-
Anderson County to place certain moneys in the sinking fund of Asheville and Spartanburg Railroad bonds, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 24, a bill to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax, and to create a sinking fund for said bonds, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Military Affairs:
By Senator Phillips, S. B. 13, a bill to protect the uniform of the United States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina, and the persons entitled to wear the same.

The committee reports a substitute and recommends that the same do pass.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 36, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow $35,000 to enlarge its light plant, with a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 42, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1061 of The Revisal of 1905, so as to require the whole time of each member of the Corporation Commission.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 43, a bill to require the Attorney-General to reside at the capital during his term of office and give his whole time to the duties of his office, and to abolish the office of Assistant Attorney-General, and to increase the salary of the Attorney-General.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Senator Carson, S. B. 44, a bill to amend chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to the shipment of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Senator Phillips, S. B. 45, a bill to make the Good Roads Days, November 5 and 6, 1913, public holidays for the year 1913.
Referred to Committee on Roads.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 46, a bill to protect sheep, hogs, cows, and other live-stock in that part of Harnett County west of the Cape Fear River.
Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Brown, S. B. 47, a bill to enable the Department of Agriculture to manufacture material for the inoculating culture of leguminous crops.
Referred to Committee on Agriculture.
By Senator Mason, S. B. 48, a bill to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Senator Mason, S. B. 49, a bill to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind.
Referred to Committee on Blind Institutions.
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 50, a bill to provide for the segregation of races.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

2—Senate.
By Senator Little, of Wake, S. B. 51, a bill to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 52, a bill to amend section 649, Public Local Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 53, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace and a constable for the village of Whitnel in the county of Caldwell, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Mason, S. B. 64, a bill to provide for working convicts in Gaston County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Thompson, S. B. 65, a bill to permit the city of Statesville to refund certain of its bonded indebtedness.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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

S. B. 54, H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the costs in Rowan County court.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 55, H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the recorder's court of Spencer, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 56, H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 210 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the charter of the town of Cherryville

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 57, H. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the boundary of Special School Tax-District No. 9, Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 58, H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 59, H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the election of a cotton weigher for the town of Lincolnton in Lincoln County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 60, H. B. 35, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Hertford County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 61, H. B. 40, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a stock law for Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 62, H. B. 82, a bill to be entitled an act to amend and correct section 28 of chapter 596 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at the regular session in 1913.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 63, H. B. 107, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 327 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the township bond issues for good roads in Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 18, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Henderson County to place certain moneys in the sinking fund of Asheville and Spartanburg Railroad bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 13, a bill to protect the uniform of the United States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina and the persons entitled to wear the same, upon second reading.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted.

Senator Phillips offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes second reading as amended.

S. B. 40, H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the general road law of Macon County to Franklin Township and other amendments to the road law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 38, a bill to amend chapter 174, Public Local Laws for the session of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 53, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace and a constable for the village of Whitnel in the county of Caldwell, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 21, a bill to amend an act entitled an act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, North Carolina, ratified the 25th day of February, 1913, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovingood, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Phill, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 19, a bill authorizing an election in the city of Hendersonville on the question of issuing bonds for the purchase of a watershed and other purposes, and to repeal chapter 326 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy,

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 22, a bill to authorize the board of graded school trustees of Lenoir County to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovington, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 17, a bill to amend chapter 485 of the Public Laws of 1899, and to increase the tax levy for the graded school in the town of Waynesville, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovington, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 3, a bill to authorize the city of Durham to establish and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds necessary therefor, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovington, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 34, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton in Rutherford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovington, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.

S. B. 29, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to issue bonds to pay its debt, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovington, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.
S. B. 32, a bill to amend the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to a franchise tax on corporations, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovin-good, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.

S. B. 36, a bill to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow $35,000 to enlarge its light plant, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovin-good, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.

S. B. 24, a bill to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax, and to create a sinking fund for said bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 33, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovin-good, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Thompson, Wakefield, Weaver—33.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Senator Pharr, leave of absence is granted to Senator Jones until Thursday.

On motion of Senator Bryant, leave of absence is granted to Senator Ivie until Tuesday.

On motion of Senator Phillips, leave of absence is granted to Senator Barbour until Monday.

On motion of Senator Scott, the Senate adjourns until Monday at 12 o'clock m.

FIFTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, September 29, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. H. M. North.
The journal of yesterday is read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Senator Council, petition from the Junior Order of United American Mechanics in regard to the constitutional amendment relative to the reading of the Bible in the public schools.
MOTIONS.

On motion of Senator Little of Wake, the privilege of the floor are extended to Ex-Senator Gardner, of Cleveland.

On motion of Senator Council, the chair appoints the following committee to draw suitable resolutions in regard to the death of the former reading clerk: Senators Council, Hobgood and Parsons.

On motion of Senator Payne, S. B. 39, H. B. 9, a bill to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton so as to give said court civil jurisdiction, etc., is recalled from the Calendar and sent back to the House of Representatives.

On motion of Senator Davis, leave of absence is granted to Senator Ward until Wednesday.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:
From the Committee on Blind Institutions:
By Senator Little of Anson, S. B. 49, a bill to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind, with a favorable report.
From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:
By Senator Council, S. B. 31, a bill to repeal chapter 633 of the Local Laws of the session of 1913, relating to the manufacture and sale of wines, cider and other intoxicating liquors within the vicinity of Oak Grove Free Will Baptist and Oak Grove Universalist churches in Sampson County, without prejudice.
By Senator Council, S. B. 37, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of Cherokee 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 Senator Thorne, S. B. 118, a bill supplemental of and to amend the public road law of the county of Nash as contained in chapter 451 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, as amended by chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913. Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.
By Senator Studdert, S. B. 119, a bill to restore sections 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1903, relative to the city of Washington. Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Studdert, S. B. 120, a bill to give the mayor and aldermen of the city of Washington, North Carolina, authority to pay the chief of police what his services are worth. Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 121, a bill to amend chapter 86 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the amount of bond for the county treasurer. Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Phillips, S. B. 122, a bill to provide for distribution of tax levied and collected in Lexington Township, Davidson County, for the working of the public roads of Lexington Township, between the town of Lexington and the balance of the township. Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Phillips, S. B. 123, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Lexington and Yadkin College townships in Davidson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 124, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Davidson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 125, a bill taxing dogs in Sampson County and making them subjects of larceny.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hobgood, S. B. 126, a bill to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, same being the charter of the city of Greensboro.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hobgood, S. B. 127, a bill to incorporate the Apostolic Holiness University of Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Mashburn, S. B. 128, a bill to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Little, of Wake, S. B. 129, a bill to be entitled an act amending the charter of the city of Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Little of Anson, S. B. 130, a bill to provide for the protection and keeping up of the public roads of Anson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Brown, S. B. 131, a bill to amend and reënact chapter 344 of the Private Laws of 1899, incorporating the Salisbury and Fayetteville Coast Line Railway Company.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Hannah, S. B. 132, a bill to cure the defective probate of certain wills made by nonresidents prior to January 1, 1895, in Jackson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hannah, S. B. 133, a bill to cure certain defective registrations of deeds in Jackson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hannah, S. B. 134, a bill to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1905, and chapter 188, Public Local Laws of 1911, public road law of Haywood County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 135, a bill to amend section 5092 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to the publishing of the public and private laws of the Legislature.

Referred to Committee on Printing.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 136, a bill to amend article 10 of the Constitution of North Carolina in the manner prescribed by law, relative to homestead and personal property exemption.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 137, a bill to change the length of the terms for the courts for the trial of criminal cases exclusively in Mecklenburg County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator McLeod, S. B. 138, a bill to change the name of Special Tax District Number One in Rowland Township, Robeson County, for the white race; to create Rowland High School District; to authorize the board of trustees of said school district to issue bonds and to levy an additional special tax; to purchase property; to authorize the town of Rowland to sell its school property and use the funds arising from such sale, and for general purposes.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator McLeod, S. B. 139, a bill to amend the charter of Rowland, Robeson County, so as to provide for sewerage, waterworks, electric lights and street improvements for said town and to issue bonds therefor, and to create a sinking fund, and for like purposes.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Carson, S. B. 140, a bill to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District No. 1 in Cleveland County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 141, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of the Raleigh Real Estate and Trust Company.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Little, of Wake, S. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Hobgood, S. B. 143, a bill to amend chapter 651 of the Public Laws of 1909, pertaining to the municipal court of the city of Greensboro.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator McLeod, S. B. 144, a bill to repeal chapter 645 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled an act to provide for the proper deposit of all public funds of Robeson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator McLeod, S. B. 145, a bill to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy a tax for the same."

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator McLeod, S. B. 146, a bill to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County, and levy a tax for the same."

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Evans, of Pitt, S. B. 147, a bill to regulate the pay of tales jurors in Pitt County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Nimocks, S. R. 148, a joint resolution to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Thorne, S. R. 149, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to draw the general laws to become necessary in the event of the ratification of the proposed constitutional amendments.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Senator Thompson, S. B. 150, a bill to authorize the city of Statesville to
call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools, and for other purposes.

Placed on the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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

S. B. 66, H. B. 4, a bill to repeal chapter 325 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Referred to Finance Committee.
S. B. 67, H. B. 7, a bill to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 68, H. B. 8, a bill to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax to create a sinking fund for said bonds.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 69, H. B. 10, a bill to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907, applying to High Point Township only.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 70, H. B. 11, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 71, H. B. 12, a bill to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 72, H. B. 13, a bill to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 73, H. B. 14, a bill to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 74, H. B. 18, a bill to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County and to create a road commission therein," ratified the 30th day of January, 1913.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 75, H. B. 20, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 76, H. B. 21, a bill to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911, to authorize an increase in the special tax for schools in Faison School District.
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 77, H. B. 22, a bill to amend chapter 274 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Edgecombe County to submit to the qualified voters of said county, excepting that part embraced within the boundaries of the Rocky Mount Road District and the Number Six Township or Whitakers Road District, the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of improving the public roads in said county."
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 78, H. B. 30, a bill to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for the completion of its water and lighting systems, and for other purposes.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 79, H. B. 33, a bill to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for street improvements, to provide for a board of public works, and repeal an act ratified March 1, 1913, authorizing certain bond issues of the town of Wilson.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 80, H. B. 31, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 81, H. B. 34, a bill to amend chapter 198 of the Public Local Laws of the regular session of 1913, in reference to the construction of an iron bridge across the Yadkin River, the dividing line between counties of Yadkin and Forsyth, at or near Huffman's Ferry, formerly Glenn's Ferry.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 82, H. B. 41, a bill to incorporate Grimesland School District, in Pitt County, and authorize it to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 83, H. B. 42, a bill to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 84, H. B. 48, a bill to amend chapter 812 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock running at large in Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 85, H. B. 49, a bill to amend chapter 395 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the dog tax in Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 86, H. B. 51, a bill to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 87, H. B. 52, a bill to appoint J. R. Davenport a justice of the peace in Pactolus Township, Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 88, H. B. 54, a bill to amend chapter 617 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relating to salaries of the officers of Alamance County, so as to increase the school funds of Alamance County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 89, H. B. 55, a bill to prohibit the running of sawdust in certain streams in Graham County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 90, H. B. 56, a bill to amend chapter 76 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the collection of taxes in Graham County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 91, H. B. 59, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to make March term of Rowan Superior Court for the trial of civil cases exclusively.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 92, H. B. 63, a bill to amend the law relative to the time for holding court in Washington and Beaufort counties.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 93, H. B. 62, a bill to make section 1662 of chapter 35 of Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina applicable to Bertie County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 94, H. B. 64, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Gates County to designate some Gates County bank to act as treasurer to handle the good roads fund.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 95, H. B. 65, a bill to amend chapter 1913 of the laws of North Carolina of the session of 1847, being an act to incorporate the trustees of Danover Institute, in the town of Yanceyville.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 96, H. B. 69, a bill to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to elect cotton weighers for Hubert, Belgrade and Cross Roads in Onslow County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 97, H. B. 70, a bill to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to remove and reinter certain dead bodies.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 98, H. B. 71, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace in Wilkes County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 99, H. B. 74, a bill to increase the pay of jurors in the recorder's court in Stanly County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 100, H. B. 75, a bill to amend chapter 646 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, by striking out Union County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 101, H. B. 79, a bill to change the time for holding one of the terms of Superior Court for Union County, in the Thirteenth Judicial District, so that said court will not conflict with the call of said district in the Supreme Court.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 102, H. B. 81, a bill to appoint B. F. Parker a Justice of the peace for Lane's Creek Township, in Union County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 103, H. B. 84, a bill to allow the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro and the board of commissioners of Wayne County to exempt from local taxation certain bond issues.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 104, H. B. 90, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, in regard to Courts in Catawba County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 105, H. B. 91, a bill to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of public road crossings in Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 106, H. B. 94, a bill to relieve the citizens of Catawba Springs Township, Lincoln County, from a certain tax and the issuance of bonds.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 107, H. B. 96, a bill to amend chapter 752, section 4 thereof, of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to fishing in Duplin County.

Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
S. B. 108, H. B. 98, a bill to establish stock law in certain territories in Cherokee County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 109, H. B. 101, a bill to regulate the bonding of certain officers in Haywood County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 110, H. B. 105, a bill to prohibit the sale and delivery of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 111, H. B. 99, a bill to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to draw an additional number of jurors for service at the civil and criminal terms of court of Forsyth County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 112, H. B. 109, a bill to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 113, H. B. 110, a bill to abolish free labor on the public roads in certain townships in Davidson County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 114, H. B. 133, a bill to protect wild fowl and other game birds in Davie County.

Referred to Committee on Game Laws.

S. B. 115, H. B. 141, a bill for the relief of the county commissioners of Clay County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 116, H. B. 179, a bill to amend chapter 626 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to fees in Forsyth County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 117, H. B. 180, a bill to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton, so as to give said court civil jurisdiction; provide for a solicitor and jury for said court, etc.

Placed on the Calendar.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, requesting the return of H. B. 9, S. B. 39, a bill to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton so as to give said court civil jurisdiction, etc.

Upon motion of Senator Payne, the bill is ordered returned.

**Calendar.**

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

S. B. 140, a bill to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District Number One, in Cleveland County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 119, a bill to restore sections 10, 11, 12, and 13 of chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1903, relative to the city of Washington, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 121, a bill to amend chapter 86 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the amount of bond for the county treasurer, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 120, a bill to give the mayor and aldermen of the city of Washington, North Carolina, authority to pay the chief of police what his services are worth, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 125, a bill taxing dogs in Sampson County, and making them subjects of larceny, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 123, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Lexington and Yadkin College townships, in Davidson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 46, a bill to protect sheep, hogs, cows, and other livestock in that part of Harnett County west of the Cape Fear River, upon second reading.

Senator Peterson offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 55, H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the recorder's court of Spencer, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 124, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Davidson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 126, a bill to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, same being the charter of the city of Greensboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 56, H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 210 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the charter of the town of Cherryville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 134, a bill to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1905, and chapter 188, Public Local Laws of 1911, public road law of Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 137, a bill to change the length of terms for the courts for the trial of criminal cases exclusively in Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 143, a bill to amend chapter 651 of the Public Laws of 1909, pertaining to the municipal court of the city of Greensboro, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 40, H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the general road law of Macon County to Franklin Township, and other amendments to the road law, upon third reading.

Senator Lovingood offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes third reading, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence with the Senate amendment.

S. B. 117, H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton, so as to give said court civil jurisdiction; provide for a solicitor and jury for said court, etc., upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 15, a bill to incorporate the town of Dublin, in Bladen County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 32, a bill to amend the Public Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relative to a franchise tax on corporations, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 34, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton, in Rutherford County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 24, a bill to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax, and to create a sinking fund for said bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 36, a bill to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow thirty-five thousand dollars to enlarge its light plant, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 29, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to issue bonds to pay its debt, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 65, a bill to permit the city of Statesville to refund certain of its bonded indebtedness, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:


On motion of Senator Scott, the Senate adjourns until tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

SIXTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, September 30, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Wilcox.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 51, a bill to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 52, a bill to amend section 649, Public Local Laws 1913, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 84, H. B. 48, a bill to amend chapter 812 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock running at large in Avery County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 89, H. B. 55, a bill to prohibit the running of sawdust in certain streams in Graham County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 85, H. B. 49, a bill to amend chapter 395 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the dog tax in Avery County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 110, H. B. 105, a bill to prohibit the sale and delivery of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 44, a bill to amend chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to the shipment of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Education:
By Senator Thorne, S. B. 76, H. B. 21, a bill to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911, to authorize an increase in the special tax for schools in the Faison School District, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:
By Senator Washington, S. B. 63, H. B. 107, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 327 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the township bond issues for good roads In Wayne County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 79, H. B. 33, a bill to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for street improvements, to provide for a board of public works, and to repeal an act ratified March 1, 1913, authorizing certain bond issues of the town of Wilson, with a favorable report.

PETITIONS.

Senator Nimocks presents a large petition from citizens, advocating a constitutional amendment in regard to the reading of the Bible in the public schools.

Senator Hobgood presents a large petition from citizens, advocating a constitutional amendment in regard to the reading of the Bible in the public schools.

MOTIONS.

Upon motion of Senator Pharr, the vote by which S. B. 137, a bill to change the length of the terms for the courts for the trial of criminal cases exclusively in Mecklenburg County, passed its third reading, and was ordered sent to the House of Representatives, is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR.

On motion of Senator Hawes, the privileges of the floor are granted to ex-Senator Johnson.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, transmitting the following bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 189, H. B. 26, a bill to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal.
Referred to Committee on Agriculture.
S. B. 190, H. B. 208, a bill to amend chapter 316, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the board of health of New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 191, H. B. 248, a bill to correct an error in chapter 709 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the working of the public roads of Transylvania County, by amending the said chapter.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 151, a bill to enlarge the special school district known as Special School District Number One, of South Whitaker's Township, Nash County, North Carolina, and to change the name thereof to Red Oak School District.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Daniel, S. B. 152, a bill to amend an act to provide good roads in Enfield Township, Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 153, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Washington Township, Beaufort County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Little, of Wake, S. B. 154, a bill to appropriate $1,000 to Mrs. Carrie White.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Senator Evans, of Pitt, S. B. 155, a bill to permit the town of Winterville to issue bonds for electric lights and other public works, and to levy a special tax.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 156, a bill to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Evans of Pitt, S. B. 157, a bill to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 158, a bill to authorize the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to pay the State's proportion for paving in front of any of the State's property in Raleigh just as individuals are required to do by law under like circumstances.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Senator Lovingood, S. B. 159, a bill to amend subsection 12 of section 1318, Revisal of 1905, in reference to powers and duties of county commissioners of Cherokee County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 160, a bill to amend chapter 452 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled "An act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County, and to increase the road fund and the school fund."

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

3—Senate.
By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 161, a bill to incorporate Holly Springs High School District, Holly Springs Township, Wake County, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator McLeod, S. B. 162, a bill for the protection of game birds in Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Game Laws.

By Senator McLeod, S. B. 163, a bill to amend chapter 314, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton."

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Ivie, S. B. 164, a bill to regulate the stopping of trains in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 165, a bill to amend section 2768 of The Revisal of 1905, providing full compensation to solicitors when defendants are assigned to work on public roads.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Senator Peebles, S. B. 166, a bill to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Senator Peebles, S. B. 167, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and changing the time for holding the February and September terms of the Superior Court of Bertie County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Carson, S. B. 168, a bill to amend chapter 504 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1907, entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County."

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Carson, S. B. 169, a bill to drain the lowlands of Second Broad River and its tributaries in Rutherford County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Mashburn, S. B. 170, a bill to amend chapter 828, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to create a highway commission for Madison County and to provide funds for construction of a system of public roads and highways in said county."

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Hooks, S. B. 171, a bill prescribing the place for advertisements and sales required to be made and held at the courthouse door in Wayne County while the new courthouse of said county is under construction.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Mashburn, S. B. 172, a bill to amend chapter 702 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act authorizing the board of commissioners of Madison County to establish a recorder's court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Hobgood, S. B. 173, a bill to amend chapter 2 of Private Laws of 1911, relative to public libraries of Greensboro.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 174, a bill to permit Holly Springs High School District, in Wake County, to vote $10,000 of bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Phillips, S. B. 175, a bill to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Ivie, S. R. 176, a joint resolution to invite the President of the United States to deliver the address at the dedication of the monument to the North Carolina women of the Confederacy donated to the State by Colonel Ashley Horne.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Davis, S. B. 177, a bill to amend chapter 341, of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to issuance of bonds by Beaufort Township.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Mason, S. B. 178, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, in respect to the courts of Mecklenburg County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Mason, S. B. 179, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to provide an additional term of court for Gaston County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Long, S. B. 180, a bill to amend chapter . . . of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to good roads bond issue in Person County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 181, a bill to amend section 206 of chapter 342, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1907.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 182, a bill to appoint H. J. Wheless a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 183, a bill to appoint John E. Cobb a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 184, a bill to work the State convicts on public roads.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 185, a bill to require the State Treasurer to pay certain moneys to the State's Prison.

Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 186, a bill to restore certain powers to the board of directors of the State's Prison.

Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Senator Hannah, S. B. 187, a bill to provide for the working of convicts in Haywood County and the construction and maintenance of public roads.

Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Senator Hannah, S. B. 188, a bill to amend section 441, chapter 12, Re-

Revised of 1905, relative to validating irregular service on infants.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Senator Hobgood, S. B. 192, a bill to incorporate the Liberty Piedmont Institute.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Parsons, S. B. 193, a bill authorizing the commissioners of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina, to use certain funds of said town, known as the sewerage fund, for street improvement and other purposes.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Brown, S. B. 194, a bill to incorporate Piedmont Detective Agency for Rowan County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

CALANDAR.

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

S. R. 176, a joint resolution to invite the President of the United States to deliver the address at the dedication of the monument to the North Carolina women of the Confederacy, donated to the State by Colonel Ashley Horne.

The resolution passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 96, H. B. 69, a bill to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to elect cotton weighers for Hubert, Belgrade and Cross Roads, in Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 144, a bill to repeal chapter 645 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled an act to provide for the proper deposit of all public funds of Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 88, H. B. 54, a bill to amend chapter 617 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relating to salaries of the officers of Alamance County, so as to increase the school funds of Alamance County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 37, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 108, H. B. 98, a bill to establish stock law in certain territories in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 109, H. B. 101, a bill to regulate the bonding of certain officers in Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 113, H. B. 110, a bill to abolish free labor on the public roads in certain townships in Davidson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 49, a bill to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 147, a bill to regulate the pay of tales jurors in Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 191, H. B. 248, a bill to correct an error in chapter 709 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to working the public roads of Transylvania County by amending the said chapter, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 137, a bill to change the length of the terms for the courts for the trial of criminal cases exclusively in Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

Senator Pharr offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes third reading, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 13, a bill to protect the uniform of the United States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina and the persons entitled to wear the same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 168, a bill to amend chapter 504 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1907, entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 192, a bill to incorporate the Liberty-Piedmont Institute, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 182, a bill to appoint M. J. Wheless a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 183, a bill to appoint John E. Cobb a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 179, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to provide an additional term of court for Gaston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 178, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, in respect to the courts of Mecklenburg County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 173, a bill to amend chapter 2 of Private Laws of 1911, relative to public libraries of Greensboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 171, a bill prescribing the place for advertisements and sales required to be made and held at the courthouse door in Wayne County while the new courthouse of said county is under construction, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 167, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and changing the time for holding the February and September terms of the Superior Court of Bertie County.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives without engrossment.

S. B. 157, a bill to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 153, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Washington Township, Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 193, a bill authorizing the commissioners of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina, to use certain funds of said town, known as the sewerage fund, for street improvement and other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 31, a bill to repeal chapter 633, Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relating to the manufacture and sale of wine, cider and other intoxicating liquors within the vicinity of Oak Grove Free Will Baptist and Oak Grove Universalist churches in Sampson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 115, H. B. 141, a bill for the relief of the county commissioners of Clay County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Pharr, the bill is referred to the Committee on Railroads.

S. B. 65, a bill to permit the city of Statesville to refund certain of its bonded indebtedness, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 51, a bill to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Hobgood, Hooks, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovin-good, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peebles,

S. B. 78, H. B. 30, a bill to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for the completion of its water and lighting systems and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 81, H. B. 34, a bill to amend chapter 198 of the Public Local Laws of the regular session of 1913, in reference to the construction of an iron bridge across the Yadkin River, the dividing line between the counties of Yadkin and Forsyth, at or near Huffman's ferry, formerly Glenn's ferry, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 77, H. B. 22, a bill to amend chapter 274 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Edgecombe County to submit to the qualified voters of said county, excepting that part embraced within the boundaries of the Rocky Mount Road District and the Number Six Township, or Whitakers Road District, the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of improving the public roads in said county," upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 145, a bill to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County, and to levy a tax for the same," upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 146, a bill to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of North Carolina,
session of 1913, entitled “An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County and levy a tax for the same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 150, a bill to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 138, a bill to change the name of Special Tax District Number One in Rowland Township, Robeson County, for the white race; to create Rowland High School District; to authorize the board of trustees of said school district to issue bonds and to levy an additional special tax; to purchase property; to authorize the town of Rowland to sell its school property and use the funds arising from such sale and for general purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 139, a bill to amend the charter of Rowland, Robeson County, so as to provide for sewerage, waterworks, electric lights and street improvements for said town, and to issue bonds therefor and to create a sinking fund, and for like purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 139, a bill to provide for the protection and keeping of the public roads of Anson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Hobgood, Hooks, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Lovin-

S. B. 52, a bill to amend section 649, Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 79, H. B. 33, a bill to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for street improvements, to provide for board of public works and repeal an act ratified March 1, 1913, authorizing certain bond issue for the town of Wilson, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes none, as follows:


**ENGROSSED BILLS.**

Senator Evans, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that he has examined the following bill and finds it to be properly engrossed:

S. B. 46, a bill to protect sheep, hogs, cows and other live-stock in that part of Harnett County west of the Cape Fear River.

**ENROLLED BILLS.**

Senator Hawes, 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. 112, S. B. 5, an act to amend section 2919, chapter 73 of The Revisal of 1905, in reference to town charter and election of town officers in the town of Murphy.

H. B. 113, S. B. 6, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to donate funds for premiums awarded at its agricultural county fairs.

H. R. 38, S. R. 41, a joint resolution to print the Governor's message.

H. B. 174, S. B. 35, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay certain costs incurred before the grand jury.

H. B. 172, S. B. 33, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the holding of the Superior Courts of Stokes County.

H. B. 119, S. B. 16, an act to amend the road law of Cotton Grove Township in Davidson County.

H. B. 115, S. B. 8, an act to amend chapter 206 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and for other purposes.
H. B. 118, S. B. 14, an act to repeal chapter 784, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relating to the improvement of the public roads of Sampson County.

H. B. 111, S. B. 4, an act to amend section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the holding of the courts of Halifax County.

H. B. 114, S. B. 7, an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Halifax County.

H. B. 23, S. B. 40, an act to extend the general road law of Macon County to Franklin Township, and other amendments to the road law.

H. B. 183, S. B. 140, an act to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District Number One in Cleveland County, North Carolina.

On motion of Senator Thorne, the Senate adjourns until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

SEVENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 1, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.


The journal of yesterday is read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 82, H. B. 41, a bill to incorporate Grimesland School District in Pitt County and authorize it to issue bonds, with a favorable report:

S. B. 95, H. B. 65, a bill to amend chapter 1913 of the Laws of North Carolina of the session of 1847, being an act to incorporate the trustees of Danover Institute in the town of Yanceyville, with a favorable report.

S. B. 57, H. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the boundary of Special School Tax District Number Nine, Gaston County, with a favorable report.

S. B. 151, a bill to enlarge special school district known as Special School District Number One, of South Whitakers Township, Nash County, North Carolina, and to change the name thereof to Red Oak School District, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 94, H. B. 64, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Gates County to designate some Gates County bank to act as treasurer to handle the good roads fund, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 74, H. B. 18, a bill to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County and to create a road commission therein," ratified on the 30th day of January, 1913, with a favorable report.
By Senator Washington, S. B. 128, a bill to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County.

The committee reports a substitute and recommends the passage of the substitute.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 112, H. B. 109, a bill to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 105, H. B. 91, a bill to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of public road crossings of Burke County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 83, H. B. 42, a bill to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 45, a bill to make the Good Roads Days, November 5 and 6, 1913, public holidays for the year 1913, with a favorable report as amended.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 170, a bill to amend chapter 828, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled an act to create a highway commission for Madison County and to provide funds for construction of a system of public roads and highways in said county, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 67, H. B. 7, a bill to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 75, H. B. 20, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 80, H. B. 31, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 70, H. B. 11, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of the city of Raleigh to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 90, H. B. 56, a bill to amend chapter 76 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the collection of taxes in Graham County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 68, H. B. 8, a bill to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax and to create a sinking fund for said bonds, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 106, H. B. 94, a bill to relieve the citizens of Catawba Springs Township, Lincoln County, from a certain tax and the issuance of bonds, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 48, a bill to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds.

The committee reports a substitute and recommends the passage of the substitute.

From the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 69, H. B. 10, a bill to amend chapter 1014 of the
Public Laws of 1907, applying to High Point Township only, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 91, H. B. 59, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to make March term of Rowan Superior Court for the trial of civil cases exclusively, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 97, H. B. 70, a bill to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to remove and reinter certain dead bodies, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 54, H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the costs in Rowan County court, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 73, H. B. 14, a bill to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 71, H. B. 12, a bill to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 72, H. B. 13, a bill to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 86, H. B. 51, a bill to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907, with a favorable report as amended.

From the Committee on Constitutional Amendments:

By Senator Ivie, S. B. 30, a bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Cook, S. B. 156, a bill to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 127, a bill to incorporate the Apostolic Holiness University of Guilford 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 Senator Weaver, S. B. 300, a bill to amend section 4131 of The Revisal of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning lands for school sites.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 301, a bill to legalize and validate an election held in Coopers Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Coopers Township, dated the 1st day of July, 1913.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Daniel, S. B. 302, a bill to authorize and direct the directors of the State's Prison to aid in the construction of a public road in Halifax Township, Halifax County, by convicts.

Referred to Committee on Penal Institutes.

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 303, a bill to validate certain probates in Randolph County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Hannah, S. B. 304, a bill to incorporate and charter the town of Crestmont in Haywood County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 305, a bill to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Hännah, S. B. 306, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Haywood County to refund the short-time bonds of Haywood County and to improve the public roads of said county.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 307, a bill relating to the introduction of deeds and documents in evidence.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 308, a bill to prevent fraudulent entries on lands.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 309, a bill to amend chapter 276 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to the prosecuting attorney's fees.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 310, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Beaufort County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 311, a bill to amend chapter 398, Public Laws of 1909, relative to the pay of the substitute recorder of New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 312, a bill to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator McLean, S. B. 313, a bill to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 314, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of holding courts in Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Long, S. B. 315, a bill to allow the State Building Commission to pay, out of the appropriation for the equipment of the State administration building, for vault placed in the Treasurer's office in the Capitol.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Davis, S. B. 316, a bill to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Hawes, S. B. 317, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Allen, S. B. 318, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of the city of Hendersonville to issue municipal improvement bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Thompson, S. B. 319, a bill to amend chapter 243 of the Private Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its session in the year 1911, the same being the charter of the city of Statesville.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Ivie, S. B. 320, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Mashburn, S. B. 321, a bill to amend chapter 40 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to consolidate and amend the road law of Madison County as enacted by chapter 200 of the Public Local Laws of 1909, and as amended by chapter 392 of the Public Local Laws of 1911."

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 322, a bill to repeal chapter 164 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, and to amend section 923 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1909, relative to deposit by fire insurance companies.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 323, a bill to create a State highway commission.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 324, a bill to amend chapter 222 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina of 1913, authorizing the commissioners of Mecklenburg County to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness, build a new county jail and construct certain highway bridges.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 325, a bill to ratify the proceedings of the commissioners of Mecklenburg County in connection with the proposed issue of $110,000 bonds of said county to build a new county jail and construct highway bridges and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Pharr, S. B. 326, a bill to change the name of the Carolinas Cotton and Southern Industrial Agricultural Exposition to the Panama Atlantic World’s Exposition.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 327, a bill relating to the Superior Court of Edgecombe County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 328, a bill to amend chapter 600 of the Public Local Laws of 1911.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 329, a bill to amend chapter 63 of the Public Laws of 1913 and chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, with reference to renumbering the judicial districts of the State.

Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 330, a bill to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Valley Railroad Company.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 333, a bill to give the Superior Court of Beaufort County concurrent jurisdiction with recorders' courts in Beaufort County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 334, a bill to reduce rental of school books of graded school in town of Washington.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Evans, of Pitt, S. B. 335, a bill to amend Article XI, section 1, of the Constitution of North Carolina, according to the provisions of law.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Senator Pharr, S. R. 336, a resolution concerning the publication of the laws, journals and documents of the special session of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Printing.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 337, a bill to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Senator Ivie, S. B. 338, a bill to nominate and elect a chairman of the board of commissioners of Rockingham County and to require him to devote his whole time to the business of the county, with the privilege to have same submitted to vote of the people.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 339, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 340, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace for Edgecombe County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Watkins, S. B. 341, a bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh highway.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

Senator Pharr offers the following resolution:

Resolved, That no bill shall be introduced at this special session after Thursday, October 2, except those bills relating to subjects mentioned in the Governor's call for the special session and those bills emanating from special committees appointed at the regular session last winter.

The resolution is adopted and is made a part of the rules of the Senate.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hawes, 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:

S. B. 96, H. B. 69, an act to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to elect cotton weighers for Hubert, Belgrade and Cross Roads in Onslow County.

S. B. 117, H. B. 180, an act to amend the act creating the police court of Morganton so as to give said court civil jurisdiction; provide for a solicitor and jury for said court, etc.

S. B. 56, H. B. 25, an act to amend chapter 210 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the charter of the town of Cherryville.

S. B. 109, H. B. 101, an act to regulate the bonding of certain officers in Haywood County.

S. B. 113, H. B. 110, an act to abolish free labor on the public roads in certain townships in Davidson County.
S. B. 191, H. B. 248, an act to correct an error in chapter 709 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to working the public roads of Transylvania County, by amending the said chapter.

S. B. 53, H. B. 256, an act to appoint certain justices of the peace and a constable for the village of Whitnel in the county of Caldwell, North Carolina.

S. B. 88, H. B. 54, an act to amend chapter 617 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relating to salaries for the officers of Alamance County, so as to increase the school fund of Alamance County.

S. B. 64, H. B. 257, an act to provide for working convicts in Gaston County.

S. B. 10, H. B. 175, an act to establish a stock law in Sampson County.

S. B. 18, H. B. 263, an act to authorize the commissioners of Henderson County to place certain moneys in the sinking fund of Asheville and Spartanburg Railroad bonds.

S. B. 55, H. B. 17, an act to provide for the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the recorder's court of Spencer, North Carolina.

S. B. 108, H. B. 98, an act to establish stock law in certain territories in Cherokee County.

S. B. 38, H. B. 255, an act to amend chapter 174, Public Local Laws for the session of 1913, entitled an act to provide for the appointment of a court stenographer for Wake County.

MOTIONS.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, S. B. 11, a bill to amend chapter 55 of the Public Laws of 1913, is taken from the Committee on Appropriations and is placed upon the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

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

S. B. 195, H. B. 5, a bill to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 196, H. B. 19, a bill to create Micro Graded School District in Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 197, H. B. 27, a bill to amend the lien laws of 1913.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 198, H. B. 46, a bill to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 422, Public Laws of 1909, and acts amendatory thereto, applying to the Parksville Drainage District No. 1, Perquimans County.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 199, H. B. 47, a bill to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 200, H. B. 50, a bill to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township and improve
the public roads in said township if required by a majority of the voters of said county.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 201, H. B. 53, a bill to incorporate Coats Graded School of Coats, Harnett County, and allow it to vote on a special tax to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 202, H. B. 57, a bill to amend section 201 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled “An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County.”

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 203, H. B. 61, a bill to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the drainage of Grant’s Creek, Rowan County.

Referred to Committee Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 204, H. B. 66, a bill to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 205, H. B. 72, a bill to create a system of exclusive stock law boundaries by townships by vote of the citizens thereof of Jackson County, and to reduce taxes.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 206, H. B. 73, a bill to amend chapter 204, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock law in Cherokee County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 207, H. B. 76, a bill to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs townships to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

S. B. 208, H. B. 77, a bill to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships in Duplin County to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

S. B. 209, H. B. 78, a bill to amend chapter 269 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to bond issue for the city of Monroe.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 210, H. B. 80, a bill to repeal chapter 545 of Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 211, H. B. 85, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 212, H. B. 87, a bill to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 213, H. B. 88, a bill to authorize the trustees of Sanford graded school to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 214, H. B. 89, a bill to provide for special assessment for improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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S. B. 215, H. B. 92, a bill to provide for special assessment for improving the sidewalks in the town of Clinton.
Referred to Committee on Clinton.
S. B. 216, H. B. 93, a bill for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis.
Referred to Committee on Public Health.
S. B. 217, H. B. 97, a bill to amend chapter 362 of the Public Laws of 1899.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 218, substitute for H. B. 100 and H. B. 137, a bill to amend chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to permit certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 219, H. B. 103, a bill to authorize the issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District Number Eleven for the white and colored races of Columbus County.
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 220, H. B. 104, a bill authorizing and empowering the board of drainage commissioners of Chadburn Drainage District in the county of Columbus to acquire rights of way and outlets for drainage canals.
Referred to Committee on Agriculture.
S. B. 221, H. B. 108, a bill to amend chapter 164, section 1 thereof, relative to the charter of the town of Clinton.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 222, H. B. 122, a bill appointing justices of the peace for Graham County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 223, H. B. 124, a bill relative to Wilkes County, to repeal chapter 593 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 and amend Public Laws of 1911.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 224, H. B. 125, a bill to amend the charter of Engelhard, chapter 48, Private Laws of 1913.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 225, H. B. 126, a bill to incorporate Walkersville church in Union County.
Referred to Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 226, H. B. 127, a bill amending chapter 184 of the Private Laws of 1913, authorizing the board of county commissioners to sell county home.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 227, H. B. 128, a bill to amend the vital statistics law.
Referred to Committee on Public Health.
S. B. 228, H. B. 129, a bill to prevent the obstruction of streams in Onslow County and to promote better drainage and health conditions.
Referred to Committee on Public Health.
S. B. 229, H. B. 131, a bill to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind.
Referred to Committee on Institutions for the Blind.
S. B. 230, H. B. 136, a bill to amend chapter 398 of the Public Local Laws
of 1913, relative to the authorizing the board of county commissioners of
Onslow County to submit a salary system to the voters of said county.
   Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 231, H. B. 138, a bill to appoint M. L. Martin a justice of the peace of
Colfax Township, Rutherford County.
   Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 232, H. B. 139, a bill supplementary to and amendatory of an act to
provide for the better working of the public roads of Perquimans County.
   Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 233, H. B. 140, a bill to amend chapter 47, Public Laws of 1913, ex-
tending the provisions of said law for Duplin County.
   Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 234, H. B. 142, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913,
regulating the holding of court in Pitt County.
   Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 235, H. B. 144, a bill to repeal chapter 750 of the Public Local Laws
of 1913.
   Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 236, H. B. 145, a bill to regulate fishing in Six Runs River, Sampson
County.
   Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
S. B. 237, H. B. 147, a bill to amend chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws
of 1913, in respect to the public road laws of the county of Nash.
   Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 238, H. B. 149, a bill to amend chapter 458 of the Public Local Laws
of 1913.
   Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 239, H. B. 150, a bill to provide better railroad facilities for the people
of the town of Jacksonville, North Carolina.
   Referred to Committee on Railroads.
S. B. 240, H. B. 151, a bill to empower the board of education of Northam-
ton County to alter the boundary line of Lasker Special School District.
   Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 241, H. B. 152, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Ashe County.
   Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 242, H. B. 153, a bill to amend chapter 217 of the Private Laws of
North Carolina, session of 1909.
   Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 243, H. B. 154, a bill to amend chapter 171 of the Public Local Laws
of 1913, relating to the recorder's court of Transylvania County.
   Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 244, H. B. 155, a bill to appoint John D. Lancaster a justice of the
peace for Number Thirteen Township, Edgecombe County, North Carolina.
   Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 245, H. B. 157, a bill to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of
Baileys, Nash County.
   Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 246, H. B. 158, a bill to provide for the collection of costs and fees in
the mayor's court in the town of Baileys, Nash County.
   Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
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S. B. 248, H. B. 161, a bill relative to the appointment of a justice of the peace for Pigeon Township in Haywood County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 249, H. B. 163, a bill to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of the State of North Carolina of the session of 1913.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 250, H. B. 169, a bill to repeal chapter 256 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting and killing of squirrels in Chatham County.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 251, H. B. 178, a bill to authorize and empower the deputy register of deeds of Forsyth County to administer oaths.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 252, H. B. 184, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Neill's Creek Township, Harnett County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 253, H. B. 211, a bill to increase the powers of the board of county commissioners of Yadkin County for the purpose of improving the public roads.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 254, H. B. 215, a bill to appoint T. A. Berry a justice of the peace in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 255, H. B. 191, a bill to appoint a certain justice of the peace for Wake County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 256, H. B. 192, a bill to protect game in Davidson County.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 257, H. B. 196, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of the county of Wayne to make certain improvements upon the courthouse square.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 258, H. B. 197, a bill to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 259, H. B. 202, a bill to repeal chapter 533, Public Local Laws of 1911.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 260, H. B. 203, a bill to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Caswell County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 261, H. B. 204, a bill relating to stock law territory in Clay County, North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 262, H. B. 205, a bill to amend chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 263, H. B. 214, a bill to incorporate Perry's chapel, a Baptist church, in Franklin County.
Referred to Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 264, H. B. 217, a bill to repeal chapter 264 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting quail in Tyrrell County.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.
S. B. 265, H. B. 220, a bill to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Franklin County.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.
S. B. 266, H. B. 222, a bill to amend chapter 714 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to salaries of county officers of Jones County.
Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
S. B. 267, H. B. 223, a bill to abolish the office of the county treasurer in Pitt County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 268, H. B. 224, a bill to prohibit vicious dogs from running loose in Caswell County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 269, H. B. 229, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace in Warren County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 270, H. B. 230, a bill to amend chapter 659 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to game in Lincoln County.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.
S. B. 271, H. B. 231, a bill to amend chapter 307 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 273, H. B. 234, a bill to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Burke County.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.
S. B. 274, H. B. 235, a bill to repeal chapter 758 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the free passage of fish in Linville River in Burke County.
Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
S. B. 275, H. B. 236, a bill to establish a recorder's court for Currituck County.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 276, H. B. 238, a bill to incorporate Joyners chapel, Franklin County.
Referred to Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 277, H. B. 239, a bill to amend chapter 652, section 1, relative to pay of jurors in Forsyth County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 278, H. B. 240, a bill to appoint justices of the peace in Forsyth County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 279, H. B. 243, a bill to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Warsaw, Duplin County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 280, H. B. 247, a bill to protect birds in Mitchell County.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.
S. B. 281, H. B. 249, a bill to abolish free labor on the public roads in Pitt County under certain conditions.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 282, H. B. 251, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Stanly County to make an appropriation to the county fair.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 283, H. B. 253, a bill to prevent depredations by domestic fowls and animals in the town of Roseboro, North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 284, H. B. 6, a bill to incorporate the Angier High School District in Harnett County and to authorize it to issue bonds and to levy a special tax.
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. R. 285, H. R. 44, a resolution relating to uniform classification of freight by common carriers.
Referred to Committee on Railroads.
S. R. 286, H. R. 45, a resolution relative to the Interstate Commerce Commission Act.
Referred to Committee on Commerce.
S. B. 287, H. B. 121, a bill to authorize the road trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckaseigee River.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 288, H. B. 130, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks system in said town and levy taxes for the payment thereof.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 289, H. B. 132, a bill to amend chapter 271, Public Local Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the better construction, maintaining and repairing of public roads and bridges in Pamlico County.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 290, H. B. 135, a bill to create a road district of Hookerton Precinct, Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or Hookerton District and issuing bonds for the same.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 291, H. B. 143, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Drexel in Burke County, contracting the corporate limits thereof.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 292, H. B. 159, a bill to amend the road law of Jackson County so as to allow trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances and for other purposes.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 293, H. B. 162, a bill to provide for a road commission for Columbus County.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 294, H. B. 166, a bill to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff in Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 295, H. B. 167, a bill to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships, Yancey County, and empower the county commissioners of said county to levy a special tax.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 296, H. B. 171, a bill to amend chapter 823, Public Local Laws of 1913 of North Carolina, relative to establishing drainage districts and drainage commissions, etc., in Catawba County.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 297, H. B. 193, a bill to repeal chapter 98, Public Laws of 1913, and to amend chapter 509, Public Laws of 1909, relating to drainage commissioners in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 298, H. B. 201, a bill for the relief of R. E. Fentress.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

S. B. 299, H. B. 295, a bill to amend chapter 969, Public Laws of 1907, and chapter 585, Public Laws of 1909, relative to the oyster industry.

S. B. 332, H. B. 336, a bill to increase the number of the board of commissioners for the county of Orange.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 331, H. B. 165, a bill to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mt. Airy Township, Surry County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. R. 176, H. R. 265, a joint resolution to invite the President of the United States to deliver the address at the dedication of the monument to the North Carolina Women of the Confederacy, donated to the State by Col. Ashley Horne, for concurrence in House amendment.

Placed on the Calendar.

CALENDAR.

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

S. R. 176, H. R. 265, a joint resolution to invite the President of the United States to deliver the address at the dedication of the monument to the North Carolina women of the Confederacy, donated to the State by Colonel Ashley Horne, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Ivie, the Senate concurs in the House amendment, and the resolution is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 91, H. B. 59, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to make March term of Rowan Superior Court for the trial of civil cases exclusively, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 112, H. B. 109, a bill to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 45, a bill to make the Good Roads Days, November 5 and 6, 1913, public holidays for the year 1913, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by the committee is adopted.
Upon motion of Senator McLean, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 105, H. B. 91, a bill to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of public road crossings of Burke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 54, H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled an act to reduce the costs in Rowan County Court, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 86, H. B. 51, a bill to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907, upon second reading.

Amendment offered by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 133, a bill to cure certain defective registration of deeds in Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 132, a bill to cure the defective probate of certain wills made by non-residents prior to January 1, 1895, in Jackson County, upon second reading.

An amendment offered by Senator Hannah is adopted.

An amendment offered by Senator Jones is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 319, a bill to amend chapter 243 of the Private Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its session in the year 1911, the same being the charter of the city of Statesville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 328, a bill to amend chapter 600 of Public Local Laws of 1911, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 327, a bill relating to the Superior Courts of Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 309, a bill to amend chapter 276 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relative to the prosecuting attorney's fee, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 317, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 44, a bill to amend chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to the shipment of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 110, H. B. 105, a bill to prohibit the sale and delivery of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Mashburn, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 89, H. B. 55, a bill to prohibit the running of sawdust in certain streams in Graham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 85, H. B. 49, a bill to amend chapter 395 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the dog tax in Avery County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 84, H. B. 48, a bill to amend chapter 812 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock running at large in Avery County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 11, a bill to amend chapter 55 of the Public Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 69, H. B. 10, a bill to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907, applying to High Point Township only, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 127, a bill to incorporate the Apostolic Holiness University of Guilford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 94, H. B. 64, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Gates County to designate some Gates County bank to act as treasurer to handle the good roads fund, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 90, H. B. 56, a bill to amend chapter 76 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the collection of taxes in Graham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 95, H. B. 65, a bill to amend chapter 1913 of the Laws of North Carolina of the session of 1847, being an act to incorporate the trustees of Danover Institute, in the town of Yanceyville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 315, a bill to allow the State Building Commission to pay, out of the appropriation for the equipment of the State Administration Building, for vault placed in the Treasurer's office in the Capitol, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 313, a bill to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Bryant is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 312, a bill to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 322, a bill to repeal chapter 164 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, and to amend section 923 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1909, relative to deposit by fire insurance companies, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 150, a bill to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


Senator Thompson offers an amendment which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 146, a bill to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County and to levy a tax for the same," upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 145, a bill to amend chapter 618, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for working the public roads of Robeson County and to levy a tax for the same," upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 139, a bill to amend the charter of Rowland, Robeson County, so as to provide for sewerage, waterworks, electric lights, and street improvements for said town, and to issue bonds therefor, and to create a sinking fund and for like purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes, Bel-

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 77, H. B. 22, a bill to amend chapter 274 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Edgecombe County to submit to the qualified voters of said county, excepting that part embraced within the boundaries of the Rocky Mount Road District and the Number Six Township or Whitakers Road District, the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of improving the public roads in said county," upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 130, a bill to provide for the protection and keeping of the public roads of Anson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 138, a bill to change the name of Special Tax District Number One in Rowland Township, Robeson County, for the white race; to create Rowland High School District; to authorize the board of trustees of said school district to issue bonds, and to levy an additional special tax; to purchase property; to authorize the town of Rowland to sell its school property and use the funds arising from such sale, and for general purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 51, a bill to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 101, H. B. 79, a bill to change the time for holding one of the terms of the Superior Court for Union County, in the Thirteenth Judicial District, so that said court will not conflict with the call of said district in the Supreme Court, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 78, H. B. 30, a bill to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for the completion of its water and lighting systems and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 81, H. B. 34, a bill to amend chapter 198 of the Public Local Laws of the regular session of 1913, in reference to the construction of an iron bridge across the Yadkin River, the dividing line between the counties of Yadkin and Forsyth, at or near Huffman's Ferry, formerly Glenn's Ferry, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 52, a bill to amend section 649, Public Local Laws of 1913, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 170, a bill to amend chapter 823, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled an act to create a highway commission for Madison County and to provide funds for construction of a system of public roads and highways in said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 83, H. B. 42, a bill to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 128, a bill to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted.

S. B. 72, H. B. 13, a bill to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 71, H. B. 12, a bill to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 73, H. B. 14, a bill to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 74, H. B. 18, a bill to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913, entitled an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County and to create a road commission therein, ratified on the 30th day of January, 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 106, H. B. 94, a bill to relieve the citizens of Catawba Springs Township, Lincoln County, from a certain tax and the issuance of bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 76, H. B. 21, a bill to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911, to authorize an increase in the special tax for schools in the Faison School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans

S. B. 175, a bill to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 177, a bill to amend chapter 341, of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to issuance of bonds by Beaufort Township, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 181, a bill to amend section 206 of chapter 342, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1907, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 174, a bill to permit Holly Springs High School District, in Wake County, to vote $10,000 of bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 169, a bill to drain the lowlands of Second Broad River and its tributaries in Rutherford County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 155, a bill to permit the town of Winterville to issue bonds for electric lights and other public works and to levy a special tax, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 161, a bill to incorporate Holly Springs High School District, Holly Springs Township, Wake County, North Carolina, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 82, H. B. 41, a bill to incorporate Grimesland School District in Pitt County and authorize it to issue bonds, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 57, H. B. 24, a bill to be entitled an act to fix the boundary of Special School Tax District Number Nine, Gaston County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 151, a bill to enlarge special school district known as Special School District Number One, of South Whitakers Township, Nash County, North
Anson, Little of Bellamy, Brown, Woodley Weaver, Woodley Weaver, Woodley of Anson, Brown, session of Nimocks, of Parsons, Pitt, of County, Parsons, Pitt, of County, Pitt, of Studdert, Thompson, Pitt, of Thompson, Studdert, Thompson, Pitt, of Thompson, Studdert, Parsons, Pitt, of Thompson, Parsons, Peebles, Peterson, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Thorne, Ward, Wakefield, Washington. Watkins. Weaver, Woodley—45.

S. B. 163, a bill to amend chapter 314, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 80, H. B. 31, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 75, H. B. 20, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 67, H. B. 7, a bill to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 70, H. B. 11, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 142, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of the city of Raleigh to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 68, H. B. 8, a bill to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax, and to create a sinking fund for said bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


Upon motion of Senator Jones, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

EIGHTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 2, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. C. J. Harrell.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, the privileges of the floor are extended to the Hon. Henry A. Grady.

Upon motion of Senator Coffey, the privileges of the floor are extended to the Hon. R. L. Doughton.

Upon motion of Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 217, H. B. 97, a bill to amend chapter 362 of the Public Laws of 1899, is referred to the Committee on Education.
Upon motion of Senator Parsons, S. B. 250, H. B. 169, a bill to repeal chapter 256 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting and killing of squirrels in Chatham County, is recalled from the Committee on Game and Game Laws and is placed on the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Wakefield, S. B. 105, H. B. 91, a bill to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of public road crossings of Burke County, is recalled from the enrolling clerk's office for the purpose of correcting an error.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From Judiciary Committee No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 223, H. B. 124, a bill relative to Wilkes County, to repeal chapter 593 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 and amend Public Laws of 1911, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 99, H. B. 74, a bill to increase the pay of jurors in the recorder's court in Stanly County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Little of Anson, S. B. 210, H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal chapter 545 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 93, H. B. 62, a bill to make section 1662, of chapter 35, of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, applicable to Bertie County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 104, H. B. 90, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, in regard to courts to be held in Catawba County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 111, H. B. 99, a bill to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to draw an additional number of jurors for service at the civil and criminal terms of courts of Forsyth County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 233, H. B. 140, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 47, Public Laws of 1913, extending the provisions of said law for Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 92, H. B. 63, a bill to amend the law relative to the time for holding court in Washington and Beaufort counties, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 307, a bill relating to the introduction of deeds and documents in evidence, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 308, a bill to prevent fraudulent entries on lands, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 100, H. B. 75, a bill to amend chapter 646 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, by striking out Union County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 218, a substitute for H. B. 100 and H. B. 137, a bill to amend chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to permit certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer, with unfavorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 28, a bill to amend chapter 763, Public Local Laws, session of 1913, relative to primary elections in Pitt County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 314, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of holding courts in Brunswick County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 311, a bill to amend chapter 398, Public Laws of 1909, relative to the pay of the substitute recorder of New Hanover County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 158, a bill to authorize the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to pay the State's proportion for paving in front of any of the State's property in Raleigh, just as individuals are required to do by law under like circumstances, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 197, H. B. 27, a bill to amend the lien laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 303, a bill to validate certain probates in Randolph County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 101, H. B. 79, a bill to change the time for holding one of the terms of Superior Court for Union County, in the thirteenth judicial district, so that said court will not conflict with the call of said district in the Supreme Court, with an unfavorable report.

The committee offers a substitute, and recommends that the substitute do pass.

From the Committee on Education:
By Senator Thorne, S. B. 300, a bill to amend section 4131 of The Revisal of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning lands for school sites, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 301, a bill to legalize and validate an election held in Coopers Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Coopers Township, dated the 1st day of July, 1913, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Agriculture:
By Senator Studdert, S. B. 47, a bill to enable the Department of Agriculture to manufacture material for the inoculating culture of leguminous crops, with a favorable report.

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 297, H. B. 193, a bill to repeal chapter 38, Public Laws of 1913, and to amend chapter 509, Public Laws of 1909, relating to drainage commissioners in Hyde County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 189, H. B. 26, a bill to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:
By Senator Bryant, S. B. 337, a bill to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code, with a favorable report.

By Senator Mashburn, S. B. 235, H. B. 144, a bill to repeal chapter 759 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Peebles, S. B. 262, H. B. 205, a bill to amend chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Evans of Pitt, S. B. 251, H. B. 178, a bill to authorize and empower the deputy register of deeds of Forsyth County to administer oaths, with a favorable report.
By Senator Evans of Pitt, S. B. 246, H. B. 158, a bill to provide for the collection of costs and fees in the mayor's court in the town of Baileys, Nash County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 165, a bill to amend section 2768 of The Revisal of 1905, providing full compensation to solicitors when defendants are assigned to work on public roads, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 43, a bill to require the Attorney-General to reside at the capital during his term of office and give his whole time to the duties of his office, to abolish the office of Assistant Attorney-General, and to increase the salary of the Attorney-General, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 331, H. B. 165, a bill to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mt. Airy Township, Surry County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Mashburn, S. B. 249, H. B. 163, a bill to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of the State of North Carolina of the session of 1913, with a favorable report.


By Senator Bryant, S. B. 166, a bill to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court, with a favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 256, H. B. 192, a bill to protect game in Davidson County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 159, a bill to amend subsection 12 of section 1318, Revisal 1905, in reference to powers and duties of county commissioners of Cherokee County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 332, H. B. 336, a bill to increase the number of the board of commissioners for the county of Orange, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 224, H. B. 125, a bill to amend the charter of Engelhard, chapter 48, Private Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 282, H. B. 251, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Stanly County to make an appropriation to the county fair, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 258, H. B. 197, a bill to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 305, a bill to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkton, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 230, H. B. 136, a bill to amend chapter 398 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to authorizing the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to submit a salary system to the voters of said county, with a favorable report.


By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 291, H. B. 143, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Drexel in Burke County, contracting the corporate limits thereof, with a favorable report.
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 211, H. B. 85, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 257, H. B. 196, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of the county of Wayne to make certain improvements upon the courthouse square, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 195, H. B. 5, a bill to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 204, H. B. 66, a bill to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 288, H. B. 130, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks system in said town and levy taxes for the payment thereof, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 221, H. B. 108, a bill to amend chapter 164, section 1 thereof, relative to the charter of the town of Trenton, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Railroads:

By Senator Ward, S. B. 316, a bill to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company, with a favorable report.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 208, H. B. 77, a bill to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships, in Duplin County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, with a favorable report.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 207, H. B. 76, a bill to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs townships to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 227, H. B. 128, a bill to amend the Vital Statistics Law, with a favorable report.

By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 228, H. B. 129, a bill to prevent the obstruction of streams in Onslow County and to promote better drainage and health conditions, with a favorable report.

By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 216, H. B. 93, a bill for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 205, H. B. 72, a bill to create a system of exclusive stock law boundaries by townships by vote of the citizens thereof of Jackson County, and to reduce taxes, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Constitutional Amendments:

By Senator Ivie, S. B. 30, a bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, without prejudice.

Senators Daniel and Grant, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1, make report upon Senate Bill 223, House Bill 124, a "bill relative to Wilkes County
to repeal chapter 593 of Public Local Laws of 1913 and amend Public Laws of 1911," and the same is ordered spread upon the Senate Journal as follows:

The committee unanimously reports the above entitled bill unfavorably and recommends that it do not pass, and submits the following:

This bill was introduced by Mr. Bumgarner, the member of the House of Representatives from Wilkes County, and is entitled "A bill to be entitled an act relative to Wilkes County, to repeal chapter 593 of Public Local Laws of 1913 and amend Public Laws of 1911."

The title is misleading and calculated to deceive, and the confidence which the General Assembly has heretofore placed in its members in all matters concerning local legislation has been grossly violated.

This bill was introduced and passed its first reading in the House September 27th, and on September 29th it passed the second and third readings, and was ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment. October 1st it was read in the Senate by its title and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

An examination of the acts it is intended to repeal and to amend shows that the first section of the proposed bill repeals chapter 593, Public Local Laws of 1913, which is an act relative to the board of county commissioners of Wilkes County, authorizing the said board of commissioners to allow the officers of that county a certain sum for clerk hire.

A bill of such character is passed by the General Assembly without scrutiny or question upon the bare statement of the representative of the county that it is local and concerns only his county.

The second section of the proposed bill is as follows:

"Section 2. That the word 'Wilkes' in line 18, chapter 97, of the Public Laws of 1911, be stricken out, and that the word 'Wilkes' be inserted at the end of line 21 of said chapter."

Chapter 97, Public Laws of 1911, is the act dividing North Carolina into ten Congressional districts. The effect of this bill, if it had passed, would be to take the county of Wilkes out of the Seventh Congressional district and to put it in the Eighth Congressional district.

This committee desires to strongly condemn such an attempt on the part of the author of the bill to secure this character of general legislation by abusing and taking advantage of the courtesy which is invariably extended to members of the General Assembly as to local legislation, and to express its censure of this particular bill, its author, and his methods.

It is recommended that this report be spread upon the Journal, and the committee directs that it be made to the Senate for the committee by Senators Daniel and Grant.

(Signed) W. E. DANIEL,
A. T. GRANT, JR.,
For the Committee.

A message is received from the House of Representatives asking the return of S. B. 223, H. B. 124, a bill relative to Wilkes County, to repeal chapter 593 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, etc., and amend Public Laws of 1911.

Upon motion of Senator Payne, the bill is ordered returned to the House of Representatives.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 358, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Venable.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 359, a bill to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and operate and maintain a system of waterworks.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 360, a bill for the relief of the State School for the Blind and the Deaf.
Referred to Committee on Blind Institutions.

By Senator Lovingood, S. B. 361, a bill to adjust the differences at present prevailing in Andrews School District in Cherokee County, and to provide for the election of school trustees in said district.
Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Lovingood, S. B. 362, a bill to validate a certain special election in Cherokee County.
Referred to Committee on Election Law.

By Senator Lovingood, S. B. 363, a bill to amend chapter 484, Private Laws of 1913, concerning the town of Andrews in Cherokee County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Thompson, S. B. 364, a bill relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County.
Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Peebles, S. B. 365, a bill to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Evans, of Bladen, S. B. 366, a bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of the Hickory Nut Gap Road," the same being chapter 539, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.
Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

By Senator McLeod, S. B. 367, a bill to appoint justices of the peace in Robeson County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator McLeod, S. B. 368, a bill to repeal chapter 645, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to the disposition of public funds of Robeson County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Evans, of Bladen, S. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 458 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 370, a bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of certain roads in Madison County, North Carolina," the same being chapter 464, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.
Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.
By Senator Hobgood, S. B. 371, a bill to amend section 1046 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to the release of mortgages and deeds of trust.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Senator Davis, S. B. 372, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 196, of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the Fifth Judicial District.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Carson, S. B. 373, a bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District No. 1, in Cleveland County, North Carolina," ratified on the 30th day of September, 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 374, a bill to incorporate Bethany Presbyterian church, in Union County, and to prohibit the manufacture or making of cider, wine or any other intoxicating drinks.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 375, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Thomasville.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Senator Thompson, S. B. 376, a bill to authorize the town of Mooresville, North Carolina, to issue bonds without resubmitting the question to a vote of the qualified voters of said town, to improve streets, to install works and sewerage system.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hawes, S. B. 377, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Hawes, S. B. 378, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Mashburn, S. B. 379, a bill to amend chapter 491 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax and to construct certain bridges."

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Hawes, S. B. 380, a bill to repeal chapter 541 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at session of 1901.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Senator Mashburn, S. B. 381, a bill to amend Revisal, section 3672, relating to the removal of dead bodies.

Referred to Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 382, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 383, a bill to prevent hunting of foxes in Lee County between certain dates.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

By Senator Long, S. B. 384, a bill to appoint W. S. Howell a justice of the peace of Granville County.

Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Parsons, S. B. 385, a bill to incorporate the town of Norman, Richmond County, North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Senator Parsons, S. B. 386, a bill to authorize employment of an additional Bank Examiner.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 387, a bill to create a commission on problems and conditions in rural districts.
Referred to Committee on Agriculture.
By Senator McLeod, S. B. 388, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Robeson County to build a double-track iron bridge across Lumber River in the town of Lumberton, Robeson County.
By Senator Hannah, S. B. 389, a bill to amend chapter 632 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the sales of merchandise in bulk.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Carson, S. B. 390, a bill to allow the commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for repairing and improving the courthouse in said county.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Carson, S. B. 391, a bill to create a road commission for Rutherford County.
Placed on the Calendar.
By Senator Hooks, S. B. 392, a bill to prevent stock from running at large in Wayne County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 393, a bill relating to the Superior Courts of Cumberland County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
By Senator Barbour, S. B. 394, a bill to change the boundary line of Selma Graded School District in Johnston County.
Referred, to Committee on Education.
By Senator Studdert, S. B. 395, a bill to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District Seventeen, Dare County, North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Education.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 342, H. B. 36, a bill to authorize any consul-general to take proof and acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments, and to amend section 990 of The Revisal of 1905.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 243, H. B. 189, a bill to create the Casar Railroad District in Cleveland County and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same.
Referred to Committee on Railroads.
S. B. 344, H. B. 188, a bill to create the Fallston-Bellwood District in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription for railroad by same.
Referred to Committee on Railroads.
S. B. 345, H. B. 187, a bill to amend chapter 1792, Public Laws of 1907, as
amended by chapter 861, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Dunn Road District.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 346, H. B. 190, a bill to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stock.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

S. B. 347, H. B. 199, a bill to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the public graded schools of New Bern and the issuance of bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of public graded school buildings.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 348, H. B. 200, a bill to amend the charter of the city of New Bern, being chapter 82 of the Private Laws of 1899.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 349, H. B. 207, a bill to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 350, H. B. 209, a bill to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at session 1913, relative to the public roads of Jones County.

Referred to Committee on, Public Roads.

S. B. 351, H. B. 212, a bill to amend chapter 424 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of public roads in the county of Beaufort.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 352, H. B. 216, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrrell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 353, H. B. 218, a bill to amend chapter 338 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the public roads of Scuppernong Township, of Tyrrell County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 354, H. B. 227, a bill authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 355, H. B. 228, a bill to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township, and to issue bonds in Surry County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 356, H. B. 242, a bill to amend the charter of the city of High Point.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 357, H. B. 252, a bill to amend chapter 31 of Private Laws of 1913, relative to Norwood Graded School District, in Center Township, Stanly County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

THE CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 142, a bill to authorize the commissioners of the city of Raleigh to issue bonds, upon its third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 151, a bill to enlarge the special school district known as Special School District Number One, of South Whitakers Township, Nash County, North Carolina, and to change the name thereof to Red Oak School District, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 155, a bill to permit the town of Winterville to issue bonds for electric lights and other public works, and to levy a special tax, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 161, a bill to incorporate Holly Springs High School District, Holly Springs Township, Wake County, North Carolina, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 163, a bill to amend chapter 314, Private Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton," upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barnes, Bryant, Carson, Cook, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Philip-

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 169, a bill to drain the lowlands of Second Broad River and its tributaries in Rutherford County, upon its third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 170, a bill to amend chapter 828, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to create a highway commission for Madison County and to provide funds for construction of a system of public roads and highways in said county," upon its third reading.

The bill passes its third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 174, a bill to permit Holly Springs High School District, in Wake County, to vote $10,000 of bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 175, a bill to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 177, a bill to amend chapter 341 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to issuance of bonds by Beaufort Township, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 57, H. B. 24, a bill to fix the boundary of Special School Tax District Number Nine, Gaston County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 67, H. B. 7, a bill to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 68, H. B. 8, a bill to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax and to create a sinking fund for said bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 70, H. B. 11, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 71, H. B. 12, a bill to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 72, H. B. 13, a bill to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 73, H. B. 14, a bill to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 74, H. B. 18, a bill to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County and to create a road commission therein," ratified on the 30th day of January, 1913, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 75, H. B. 20, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barnes, Bryant, Carson, Cook, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 83, H. B. 42, a bill to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 80, H. B. 31, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 82, H. B. 41, a bill to incorporate Grimesland School District in Pitt County and authorize it to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 76, H. B. 21, a bill to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911, to authorize an increase in the special tax for schools in the Faison School District, Duplin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 106, H. B. 94, a bill to relieve the citizens of Catawba Springs Township from a certain bond tax and the issuance of bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.

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S. B. 48, a bill to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted, and is placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 128, a bill to provide for the paying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 156, a bill to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 304, a bill to incorporate and charter the town of Crestmont, in Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 211, H. B. 85, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 316, a bill to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company, upon second reading.

6—Senate.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 195, H. B. 5, a bill to amend chapter 28, Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 204, H. B. 66, a bill to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37 noes none, as follows:


S. B. 301, a bill to legalize and validate an election held in Coopers Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Coopers Township, dated the 1st day of July, 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 221, H. B. 108, a bill to amend chapter 164, section 1 thereof, relative to the charter of the town of Trenton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 306, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Haywood County to refund the short-time bonds of Haywood County, and to improve the public roads of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barnes, Bryant, Car-

S. B. 318, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of the city of Hendersonville to issue municipal improvement bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 324, a bill to amend chapter 222 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina of 1913, authorizing the commissioners of Mecklenburg County to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness, build a new county jail and construct certain highway bridges, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 325, a bill to ratify the proceedings of the commissioners of Mecklenburg County, in connection with the proposed issue of $110,000 bonds of said county, to build a new county jail and construct highway bridges and to authorize the issuance of said bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 288, H. B. 130, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks system in said town and levy taxes for payment thereof, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 291, H. B. 143, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Drexel, in Burke County, contracting the corporate limits thereof, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barnes, Bryant, Car-

S. B. 305, a bill to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 208, H. B. 77, a bill to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships, in Duplin County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 207, H. B. 76, a bill to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs townships to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 205, H. B. 72, a bill to create a system of exclusive stock law boundaries by townships by vote of the citizens thereof for Jackson County, and to reduce taxes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 303, a bill to validate certain probates in Randolph County, upon second reading.

An amendment offered by the committee is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 197, H. B. 27, a bill to amend the lien laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 297, H. B. 193, a bill to repeal chapter 98, Public Laws of 1913, and to amend chapter 509, Public Laws of 1909, relating to drainage commissioners in Hyde County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 159, a bill to amend subsection 12 of section 1318, Revisal of 1905, in reference to powers and duties of county commissioners of Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 332, H. B. 336, a bill to increase the number of the board of commissioners for the county of Orange, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 224, H. B. 125, a bill to amend the charter of Engelhard, chapter 48, Private Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 210, H. B. 80, a bill to repeal chapter 545, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 257, H. B. 196, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of the county of Wayne to make certain improvements upon the courthouse square, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 235, H. B. 144, a bill to repeal chapter 750 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Pharr, the bill is recommitted to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 262, H. B. 205, a bill to amend chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Ivie, the bill is recommitted to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 331, H. B. 165, a bill to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township, Surry County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 251, H. B. 178, a bill to authorize and empower the deputy register of deeds of Forsyth County to administer oaths, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 333, a bill to give the Superior Court of Beaufort County concurrent jurisdiction with recorder's courts in Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 334, a bill to reduce rental of school books of the graded school in the town of Washington, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 248, H. B. 154, a bill to amend chapter 71 of the Public Local Laws
of 1913, relating to the recorder's court of Transylvania County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Jones, the bill is recommitted to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 63, H. B. 107, a bill to amend chapter 327 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the township bond issues for good roads in Wayne County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 230, H. B. 136, a bill to amend chapter 398 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to authorizing the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to submit a salary system to the voters of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 258, H. B. 197, a bill to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 282, H. B. 251, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Stanly County to make an appropriation to the county fair, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 228, H. B. 129, a bill to prevent the obstructing of streams in Onslow County and to promote better drainage and health conditions, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 256, H. B. 192, a bill to protect game in Davidson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 100, H. B. 75, a bill to amend chapter 646, Public Local Laws of 1913, by striking out "Union County," upon second reading.

On motion, of Senator Ivie, the bill is recommitted to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 93, H. B. 62, a bill to make section 1662, of chapter 35, of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, applicable to Bertie County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 99, H. B. 74, a bill to increase the pay of jurors in the recorder's court of Stanly County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 104, H. B. 90, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, in regard to courts to be held in Catawba County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 111, H. B. 99, a bill to authorize and empower the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to draw an additional number of jurors for service at the civil and criminal terms of court of Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 233, H. B. 140, a bill to amend chapter 97 of Public Laws of 1913, extending the provisions of said law to Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 314, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of holding courts in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 311, a bill to amend chapter 398, Public Laws of 1909, relative to the pay of the substitute recorder of New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 246, H. B. 158, a bill to provide for the collection of costs and fees in the mayor's court of the town of Bailey's, Nash County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 300, a bill to amend section 4131 of The Revisal of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning lands for school sites, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 158, a bill to authorize the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to pay the State's proportion for paving in front of any of the State's property in Raleigh just as individuals are required to do by law under like circumstances, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 337, a bill to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were free traders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 27, a bill to amend chapter 182, Public Laws of 1911, extending time for registration of grants, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 47, a bill to enable the Department of Agriculture to manufacture material for the inoculating culture of leguminous crops, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 391, a bill to create a road commission for Rutherford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.


On motion of Senator Evans of Pitt, the bill is recommitted to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 249, H. B. 163, a bill to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of the State of North Carolina of the session of 1913, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Evans of Pitt, the bill is recommitted to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 165, a bill to amend section 2768 of The Revisal of 1905, providing
full compensation to solicitors when defendants are assigned to work on public roads, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Thorne, consideration of this bill is postponed.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hannah, 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. 262, S. B. 17, an act to amend chapter 465 of the Public Laws of 1899, and to increase the tax levy for the graded school in the town of Waynesville.

H. B. 260, S. B. 21, an act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish, maintain and improve the public roads of Henderson County, North Carolina," ratified the 25th day of February, 1913.

H. B. 259, S. B. 3, an act to authorize the city of Durham to extend and construct a system of sewerage and to provide the funds necessary therefor.

H. B. 261, S. B. 22, an act to authorize the board of graded school trustees of Lenoir to issue bonds.

H. B. 258, S. B. 19, an act authorizing an election in the city of Hendersonville on the question of issuing bonds for the purchase of a watershed, and other purposes, and to repeal chapter 326 of the Private Laws of North Carolina.

H. B. 30, S. B. 78, an act to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for the completion of its water and lighting systems, and for other purposes.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Hannah, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that he has examined the following bills and finds them to be properly engrossed:

S. B. 132, a bill to cure the defective probate of certain wills made by non-residents prior to January 1, 1895, in Jackson County.

S. B. 150, a bill to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools and for other purposes.

S. B. 313, a bill to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged.

S. B. 13, a bill to protect the uniform of the United States army and navy and the militia of the State of North Carolina and persons entitled to wear the same.

S. B. 303, a bill to validate certain probates in Randolph County.

Upon motion of Senator Cook, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

NINTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 3, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. T. W. O'Kelley.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Studdert, the vote upon which S. B. 334, a bill to
reduce the rental of school books of the graded school in the town of Washington, passed its third reading, is reconsidered.

The bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Ivie, S. B. 360, a bill for the relief of the State School for the Blind and the Deaf, is recalled from the Committee on Appropriations and is referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

Upon motion of Senator Hobgood, S. B. 356, H. B. 242, a bill to amend the charter of the city of High Point, is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Upon motion of Senator Studdert, S. B. 334, a bill to reduce the rental of school books of the graded school in the town of Washington, is laid upon the table.

Upon motion of Senator Bryant, S. B. 396, a bill to establish a public service commission for North Carolina and to define its powers and duties, and to authorize the Governor to appoint the members thereof, is ordered to be printed.

Upon motion of Senator Bryant, the Senate goes into a committee of the whole for the consideration of S. B. 30, a bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.

At 2 o'clock the committee rises and Senator Weaver, for the committee, reports progress, and asks leave to sit again.

Upon motion of Senator Bryant, Wednesday at 12 o'clock m. is set for the time for discussing the Constitutional amendments.

Upon motion of Senator Thompson, the privileges of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Z. V. Long.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 345, H. B. 187, a bill to amend chapter 792, Public Laws of 1907, as amended by chapter 861, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Dunn Road District, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 289, H. B. 132, a bill to amend chapter 271, Public Local Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the better construction, maintaining and repairing public roads and bridges in Pamlico County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 350, H. B. 209, a bill to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at session of 1913, relative to the public roads of Jones County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 349, H. B. 207, a bill to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 385, a bill to incorporate the town of Norman, Richmond County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 379, a bill to amend chapter 451 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax and to construct certain bridges," with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 209, H. B. 78, a bill to amend chapter 269 of the
Private Laws of 1913, relative to a bond issue for the city of Monroe, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 356, H. B. 242, a bill to amend the charter of the city of High Point, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 294, H. B. 166, a bill to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff, in Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 359, a bill to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and operate and maintain a system of waterworks, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 352, H. B. 216, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrrell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 215, H. B. 92, a bill to provide for a special assessment for improving the sidewalks in the town of Trenton, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 368, a bill to repeal chapter 645, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to disposition of public funds of Robeson County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 58, H. B. 29, a bill to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 225, H. B. 126, a bill to incorporate Walkersville church in Union County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. R. 286, H. R. 45, a resolution relative to the Interstate Commerce Commission Act, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 263, H. B. 214, a bill to incorporate Perrys chapel, a Baptist church, in Franklin County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 276, H. B. 238, a bill to incorporate Joyners chapel, Franklin County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 358, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Venable, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 214, H. B. 89, a bill to provide for a special assessment for the improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 364, a bill relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Penal Institutions:

By Senator Daniel, S. B. 302, a bill to authorize and direct the directors of the State's Prison to aid in the construction of a public road in Halifax Township, Halifax County, by convicts, with a favorable report, as amended.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 326, a bill to change the name of Carolina Cotton and Southern Industrial Agricultural Exposition to the Panama-Atlantic World's Exposition, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 348, H. B. 200, a bill to amend the charter of the
city of New Bern, being chapter 82 of the Private Laws of 1899, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:
By Senator Barbour, S. B. 160, a bill to amend chapter 452 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled "An act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County and to increase the road fund and the school fund," with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Blind Institutions:
By Senator Little of Anson, S. B. 360, a bill for the relief of the State School for the Blind and the Deaf, with a favorable report, and recommendation that the same be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Senator Mason, the bill is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

From the Committee on Public Roads:
By Senator Washington, S. B. 180, a bill to amend chapter 268 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to a good roads bond issue in Person County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 152, a bill to amend "An act to provide good roads in Enfield Township, Halifax County," with a favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 189, H. B. 47, a bill to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Railroads:
By Senator Peterson, substitute for S. B. 115, H. B. 141, a bill relating to the Hiwassee Valley Railway Company, chartered by chapter 254, Private Laws, regular session of 1913, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Blind Institutions:
By Senator Little of Anson, S. B. 229, H. B. 131, a bill to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:
By Senator Phillips, S. B. 287, H. B. 121, a bill to authorize the road trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckasegee River, with a favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 232, H. B. 139, a bill supplementary to and amendatory of "An act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Perquimans County," with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 355, H. B. 228, a bill to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township and to issue bonds in Surry County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 290, H. B. 135, a bill to create the road district of Hookerton Precinct, Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or road district and issuing bonds for the same, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 59, H. B. 32, a bill to provide for the election of a cotton weigher for the town of Lincolnton, in Lincoln County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:
By Senator Washington, S. B. 292, H. B. 159, a bill to amend the road
laws of Jackson County so as to allow trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances, and for other purposes, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Game and Game Laws:

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 265, H. B. 220, a bill to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Franklin County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 260, H. B. 169, a bill to repeal chapter 256 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting and killing of squirrels in Chatham County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 264, H. B. 217, a bill to repeal chapter 264 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting quail in Tyrrell County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 162, a bill for the protection of game birds in Robeson County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Health:

By Senator Evans, of Bladen, S. B. 381, a bill to amend Revisal, section 3672, relating to removal of dead bodies, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 351, H. B. 212, a bill to amend chapter 424 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of public roads in the county of Beaufort, with favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 200, H. B. 50, a bill to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township and improve the public roads in said township if required by a majority of the voters of said county, with favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 341, a bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh highway, with favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 202, H. B. 57, a bill to amend section 201 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County," with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 353, H. B. 218, a bill to amend chapter 338 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the public roads of Scupper-nong Township, of Tyrrell County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Game and Game Laws:

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 270, H. B. 230, a bill to amend chapter 659 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to game in Lincoln County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 295, H. B. 167, a bill to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships, Yancey County, and empower the county commissioners of said county to levy a special tax, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 114, H. B. 133, a bill to protect wild fowl and other game birds in Davie County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 383, a bill to prevent hunting of foxes in Lee County between certain dates, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 280, H. B. 247, a bill to protect birds in Mitchell County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 321, a bill to amend chapter 40 of the Public
Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to consolidate and amend the road laws of Madison County, as enacted by chapter 290 of the Public Local Laws of 1909, and as amended by chapter 392 of the Public Local Laws of 1911," with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 293, H. B. 162, a bill to provide for a road commission for Columbus 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 Senator Hobgood, S. B. 396, a bill to establish a public service commission for North Carolina and to define its powers and duties, and to authorize the Governor to appoint the members thereof.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.**

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

S. B. 397, H. B. 123, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Graham County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 398, H. B. 156, a bill to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for the building of a town hall, and for street improvements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 399, H. B. 177, a bill to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debts heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 400, H. B. 221, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 401, H. B. 269, a bill to protect Smithwicks Creek Baptist church in the county of Martin.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 402, H. B. 213, a bill amending section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, affecting Superior Courts of Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 403, H. B. 276, a bill to appoint three Justices of the peace in Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 404, H. B. 271, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the squirrel law of Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 416, H. B. 293, a bill to amend chapter 624 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the Recorder's Court of Tyrrell County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 417, H. B. 297, a bill to regulate the appointment and duties of cotton weighers for the town of Dunn, in Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 418, H. B. 298, a bill to amend chapter 107, Public Laws of 1913, applicable to Perquimans County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Substitute for S. B. 419, H. B. 299, a bill to protect animals in Fairview Park, Stanly County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 420, H. B. 302, a bill to amend chapter 402 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relative to the propagation of diamond back terrapin in Carteret County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 421, H. B. 304, a bill to amend chapter 803 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the salaries of county officers of Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 422, H. B. 305, a bill to amend chapter 214, Public Local Laws 1911, relative to increase of the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Person County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.


Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 424, H. B. 318, a bill to amend the deer law of Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 425, H. B. 321, a bill for the protection of game birds in Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 405, H. B. 272, a bill to amend chapter 610, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting in Scotland County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 406, H. B. 274, a bill to prohibit the sale of wines, ciders and all intoxicants within two miles of the Baptist church at Hinson's Cross Roads, in Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 407, H. B. 275, a bill to reduce the commissioners of Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 408, H. B. 280, a bill to amend chapter 591, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the game laws of Rowan County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 409, H. B. 282, a bill to repeal chapter 791 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, prohibiting ticket scalping in Columbus County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 410, H. B. 283, a bill to amend chapter 52 of Public Local Laws of general session of 1913.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 411, H. B. 284, a bill to establish an inferior court for Columbus County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 412, H. B. 285, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace in Croatan Township, Dare County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 413, H. B. 287, a bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider within two miles of Shiloh Presbyterian church, in Hoke County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 414, H. B. 288, a bill to amend chapter 435 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to salaries in Catawba County.
Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
S. B. 415, H. B. 291, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Wadesboro. Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 426, H. B. 330, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the division of the State into judicial districts and for holding the courts therein."
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. R. 427, H. R. 454, a resolution to investigate the hiring out and assigning of convicts to certain work in the State.
Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 208, H. B. 77, a bill to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships, in Duplin County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 304, a bill to incorporate and charter the town of Crestmont, in Haywood County, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 288, H. B. 130, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks system in said town and levy taxes for payment thereof, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 325, a bill to ratify the proceedings of the commissioners of Mecklenburg County in connection with the proposed issue of $110,000 bonds of said county to build a new county jail and construct highway bridges and to authorize the issuance of said bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 324, a bill to amend chapter 222 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina of 1913, authorizing the commissioners of Mecklenburg County to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness, build a new county jail, and construct certain highway bridges, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 291, H. B. 143, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Drexel, in Burke County, contracting the corporate limits thereof, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 207, H. B. 76, a bill to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs townships to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bridgers, Bryant, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 205, H. B. 72, a bill to create a system of exclusive stock law boundaries by townships by vote of the citizens thereof for Jackson County, and to reduce taxes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 221, H. B. 108, a bill to amend chapter 164, section 1 thereof, relative to the charter of the town of Trenton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 156, a bill to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 316, a bill to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 181, a bill to amend section 206 of Chapter 342, Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1907, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 211, H. B. 85, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 204, H. B. 66, a bill to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County, North Carolina, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 318, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of the city of Hendersonville to issue municipal improvement bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 301, a bill to legalize and validate an election held in Cooper's Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Cooper's Township, dated the 1st day of July, 1913, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 195, H. B. 5, a bill to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 305, a bill to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 306, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Haywood County to refund the short-time bonds of Haywood County, and to improve the public roads of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 293, H. B. 162, a bill to provide for a road commission for Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bridgers, Bryant, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hobgood, Hooks,

S. B. 390, a bill to allow the commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for repairing and improving the courthouse in said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 128, a bill to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 334, a bill to reduce the rental of school books of the graded school in the town of Washington, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 48, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 376, a bill to authorize the town of Mooresville, North Carolina, to issue bonds, without submitting the question to a vote of the qualified voters of said town, to improve streets, install waterworks and sewerage systems, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 46, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 389, a bill to amend chapter 632 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to sales of merchandise in bulk, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Little of Wake, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 227, H. B. 128, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the vital statistics law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 388, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Robeson County to build a double track iron bridge across Lumber River, in the town of Lumberton, Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 373, a bill to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District Number One, in Cleveland County, North Carolina, ratified on the 30th day of September, 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 348, a bill to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to improve and repair the city hall and to contract therefor, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 105, H. B. 91, a bill to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of the public roads of Burke County by freight trains, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 372, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 196, of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of the Fifth Judicial District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 384, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint W. S. Howell a justice of the peace for Granville County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 66, H. B. 4, a bill to repeal chapter 325 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 386, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the employment of an additional bank examiner, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 101, H. B. 79, a bill to change the time for the holding one of the terms of Superior Court for Union County, in the thirteenth judicial district, so that said court will not conflict with the call of said district in the Supreme Court, upon second reading.

The committee offers a substitute, which is adopted.

The substitute passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the substitute.

S. B. 321, a bill to amend chapter 40 of the Public Local Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to consolidate and amend the road law of Madison County as enacted by chapter 200 of Public Local Laws of 1909, and as amended by chapter 392 of the Public Local Laws of 1911," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

**ENROLLED BILLS.**

Senator Hannah, 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. 59, S. B. 91, an act to amend chapter 196 of Public Laws of 1913, so as to make March term of Rowan Superior Court for the trial of civil cases exclusively.

H. B. 64, S. B. 94, an act to authorize the commissioners of Gates County to designate some Gates County bank to act as treasurer to handle the good road funds.

H. B. 109, S. B. 112, an act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.

H. B. 49, S. B. 85, an act to amend chapter 395 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the dog tax in Avery County.

H. B. 22, S. B. 77, an act to amend chapter 274 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Edgecombe County to submit to the qualified voters of said county, excepting that part embraced within the boundaries of the Rocky Mount Road District and the Number Six Township of Whitakers Road District, the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of improving the public roads in said county."

H. B. 336, S. B. 332, an act to increase the number of the board of commissioners of the county of Orange.

H. B. 34, S. B. 81, an act to amend chapter 198 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, in reference to the construction of an iron bridge across the Yadkin River, the dividing line between the counties of Yadkin and Forsyth, at or near Huffman's Ferry, formerly Glenn's Ferry.

H. B. 10, S. B. 69, an act to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907, applying to High Point Township only.

H. B. 16, S. B. 54, an act to reduce the costs in Rowan County Court.

H. B. 56, S. B. 90, an act to amend chapter 76 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the collection of taxes in Graham County.

H. B. 55, S. B. 89, an act to prohibit the running of sawdust in certain streams in Graham County.

H. B. 48, S. B. 84, an act to amend chapter 812 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock running at large in Avery County.

H. B. 70, S. B. 97, an act to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of
the city of New Bern to remove and reinter certain dead bodies.

H. B. 33, S. B. 79, an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for street improvement and the enlargement of its electric light plant, to provide for a board of public works and fix the duties thereof, and to repeal an act ratified March 1, 1913, authorizing certain bond issues of the town of Wilson.

H. B. 349, S. B. 119, an act to restore sections 10, 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1903, relative to city of Washington.

H. B. 173, S. B. 28, an act to amend chapter 736 of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, relative to primary elections in Pitt County.

H. B. 350, S. B. 120, an act to give the mayor and aldermen of the city of Washington, North Carolina, authority to pay the chief of police what his services are worth.

H. B. 65, S. B. 95, an act to amend chapter 119 of the Laws of North Carolina of the session of 1847, being "An act to incorporate the trustees of Danover Institute, in the town of Yanceyville."

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, leave of absence is granted to Senators Hawes and Scott until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Barbour, leave of absence is granted to Senator Phillips until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Parsons, leave of absence is granted to Senator McLean until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Bellamy, leave of absence is granted to Senator Hobgood until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Scott, leave of absence is granted to Senator Bryant until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Nimocks, leave of absence is granted to Senator Evans of Bladen until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Weaver, leave of absence is granted to Senator Long until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Davis, leave of absence is granted to Senator Ivie until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Parsons, the Senate takes recess until 8 o'clock tonight.

NIGHT SESSION.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

An invitation is read from the Kings Mountain Memorial Association, inviting the members of the General Assembly to attend the 133d anniversary of the Battle of Kings Mountain, October 7, 1913.

Upon motion of Senator Weaver, S. B. 115, H. B. 141, a bill for the relief of the county commissioners of Clay County, North Carolina, is taken from the Calendar and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Good Roads:

By Senator Brown, S. B. 339, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to
build and improve the public roads of said county, and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation, with a favorable report.

THE CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 355, H. B. 228, a bill to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township, and to issue bonds in Surry County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 214, H. B. 89, a bill to provide for special assessment for improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne; Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 295, H. B. 167, a bill to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships, Yancey County, and empower the county commissioners of said county to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 292, H. B. 159, a bill to amend the road laws of Jackson County, so as to allow trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances, and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 349, H. B. 207, a bill to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 353, H. B. 218, a bill to amend chapter 338 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the public roads of Scuppernong Township, Tyrrell County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 215, H. B. 92, a bill to provide for special assessment for improving the sidewalks in the town of Trenton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 350, H. B. 299, a bill to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at session 1913, relative to the public roads of Jones County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 294, H. B. 166, a bill to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff, in Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 379, a bill to amend chapter 491 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, entitled “An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax and to construct certain bridges,” upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 385, a bill to incorporate the town of Norman, Richmond County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 290, H. B. 135, a bill to create a road district of Hookerton Precinct, Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or Road District and issuing bonds for same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones,
Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 180, a bill to amend chapter 268 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to good roads bond issue in Person County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading; ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 287, H. B. 121, a bill to authorize the road trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckaseigee River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 27, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert. Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—27.

S. B. 358, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Venable, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 289, H. B. 132, a bill to amend chapter 271, Public Local Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the better construction, maintaining and repairing public roads and bridges in Pamlico County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 351, H. B. 212, a bill to amend chapter 424 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of the public roads in the county of Beaufort, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 200, H. B. 50, a bill to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township and improve public roads in said township if requested by a majority of the voters of said county, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 199, H. B. 47, a bill to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 352, H. B. 216, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrrell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 359, a bill to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and operate and maintain a system of waterworks, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 339, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 364, a bill relative to the duties of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah,
S. B. 209, H. B. 78, a bill to amend chapter 269 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to bond issue for city of Monroe, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 202, H. B. 57, a bill to amend section 201 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled “An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County,” upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 341, a bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh highway, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.

S. B. 345, H. B. 187, a bill to amend chapter 792, Public Laws of 1907, as amended by chapter 861, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Dunn Road District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 28, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hall, Hannah, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Mashburn, Mason, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Studdert, Thompson, Ward, Wakefield, Weaver—28.


The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 242, H. B. 153, bill to amend chapter 217, Private Laws of 1909, relative to street improvement in the town of Sanford, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 265, H. B. 220, a bill to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 114, H. B. 133, a bill to protect wild fowl and other game birds in Davie County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 383, a bill to prevent hunting of foxes in Lee County between certain dates, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 263, H. B. 214, a bill to incorporate Perry’s chapel, a Baptist church in Franklin, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 420, H. B. 302, a bill to amend chapter 402 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, 1913, relative to the propagation of diamond back terrapin in Carteret County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 276, H. B. 238, a bill to incorporate Joyner’s chapel, Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 270, H. B. 230, a bill to amend chapter 659 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to game in Lincoln County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 250, H. B. 169, a bill to repeal chapter 256 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting and killing of squirrels in Chatham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 280, H. B. 247, a bill to protect birds in Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 59, H. B. 32, a bill to provide for the election of a cotton weigher for the town of Lincolnton, in Lincoln County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 58, H. B. 29, a bill to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913.

Upon motion of Senator Little of Wake, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Corporations to amend title.

S. B. 225, H. B. 126, a bill to incorporate Walkersville church, in Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 264, H. B. 217, a bill to repeal chapter 264 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting quail in Tyrrell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 232, H. B. 139, a bill supplementary to and amendatory of "An act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Perquimans County," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 92, H. B. 63, a bill to amend the law relative to the time for holding courts in Washington and Beaufort counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 415, H. B. 291, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Wadesboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 160, a bill to amend chapter 452 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1911, entitled "An act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County, and to increase the road fund and the school fund," upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 162, a bill for the protection of game birds in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

TENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 4, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. J. S. Farmer.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Phillips, the chair appoints Senators Nimocks, Wakefield and Mashburn to draft a resolution in regard to the death of the late Sergeant-at-Arms.

Upon motion of Senator Davis, S. B. 372, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 196 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the Fifth Judicial District, is recalled from the office of the enrolling clerk, the vote upon which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, S. B. 236, H. B. 145, a bill to regulate fishing in Six Runs River, Sampson County, and S. B. 283, H. B. 253, a bill prevent the depredations by domestic fowls and animals in the town of Roseboro, North Carolina, are recalled from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances and placed upon the Calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

The following bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Ward, S. B. 466, a bill to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feebleminded.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Senator Pharr, S. R. 467, a joint resolution in regard to extra compensation of the principal clerks of the General Assembly for the extra session of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees, as follows:

From the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

By Senator Evans of Pitt, S. B. 234, H. B. 142, a bill to amend chapter 196 of Public Laws of 1913, regulating the holding of courts in Pitt County, with a favorable report, as amended.
From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 407, H. B. 275, a bill to reduce the commissioners of Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 399, H. B. 177, a bill to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debts heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 398, H. B. 156, a bill to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for the building of a town hall, and for street improvements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 417, H. B. 297, a bill to regulate the appointment and duties of cotton weighers for the town of Dunn, in Harnett County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 129, a bill to amend section 2 of article 2 of chapter 59 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the publication of ordinances by the city of Raleigh.

The committee offers a substitute and recommends that the same do pass.

From the Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 410, H. B. 283, a bill to amend chapter 52 of Public Local Laws of general session of 1913, relative to salary of county officers of Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 397, H. B. 123, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Graham County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 426, H. B. 330, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the division of the State into judicial districts, and for holding the courts therein," with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 354, H. B. 227, a bill authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 100, H. B. 75, a bill to amend chapter 646, Public Local Laws of 1913, by striking out Union County, relative to taxing dogs, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 409, H. B. 282, a bill to repeal chapter 791 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, prohibiting ticket scalping in Columbus County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

By Senator Peebles, S. B. 166, a bill to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court, with an unfavorable report.

The committee offers a substitute, and recommends that the substitute do pass.

From the Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 339, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation, with a favorable report.
A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 428, H. B. 206, a bill to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township, in Buncombe County, and to levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 429, H. B. 246, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 196, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the First Judicial District.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 430, H. B. 276, a bill to change the name of the town of Toisnot to that of Elm City.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 431, H. B. 279, a bill to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws, regular session of 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville, in Clay County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 432, H. B. 281, a bill to amend, ratify, approve and confirm chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws, session 1913, entitled "An act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County."

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 433, H. B. 286, a bill to incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railroad Company.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 434, H. B. 292, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Number Eight Township, in said county, the question of levying a special road tax for the improvement and building of the public roads and highways in said township.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 435, H. B. 296, a bill to amend an act to provide good roads in Enfield Township, in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 436, H. B. 300, a bill providing for the convicts of Perquimans County.

Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.


Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 438, H. B. 303, a bill to incorporate the town of West Asheville, in the county of Buncombe.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 439, H. B. 308, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to call an election to submit to the qualified voters of Lee County the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of the roads of said county.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 440, H. B. 310, a bill to provide for improvement districts and for street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the town of Morganton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 442, H. B. 22, a bill to amend chapter 437 of the Private Laws of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden, by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 443, H. B. 323, a bill to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 444, H. B. 328, a bill to require the commissioners of Watauga County to construct two public bridges in said county, one across Watauga River at or near Valle Crucis and one across New River near Three Forks church.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 445, H. B. 333, a bill to repeal chapter 541 of the Public Laws of 1901, giving the commissioners of the town of Burgaw authority to construct and maintain a fence around said town, and to levy a tax for the same.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 446, H. B. 338, a bill to amend section 2721 of The Revisal of 1905, relating to working public roads in Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 447, H. B. 339, a bill to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District," and to ratify an election held May 14, 1913, for the issuance of bonds authorized by said act, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 448, H. B. 340, a bill to consolidate and amend the charter of the town of Elon College.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 449, H. B. 366, a bill to establish a graded school in Moore County, to be be known as the Vass Graded School.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 450, H. B. 375, a bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Burgaw to call an election on a bond issue for municipal improvement.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 451, H. B. 380, a bill to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy Graded School, Cherokee County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 452, H. B. 381, a bill to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County by special tax levy.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 453, H. B. 382, a bill to authorize the Elkin Graded School District to issue bonds.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 454, H. B. 386, a bill to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 221, Private Laws of 1907, relative to the charter of the town of Wendell.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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S. B. 455, H. B. 390, a bill to amend chapter 178 of amended Laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, North Carolina.  
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 456, H. B. 393, a bill to validate a school bond election of Aberdeen School District, Moore County.  
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 457, H. B. 401, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Ellenboro.  
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 458, H. B. 413, a bill to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, North Carolina, and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for issue of bonds and to levy tax.  
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 459, H. B. 440, a bill to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building, and to hold an election to levy a tax for payment thereof.  
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 460, H. B. 442, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve the public roads.  
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 461, H. B. 443, a bill to amend chapter 361. Private Laws of 1901, so as to make the board of trustees of Sanford Graded Schools elective by the qualified voters of the district.  
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 462, H. B. 446, a bill to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County.  
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 463, H. B. 447, a bill to provide good roads in Richlands Township, Onslow County.  
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 464, H. B. 448, a bill to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County.  
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 465, H. B. 449, a bill to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County.  
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 353, H. B. 218, a bill to amend chapter 338 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the public roads of Scuppernong Township, Tyrrell County, upon third reading.  
The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:
The bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 215, H. B. 92, a bill to provide for special assessment for improving the sidewalks in the town of Trenton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 350, H. B. 209, a bill to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at session 1913, relative to the public roads of Jones County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 294, H. B. 166, a bill to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff, in Columbus County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 379, a bill to amend chapter 491 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax and to construct certain bridges," upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 376, a bill to authorize the town of Mooresville, North Carolina, to issue bonds without resubmitting the question to a vote of the qualified voters of said town, to improve streets, install waterworks and sewerage system, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 290, H. B. 135, a bill to create a road district of Hookerton Precinct, Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or Road District and issuing bonds for the same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 287, H. B. 121, a bill to authorize the road trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckaseigee River, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 358, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Venable, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 289, H. B. 132, a bill to amend chapter 271, Public Local Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the better construction, maintaining and repairing public roads and bridges in Pamlico County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 180, a bill to amend chapter 268 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to good roads bond issue in Person County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 385, a bill to incorporate the town of Norman, Richmond County, North Carolina, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 48, a bill to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate substitute.

S. B. 390, a bill to allow the commissioners of Rutherford County to levy a special tax for repairing and improving the courthouse in said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 128, a bill to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 355, H. B. 228, a bill to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township, and to issue bonds in Surry County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 214, H. B. 89, a bill to provide for special assessment for improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 292, H. B. 159, a bill to amend the road laws of Jackson County so as to allow trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances, and for other purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 295, H. B. 167, a bill to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships, Yancey County, and to empower the county commissioners of said county to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 349, H. B. 297, a bill to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 339, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 351, H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 424 of the
Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of public roads in the county of Beaufort, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 200, H. B. 50, a bill to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township and improve public roads in said township, if required by a majority of the voters of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 359, a bill to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and operate and maintain a system of waterworks, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 352, H. B. 216, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrrell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 199, H. B. 47, a bill to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 30, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 283, H. B. 253, a bill to prevent depredations by domestic fowls and animals in the town of Roseboro, North Carolina, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Evans of Pitt, the bill is placed upon the table.

S. B. 236, H. B. 145, a bill to regulate fishing in Six Runs River, Sampson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 166, a bill to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court, upon second reading.

Substitute offered by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 372, a bill to amend section 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding courts in the Fifth Judicial District, upon second reading.

Senator Davis offers a substitute, which is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 243, H. B. 154, a bill to amend chapter 71, of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the Recorder's Court of Transylvania County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

**ENROLLED BILLS.**

Senator Hannah, 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. 433, S. B. 65, an act to permit the city of Statesville to refund certain of its bonded indebtedness.

H. B. 125, S. B. 224, an act to amend the charter of Engelhard, chapter 48, Private Laws of 1913.

H. B. 41, S. B. 82, an act to incorporate Grimesland School District and to authorize it to issue bonds.

H. B. 42, S. B. 83, an act to authorize Number Three Township, Cleveland County, to issue bonds and improve the highways therein.

H. B. 14, S. B. 73, an act to amend chapter 476 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 8, S. B. 68, an act to validate bonds issued by the commissioners of Beaufort County and to levy a tax and create a sinking fund for said bonds.

H. B. 193, S. B. 297, an act to repeal chapter 98, Public Laws of 1913, and to amend chapter 509, Public Laws of 1909, relating to drainage of certain lands in Hyde County.

H. B. 251, S. B. 282, an act to authorize the commissioners of Stanly County to make an appropriation to the county fair.

H. B. 497, S. B. 391, an act to create a road commission for Rutherford County.

H. B. 27, S. B. 197, an act to amend the lien laws of 1913.

H. B. 20, S. B. 75, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to pay its indebtedness.
H. B. 99, S. B. 111, an act authorizing and empowering the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to draw an additional number of jurors for service at the civil and criminal terms of courts of Forsyth County.

H. B. 11, S. B. 70, an act to amend the charter of the town of Pilot Mountain, Surry County, North Carolina.

H. B. 347, S. B. 34, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rutherfordton, in Rutherford County.

H. B. 31, S. B. 80, an act to amend the charter of the town of Clayton, Johnston County.

H. B. 90, S. B. 104, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, in regard to courts to be held in Catawba County.

H. B. 24, S. B. 57, an act to fix the boundary of Special School Tax District Number Nine, Gaston County.

H. B. 129, S. B. 228, an act to prevent the obstructing of the streams in Onslow County and to promote better drainage and health conditions.

H. B. 107, S. B. 63, an act to amend chapter 327 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the township bond issues for good roads in Wayne County.

H. B. 74, S. B. 99, an act to increase the pay of jurors in the recorder's court for Stanly County.

H. B. 51, S. B. 86, an act to amend chapter 1014 of the Public Laws of 1907.

H. B. 158, S. B. 246, an act to provide for the collection of costs and fees in the mayor's court in the town of Baileys, Nash County.

H. B. 18, S. B. 74, an act to amend a certain act of the General Assembly of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of commissioners of Lincoln County to issue bonds to improve the highways of Lincoln County and to create a road commission therein," ratified January 30, 1913.

H. B. 21, S. B. 76, an act to amend chapter 346 of the Private Laws of 1911, to authorize an increase in the special tax for schools in the Faison School District, Duplin County.

H. B. 13, S. B. 72, an act to amend chapter 475 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 165, S. B. 331, an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing recorder's court in Mount Airy Township in Surry County.

H. B. 7, S. B. 67, an act to permit the city of Washington to issue bonds.

H. B. 196, S. B. 257, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of the county of Wayne to make certain improvements upon the courthouse square.

H. B. 62, S. B. 93, an act to make section 1662 of chapter 35 of Revisal of 1905, North Carolina, applicable to Bertie County.

H. B. 12, S. B. 71, an act to amend chapter 798 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 80, S. B. 210, an act to repeal chapter 545 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

H. B. 346, S. B. 32, an act to amend the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to a franchise tax on corporations.

H. B. 343, S. B. 15, an act to incorporate the town of Duplin, in Bladen County.
H. B. 94, S. B. 106, an act to relieve the citizens of Catawba Springs Township from a certain bond tax and the issuance of bonds.

H. B. 197, S. B. 258, an act to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.

H. B. 178, S. B. 251, an act to authorize and empower the deputy register of deeds of Forsyth County to administer oaths.

H. B. 140, S. B. 233, an act to amend chapter 97 of the Public Laws of 1913, extending the provisions of said law to Duplin County.

H. B. 136, S. B. 230, an act to amend chapter 398 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to authorizing the board of county commissioners of Onslow County to submit a salary system to the voters of said county.

H. B. 345, S. B. 29, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Forsyth County to issue bonds to pay its debt contracted in building its present courthouse.

H. B. 192, S. B. 256, an act to protect game in Davidson County.

H. B. 348, S. B. 36, an act to authorize the city of Fayetteville to borrow $35,000 to enlarge its light plant.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

Upon motion of Senator Wakefield, leave of absence is granted to Senator Council until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Council, leave of absence is granted to Senator Grant until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, leave of absence is granted to Senator Mason until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, leave of absence is granted to Senator Jones until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Wakefield, leave of absence is granted to Senator Lovingood until Monday.

Upon motion of Senator Payne, the Senate adjourns until 12 o'clock Monday.

ELEVENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 6, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. J. H. McCracken.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Thompson, the privileges of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Watts.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, S. B. 218, H. B. 157, a bill to amend chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to permit certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer, is recalled from the Calendar and is referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 356, H. B. 242, a bill to amend the charter of the city of High Point, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 458, H. B. 413, a bill to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, North Carolina, and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for issue of bonds to levy a tax, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 440, H. B. 310, a bill to provide for improvement districts and for street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 103, H. B. 84, a bill to allow the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro and the board of commissioners of Wayne County to exempt from local taxation certain bond issues, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 454, H. B. 386, a bill to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 221, Private Laws of 1907, relative to the charter of the town of Wendell, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to amend chapter 404, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the town of Morganton, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 377, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County, North Carolina, in regard to stock running at large, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 226, H. B. 127, a bill amending chapter 184 of the Private Laws of 1913, authorizing the board of county commissioners to sell the county home, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 430, H. B. 276, a bill to change the name of the town of Toisnot to that of Elm City, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 438, H. B. 303, a bill to incorporate the town of West Asheville, in the county of Buncombe, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 442, H. B. 322, a bill to amend chapter 437 of the Private Acts of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden, by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 455, H. B. 390, a bill to amend chapter 178 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 431, H. B. 279, a bill to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws, regular session of 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville, in Clay County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 443, H. B. 323, a bill to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Education:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 240, H. B. 151, a bill to empower the board of education of Northampton County to alter the boundary line of Lasker Special School District, with a favorable report.
By Senator Thorne, S. B. 357, H. B. 252, a bill to amend chapter 31 of Private Laws of 1913, relative to Norwood Graded School District, in Center Township, Stanly County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 395, a bill to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District Number Seventeen, Dare County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 284, H. B. 6, a bill to incorporate the Angier High School District, in Harnett County, and to authorize it to issue bonds and to levy a special tax, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 451, H. B. 380, a bill to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy Graded School, Cherokee County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 347, H. B. 199, a bill to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the public graded schools of New Bern and the issuance of bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of public graded school buildings, with a favorable report.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 459, H. B. 440, a bill to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building and to hold an election for levying a tax for the payment thereof, with a favorable report.

From Judiciary Committee No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 416, H. B. 293, a bill to amend chapter 624 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the recorder's court of Tyrrell County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 342, H. B. 36, a bill to authorize any consul-general to take proof and acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments and to amend section 990 of The Revisal of 1905, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 365, a bill to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County, with a favorable report as to substitute.

From Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 389, a bill to amend chapter 632 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the sales of merchandise in bulk, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Education:

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 447, H. B. 339, a bill to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District," and to ratify the election held May 14, 1913, for the issuance of the bonds authorized by said act and to authorize the issuance of said bonds, with a favorable report.

By Senator Parsons, S. B. 449, H. B. 366, a bill to establish a graded school in Moore County to be known as the Vass Graded School, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Justices of the Peace:

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 403, H. B. 270, a bill to appoint three justices of the peace in Columbus County, with a favorable report.
From Committee on Education:

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 461, H. B. 443, a bill to amend chapter 361, Private Laws of 1901, so as to make the board of trustees of Sanford Graded Schools elective by the qualified voters of the district, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Justices of the Peace:

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 244, H. B. 155, a bill to appoint John D. Lancaster a justice of the peace for Number Thirteen Township, Edgecombe County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 255, H. B. 191, a bill to appoint a certain justice of the peace for Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 340, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace for Edgecombe County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 252, H. B. 184, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Nells Creek Township, Harnett County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 367, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Robeson County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 102, H. B. 81, a bill to appoint B. F. Parker a justice of the peace for Lanes Creek Township, in Union County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 412, H. B. 285, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace in Croatan Township, Dare County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 254, H. B. 215, a bill to appoint T. A. Berry a justice of the peace in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 60, H. B. 35, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Hertford County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 231, H. B. 138, a bill to appoint M. L. Martin a justice of the peace for Colfax Township, Rutherford County, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 188, a bill to amend section 441, chapter 12, Revival of 1905, relative to validating irregular service on infants, with a favorable report, as amended.

From Committee on Education:

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 212, H. B. 87, a bill to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District, with a favorable report.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 196, H. B. 19, a bill to create Micro Graded School District, in Johnston County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 213, H. B. 88, a bill to authorize the trustees of Sanford Graded Schools to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 394, a bill to change the boundary line of Selma Graded School District of Johnston County, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Justices of the Peace:

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 382, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Sampson County, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 222, H. B. 122, a bill appointing justices of the peace for Graham County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 278, H. B. 240, a bill to appoint justices of the peace in Forsyth County, with a favorable report.
From Committee on Education:
By Senator Parsons, S. B. 456, H. B. 393, a bill to validate a school bond election of Aberdeen School District, Moore County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 201, H. B. 53, a bill to incorporate Coats Graded School of Coats, Harnett County, and to allow it to vote on a special tax to issue bonds, with a favorable report.
By Senator Thorne, S. B. 219, H. B. 103, a bill to authorize the issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District Number Eleven for the white and colored races of Columbus County, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Judiciary No. 1:
By Senator Barnes, S. B. 429, H. B. 246, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 196, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the First Judicial District, with a favorable report.

From Committee on Justices of the Peace:
By Senator Coffey, S. B. 248, H. B. 161, a bill relative to the appointment of a justice of the peace for Pigeon Township, in Haywood County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Coffey, S. B. 241, H. B. 152, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Ashe County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Coffey, S. B. 269, H. B. 229, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace in Warren County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Coffey, S. B. 98, H. B. 71, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace in Wilkes County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Coffey, S. B. 87, H. B. 52, a bill to appoint J. R. Davenport a justice of the peace in Pactolus Township, Pitt County, with a favorable report.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 472, H. B. 67, a bill to amend section 2672 of The Revisal of 1905.
Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.
S. B. 473, H. B. 86, a bill to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the salary of the Paymaster-General.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
S. B. 9, H. B. 116, a bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. R. 475, H. R. 182, a resolution in favor of T. G. Cobb, Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
S. B. 476, H. B. 194, a bill to amend section 1 of chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the division of the State into judicial districts and the holding of courts therein.
Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.
S. B. 477, H. B. 198, a bill to amend subsection 30 of section 1318 of The Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relative to distribution of road funds where township lines have been changed.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 478, H. B. 226, a bill to validate certain sales of real estate under mortgages, deeds of trust, and other instruments.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 479, H. B. 268, a bill to amend chapter 761 of the Public Laws of 1913, as to wholesale druggists in Guilford County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 490, H. B. 289, a bill to provide for the disposition of any money received from sale of books by the State Librarian.
Referred to Committee on Finance.
S. B. 511, H. B. 395, a bill to incorporate York School District, in Union County.
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 512, H. B. 397, a bill to validate a certain election in Clay County.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 513, H. B. 399, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Duplin County to vote on the question of stock law or no stock law.
Referred to Committee on Corporations.
S. B. 520, H. B. 402, a bill to regulate the hunting of foxes in Franklin County.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.
S. B. 519, H. B. 403, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Brunswick County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 518, H. B. 409, a bill to protect deer in Perquimans, Pasquotank, Gates and Graham counties.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.
S. B. 517, H. B. 410, a bill to amend chapter 496, Public Local Laws of 1913 of North Carolina, relating to primary elections in Lee County.
Referred to Committee on Election Law.
S. B. 515, H. B. 412, a bill to amend chapter 549 of the Public Laws of 1899, so as to strengthen the local prohibition law of Jackson County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 514, H. B. 414, a bill to incorporate Pleasant Grove Methodist church, in Wilson County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 471, H. B. 450, a bill to authorize fence commissioners of Harnett County to sell the stock law fence.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 470, H. B. 451, a bill to amend chapter 447 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the working of the public roads of Wake County.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 491, H. B. 320, a bill to establish a medical depository for the city of Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Public Health.
S. B. 492, H. B. 325, a bill to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 493, H. B. 326, a bill relative to drainage in Gaston County.
Referred to Committee on Agriculture.
S. B. 494, H. B. 327, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Bertie County. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 495, H. B. 331, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Smith Township, Duplin County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 496, H. B. 332, a bill to prohibit the cutting and felling of trees or brush in the waters of the run of Brooks Swamp, Wayne County.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 497, H. B. 334, a bill to amend chapter 561 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to placing the officers of New Hanover County on salaries.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 498, H. B. 335, a bill to amend chapter 509 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to elections in New Hanover County.
Referred to Committee on Election Law.
S. B. 499, H. B. 337, a bill to amend chapter 755 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the pay of the commissioners of Haywood County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 500, H. B. 341, a bill to amend chapter 411 of the Private Laws of session 1911, and to provide for a change in the management and control of Wesley Chapel Special School District.
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 501, H. B. 342, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace for Cleveland County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 121, H. B. 351, a bill to amend chapter 86 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the amount of bond for the county treasurer, for concurrence in House amendment.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 502, H. B. 359, a bill relative to the commissioners of navigation and pilotage coming under section 7 of Article 14 of the Constitution of North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.
S. B. 480, H. B. 361, a bill to make Town Creek in Brunswick a lawful fence only from the mouth of said creek to Indigo Creek, in said county.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 481, H. B. 363, a bill relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County.
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 482, H. B. 365, a bill to establish a county court for Wilson County.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 484, H. B. 364, a bill to repeal chapter 440, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the depredations by domestic fowls in the county of Polk.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 485, H. B. 367, a bill appointing a justice of the peace for Contentnea Township, Pitt County.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 486, H. B. 368, a bill to change the name of the town of Venable, in the county of Orange.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 487, H. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 73 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to judgment of nonsuit in criminal cases. Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 503, H. B. 370, a bill to amend section 5428 of The Revival of 1905, relating to taxes in Graham County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 483, H. B. 372, a bill to declare the law and regulate the management of the house of correction or reformatory of Forsyth County, established under chapter 6 of The Revival of 1905. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 488, H. B. 373, a bill to incorporate Liberty church, in Number Eight Township, in Madison County, N. C. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 508, H. B. 374, a bill to establish a special court for Richmond County with criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Richmond County Court. Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 507, H. B. 376, a bill to establish in the county of Hyde a special court to be called the Recorder's Court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof. Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 506, H. B. 377, a bill to amend chapter 418, Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for rural policemen for Robeson County." Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 505, H. B. 379, a bill to amend chapter 497, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to stock law in Harnett County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 504, H. B. 385, a bill to repeal chapter 706, Public Local Laws of 1911, so as to restore the office of standard keeper of Cumberland County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 489, H. B. 387, a bill to amend section 3001 of The Revival of 1905, in regard to the fees to be charged for electrical inspection of buildings. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 509, H. B. 391, a bill to prohibit the dumping, fanning or otherwise emptying sawdust into any stream in Wilkes County. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 510, H. B. 394, a bill to appoint Collin G. Shaw a justice of the peace for Monroe Township, Union County, N. C. Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. R. 469, H. R. 453, a resolution endorsing the efforts of the American Bar Association to secure uniformity in Federal and State procedure in civil cases. Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 468, H. B. 436, a bill to establish a recorder's court for Chowan County. Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 516, H. B. 444, a bill to establish a special court for Onslow County, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Onslow County Court. Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

9—Senate.
THE CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 345, H. B. 187, a bill to amend chapter 792, Public Laws of 1907, as amended by chapter 861, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Dunn Road District, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 293, H. B. 162, a bill to provide for a road commission for Columbus County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 202, H. B. 57, a bill to amend section 201 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County," upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 269, H. B. 78, a bill to amend chapter 279 of Private Laws of 1913, relative to bond issue for city of Monroe, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 341, a bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh highway, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barnes, Bellamy, Brown,

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 364, a bill relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 399, H. B. 177, a bill to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debts heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 398, H. B. 156, a bill to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for the building of a town hall, and for street improvements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 354, H. B. 227, a bill authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 444, H. B. 328, a bill to require the commissioners of Watauga County to construct two public bridges in said county, one across Watauga River at
or near Valle Crucis, and one across New River near Three Forks church, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 37, noes none, as follows:


S. R. 286, H. R. 45, a resolution relative to the Interstate Commerce Commission Act, upon second reading.

Senator Little, of Wake, offers an amendment.

The amendment fails of adoption, ayes 11, noes 27, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Bellamy, Coffey, Gilliam, Hawes, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Parsons, Peterson, Pharr, Stubbs, Ward—11.


The resolution passes second reading, ayes 33, noes 5, as follows:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Bellamy, Gilliam, Parsons, Peterson, Stubbs—5.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 165, a bill to amend section 2768 of the Revisal of 1905, providing full compensation to solicitors when defendants are assigned to work on public roads, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Gilliam, the bill is laid upon the table.

S. B. 365, a bill to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County, upon second reading.

The committee offers a substitute and the same is adopted.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hannah, 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. 125, S. B. 290, an act to create a road district of Hookerton Precinct, Hookerton Township, Greene County, and to provide for the construction, working and keeping in repair the roads and highways of said Hookerton Precinct or road district, and issuing bonds for the same.

H. B. 166, S. B. 294, an act to incorporate the town of Fair Bluff, in Columbus County.
H. B. 430, S. B. 137, an act to change the length of the terms of the courts for the trial of criminal cases exclusively in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 422, S. B. 173, an act to amend chapter 2 of Private Laws of 1911, relative to public libraries of Greensboro.

H. B. 423, S. B. 168, an act to amend chapter 504 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1907, entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Union Mills, Rutherford County."

H. B. 356, S. B. 125, an act taxing dogs in Sampson County and making them subjects of larceny.

H. B. 238, S. B. 276, an act to incorporate Joyner's chapel, Franklin County.

H. B. 302, S. B. 420, an act to amend chapter 402 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, 1913, relative to the propagation of diamond back terrapin in Carteret County.

H. B. 247, S. B. 280, an act to protect birds in Mitchell County.

H. B. 358, S. B. 143, an act to amend chapter 651 of the Public Laws of 1909, pertaining to the municipal court of the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 417, S. B. 192, an act to Incorporate the Liberty-Plemdmont Institute.

H. B. 133, S. B. 114, an act to protect wild fowl and other game birds in Davie County.

H. B. 139, S. B. 232, an act supplementary to and amendatory of "An act to provide for the better working of the public roads of Perquimans County."

H. B. 85, S. B. 211, an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of Goldsboro to issue bonds.

H. B. 66, S. B. 204, an act to incorporate the town of Bushnell, Swain County, North Carolina.

H. B. 167, S. B. 295, an act to appoint a game warden for South Toe and Crabtree townships, Yancey County, and empower the county commissioners of said county to levy a special tax.

H. B. 353, S. B. 123, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Lexington and Yadkin College townships, in Davidson County.

H. B. 77, S. B. 208, an act to authorize Limestone and Smiths townships, in Duplin County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

H. B. 76, S. B. 207, an act to authorize Goldsboro and Indian Springs townships, in Wayne County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

H. B. 4, S. B. 66, an act to repeal chapter 325 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 72, S. B. 205, an act to create a system of exclusive stock law boundaries by townships by vote of the citizens thereof for Jackson County, and to reduce taxes.

H. B. 427, S. B. 153, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Washington Township, Beaufort County.

H. B. 92, S. B. 215, an act to provide for special assessment for improving the sidewalks in the town of Trenton.

H. B. 420, S. B. 179, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, so as to provide an additional term of court for Gaston County.

H. B. 352, S. B. 122, an act to provide for distribution of tax levied and collected in Lexington Township, Davidson County, for the working of the
public roads of Lexington Township, between the town of Lexington and the balance of the township.

H. B. 354, S. B. 124, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Davidson County.

H. B. 169, S. B. 250, an act to repeal chapter 256 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting and killing of squirrels in Chatham County.

H. B. 226, S. B. 265, an act to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Franklin County.

H. B. 143, S. B. 291, an act to amend chapter 24 of the Private Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Drexel, in Burke County."

H. B. 108, S. B. 221, an act to amend chapter 164, section 1 thereof, relative to the charter of the town of Trenton.

H. B. 230, S. B. 270, an act to amend chapter 659 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to game in Lincoln County.

H. B. 281, S. B. 415, an act to amend the charter of the town of Wadesboro.

H. B. 153, S. B. 242, an act to amend chapter 217, Private Laws of 1909, relative to street improvements in the town of Sanford.

H. B. 130, S. B. 288, an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the town of Sanford to issue bonds to improve the streets and waterworks system in said town, and to levy taxes for payment thereof.

H. B. 5, S. B. 195, an act to amend chapter 28 of the Private Laws of 1913, the same being an act to authorize the town of Dunn to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system for said town.

H. B. 63, S. B. 92, an act to amend the law relative to the time for holding courts in Washington and Beaufort counties.

H. B. 209, S. B. 350, an act to amend chapter 679 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed at session 1913, relative to the public roads of Jones County.

H. B. 128, S. B. 227, an act to amend the vital statistics law.

H. B. 207, S. B. 349, an act to amend chapter 451, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road bonds for Sampson County.

H. B. 91, S. B. 105, an act to prohibit the blocking or obstruction of the public road crossings of Burke County by freight trains.

H. B. 214, S. B. 263, an act to incorporate Perry's chapel, a Baptist church, in Franklin County.

H. B. 218, S. B. 353, an act to amend chapter 338 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the public roads of Scuppernong Township, in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 416, S. B. 193, an act authorizing the commissioners of the town of Rockingham, North Carolina, to use certain funds of said town known as "the sewerage fund" for street improvements and other purposes.

H. B. 431, S. B. 49, an act to incorporate the North Carolina Association of Workers for the Blind.

H. B. 132, S. B. 289, an act to amend chapter 271 of the Public Local Laws of the general session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, ratified March 3, 1913, entitled "An act for the better construction, maintaining and repairing the public roads and bridges in Pamlico County."

H. B. 126, S. B. 225, an act to incorporate Walkersville church, in Union County.

H. B. 121, S. B. 287, an act to authorize the road trustees of Sylva and Cullowhee townships to construct a bridge across the Tuckaseigee River.
H. B. 217, S. B. 264, an act to repeal chapter 264 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting quail in Tyrrell County.

H. B. 357, S. B. 134, an act to amend chapter 771 of the Public Laws of 1905, and chapter 188 of the Public Local Laws of 1911.

H. B. 228, S. B. 355, an act to amend an act to provide for good roads in Marsh Township and to issue bonds in Surry County.

H. B. 355, S. B. 126, an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, same being the charter of the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 426, S. B. 157, an act to amend section 6, chapter 782, of the Public Laws of 1909, allowing the commissioners of Pitt County to use funds derived from salaries to pay interest on the East Carolina Teachers' Training School bonds.

H. B. 418, S. B. 183, an act to appoint John E. Cobb a justice of the peace in Edgecombe County.

H. B. 424, S. B. 167, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, and changing the time for holding the February and September terms of the Superior Court of Bertie County.

H. B. 425, S. B. 171, an act prescribing the place for advertisement and sales required to be made and held at the courthouse door in Wayne County, while the new courthouse of said county is under construction.

H. B. 421, S. B. 178, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913 in respect to the courts of Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 432, S. B. 37, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts of Cherokee County.

H. B. 39, S. B. 214, an act to provide for special assessment for improvement of sidewalks in the town of Fairmont.

H. R. 265, S. R. 176, a joint resolution to invite the President of the United States to deliver the address at the dedication of the monument to the North Carolina women of the Confederacy, donated to the State by Colonel Ashley Horne.


H. B. 158, S. B. 292, an act to amend the road laws of Jackson County so as to allow road trustees to cross township lines and build, construct and maintain public roads through adjoining townships under certain circumstances, and for other purposes.

H. B. 428, S. B. 147, an act to regulate the pay of tales jurors in Pitt County.

H. B. 32, S. B. 59, an act to provide for the election of a cotton weigher for the town of Lincolnton, Lincoln County.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, leave of absence is granted to Senator Davis until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator Thorne, leave of absence is granted to Senator Nimocks until Tuesday.

Upon motion of Senator McLeod, the Senate adjourns until tomorrow at 10 o'clock.
The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. H. M. North.
Journal of yesterday is read and approved.
Upon motion of Senator Thorne, the privileges of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Holding.
Upon motion of Senator Hannah, the privileges of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Smathers.
Upon motion of Senator Pharr, S. B. 389, a bill to amend chapter 632 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to the sale of merchandise in bulk, is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
Upon motion of Senator Ivie, the Senate goes into committee of the whole for the consideration of S. B. 30, a bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.
At 2 o'clock the committee rises and Senator Weaver, for the committee reports progress, and asks leave to sit again.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:
By Senator Lovingood, S. B. 521, a bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.
By Senator Ward, S. B. 522, a bill to provide for the care and cleaning of the new State building.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 543, a bill to be entitled an act to provide the Corporation Commission with a freight rate expert and additional clerical help.
Placed on the Calendar.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:
From the Committee on Public Roads:
By Senator Washington, S. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 458 of Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County, with a favorable report.
From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:
By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 437, H. B. 306, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the Superior Courts of Lee County, with a favorable report.
From the Committee on Agriculture:
By Senator Peebles, S. B. 296, H. B. 171, a bill to amend chapter 822, Public Local Laws of 1913 of North Carolina, relative to establishing drainage districts and drainage commissions, etc., in Catawba County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Peebles, S. B. 220, H. B. 104, a bill to authorize and empower the board of drainage commissioners of Chadbourn Drainage District, in the county of Columbus, to acquire rights of way and outlets for drainage canals, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 429, H. B. 308, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to call an election to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of the roads of said county, with a favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 465, H. B. 449, a bill to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 462, H. B. 446, a bill to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 464, H. B. 448, a bill to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Printing:

By Senator Carson, S. B. 135, a bill to amend section 5092 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to the publishing of the Public and Private Laws of the Legislature, without prejudice.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Peebles, S. B. 387, a bill to create a commission on problems and conditions of rural districts, without prejudice.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 432, H. B. 281, a bill to amend, ratify, approve and confirm chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide funds for the purpose of building the roads in Yancey County." with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 435, H. B. 296, a bill to amend an act to provide good roads in Enfield Township in Halifax County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 237, H. B. 147, a bill to amend chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 in respect to the public road laws of the county of Nash, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 460, H. B. 442, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve the public roads, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 446, H. B. 338, a bill to amend section 2721 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to working public roads in Johnston County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 428, H. B. 206, a bill to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township, in Buncombe County, and levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 463, H. B. 447, a bill to provide good roads in Richlands Township, Onslow County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 457, H. B. 401, a bill to amend the charter of the town-of Ellenboro, with a favorable report.
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 448, H. B. 340, a bill to consolidate and amend the charter of the town of Elon College, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 172, a bill to amend chapter 702 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act authorizing the board of commissioners of Madison County to establish a recorder's court, with an unfavorable report.

The committee offers a substitute and recommends that the same do pass.

From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 320, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Justices of the Peace:

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 495, H. B. 331, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Smith Township, Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 501, H. B. 342, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace for Cleveland County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 494, H. B. 327, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Bertie County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 485, H. B. 367, a bill appointing a justice of the peace for Contentnea Township, Pitt County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 510, H. B. 394, a bill to appoint Colin G. Shaw a justice of the peace for Monroe Township, Union County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 310, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Beaufort County, with an unfavorable report.

The committee offers a substitute and recommends that the same do pass.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Peebles, S. B. 198, H. B. 46, a bill to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 442, Public Laws 1909, and acts amendatory thereto, applying to the Parksville Drainage District No. 1, Perquimans County, with an unfavorable report.

The committee offers a substitute and recommends that the same do pass.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 470, H. B. 451, a bill to amend chapter 447 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the working of the public roads of Wake County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 434, H. B. 292, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Number Eight Township, in said county, the question of levying a special road tax for the improvement and building of the public roads and highways in said township, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 453, H. B. 382, a bill to authorize the Elkin Graded School District to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 513, H. B. 399, a bill to establish a stock law in Duplin County, with an unfavorable report.

The committee reports a substitute and recommends that the substitute do pass.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 110, H. B. 105, a bill to prevent the delivery and
sale of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties, with an unfavorable report.

The committee reports a substitute and recommends that the substitute do pass.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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

S. B. 542, H. B. 60, a bill to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 541, H. B. 148, a bill to regulate the killing of calves under one year of age.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 540, H. B. 164, a bill to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Substitute for S. B. 539, H. B. 233, a bill to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to Morganton Township road bonds in Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. R. 538, H. R. 267, a joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies.

Placed on the Calendar.

Substitute for S. B. 537, H. B. 311, a bill to revise the charter of the town of Clinton.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 536, H. B. 389, a bill to pay W. J. Benton, of Brunswick County, pensions due him for the years 1911 and 1912.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

Substitute for S. B. 533, H. B. 406, a bill amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 531, H. B. 411, a bill to establish stock law in Yancey County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 529, H. B. 445, a bill to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act to provide good roads in Jacksonville Township, in Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 535, H. B. 504, a bill to amend chapter 126, Private Laws 1913, authorizing the surviving trustee to convey the site of Milton Male Academy to the trustees of Milton Graded School District.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 532, H. B. 505, a bill to amend chapter 608 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 534, H. B. 507, a bill to amend chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1911, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the charter of Elizabeth City, North Carolina."

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 530, H. B. 508, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace in Currituck County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 524, H. B. 68, a bill to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships, in Onslow County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

S. R. 525, H. R. 501, a joint resolution to authorize and direct the North Carolina Historical Commission to submit a design and procure estimates of the cost of the execution and erection of a suitable monument to the North Carolina troops who participated in the battle of Gettysburg.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 526, H. B. 106, a bill to authorize Pink Hill Township, in Lenoir County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

S. B. 527, H. B. 329, a bill to amend chapter 336 of the Private Laws of 1911.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

Substitute for S. B. 528, H. B. 441, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Shelby.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. R. 523, H. R. 1, a resolution relative to the appointment of a commission for the purpose of revising the system of procedure.

Referred to Judiciary Committee- No. 1.

THE CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 444, H. B. 328, a bill to require the commissioners of Watauga County to construct two public bridges in said county, one across Watauga River at or near Valle Crucis, and one across New River near Three Forks church, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 399, H. B. 177, a bill to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debts heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bridgers, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes. Hooks, Ivie, Jones.

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 354, H. B. 227, a bill authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River, upon third reading.

The amendment offered by the committee is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 398, H. B. 156, a bill to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks and fire protection, for the building of a town hall, and for street improvements, in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 431, H. B. 279, a bill to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws, regular session 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville, in Clay County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 451, H. B. 380, a bill to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy Graded School, Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bridgers, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hooks, Ivie, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLeod, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs, Studdert,

S. B. 284, H. B. 6, a bill to incorporate the Angier High School District, in Harnett County, and to authorize it to issue bonds and to levy a special tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 395, a bill to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District Number Seventeen, in Dare County, N. C., upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 357, H. B. 252, a bill to amend chapter 31 of the Private Laws of 1913, relative to Norwood Graded School District, Center Township, Stanly County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 430, H. B. 276, a bill to change the name of the town of Toisnot to that of Elm City, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 461, H. B. 443, a bill to amend chapter 361, Private Laws of 1901, so as to make the board of trustees of Sanford Graded Schools elective by the qualified voters of the district, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bridgers, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans

S. B. 449, H. B. 366, a bill to establish a graded school in Moore County, to be known as the Vass Graded School, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, as amended, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 347, H. B. 199, a bill to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the public graded schools of New Bern and the issuance of bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of public graded school buildings, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 456, H. B. 393, a bill to validate a school bond election of Aberdeen School District, Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 394, a bill to change the boundary line of Selma Graded School District, in Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 201, H. B. 53, a bill to incorporate Coats Graded School of Coats, Harnett County, and to allow it to vote on a special tax to issue bonds, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 447, H. B. 339, a bill to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District," and to ratify the election held May 14, 1913, for the issuance of the bonds authorized by said act, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 212, H. B. 87, a bill to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 416; H. B. 293, a bill to amend chapter 624 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the Recorder's Court of Tyrrell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 446, H. B. 310, a bill to provide for improvement districts and for street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bridgers, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hooks, Ivie, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLeod, Nimocks, Parsons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs, Studdert,

S. B. 454, H. B. 386, a bill to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 221, Private Laws of 1907, relative to the charter of the town of Wendell, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 442, H. B. 322, a bill to amend chapter 437 of the Private Acts of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 455, H. B. 390, a bill to amend chapter 178 of Private Laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


Committee substitute for S. B. 365, a bill to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 443, H. B. 323, a bill to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson, upon second reading.

10—Senate.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 458, H. B. 413, a bill to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, North Carolina, and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for issue of bonds and to levy tax, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the town of Morganton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 459, H. B. 440, a bill to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building and to hold an election for levying a tax for the payment thereof, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 219, H. B. 103, a bill to authorize the issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District Number Eleven, for the white and colored races, of Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bridgers, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hooks, Ivie, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLeod, Nimocks,

S. B. 438, H. B. 303, a bill to incorporate the town of West Asheville, in the county of Buncombe, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 196, H. B. 19, a bill to create Micro Graded School District, in Johnston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 213, H. B. 88, a bill to authorize the trustees of Sanford Graded Schools to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 356, H. B. 242, a bill to amend the charter of the city of High Point, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 513, H. B. 399, a bill to establish a stock law in Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 310, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted.
The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hannah, 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:

S. B. 358, H. B. 520, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Robeson County to build a double-track iron bridge across Lumber River, in the town of Lumberton, Robeson County.


S. B. 142, H. B. 477, an act to authorize the commissioners of the city of Raleigh to issue bonds.

S. B. 127, H. B. 459, an act to incorporate the Apostolic Holiness University of Guilford County.

S. B. 236, H. B. 145, an act to regulate fishing in Six Runs River, Sampson County.

S. B. 328, H. B. 471, an act to amend chapter 600, Public Local Laws of 1911.

S. B. 150, H. B. 478, an act to authorize the city of Statesville to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds for the graded schools and for other purposes.

S. B. 384, H. B. 518, an act to appoint W. S. Howell a justice of the peace for Fishing Creek Township, Granville County.

S. B. 243, H. B. 154, an act to amend chapter 71 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the Recorder’s Court of Transylvania County.

S. B. 138, H. B. 462, an act to change the name of Special Tax District Number One, in Rowland Township, Robeson County, for the white race; to create Rowland High School District; to authorize the board of trustees of said school district to issue bonds and to levy an additional special tax; to purchase property; to authorize the town of Rowland to sell its school property and use the funds arising from such sale, and for general purposes.

S. B. 303, H. B. 491, an act to validate probates of certain instruments in the county of Randolph.

S. B. 139, H. B. 463, an act to amend the charter of the town of Rowland, Robeson County, so as to provide for sewerage, waterworks, electric lights, and street improvements for said town, and to issue bonds therefor, and to create a sinking fund, and for like purposes.

S. B. 155, H. B. 480, an act to permit the town of Winterville to issue bonds for electric lights and other public works, and to levy a special tax.

S. B. 373, H. B. 516, an act to amend an act entitled “An act to provide for the election of the members of the board of drainage commissioners of Buffalo District Number One, in Cleveland County, North Carolina,” ratified on the 30th day of September, 1913.

S. B. 175, H. B. 488, an act to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

S. B. 348, H. B. 200, an act to authorize the board of aldermen of the city of New Bern to improve and repair the city hall and to contract therefor.

S. B. 352, H. B. 216, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Tyrrell County to issue bonds and levy a special tax to pay same.
S. B. 200, H. B. 50, an act to authorize the county commissioners of Buncombe County to levy a special tax in Sandy Mush Township and improve the public roads in said township, if requested by a majority of the voters of said county.

S. B. 174, H. B. 487, an act to permit Holly Springs High School District, in Wake County, to vote $10,000 of bonds.

S. B. 351, H. B. 212, an act to amend chapter 424 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to the improvement of public roads in the county of Beaufort.

S. B. 199, H. B. 47, an act to amend chapter 152 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the improvement of the public roads in Avery County.

S. B. 221, H. B. 515, an act to amend chapter 49 of the Public Local Laws, session 1913, entitled an act to consolidate and amend the road laws of Madison County as enacted by chapter 200 of the Public Local Laws of 1909, and as amended by chapter 322 of the Public Local Laws of 1911.

S. B. 163, H. R. 484, an act to amend chapter 314, Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1911, entitled "An act to amend the charter of the town of Lumberton."

S. B. 311, H. B. 493, an act to amend chapter 398 of the Public Laws of 1909, relative to the pay of the substitute recorder of New Hanover County.

S. B. 177, H. B. 489, an act to amend chapter 341 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913.

S. B. 317, H. B. 493, an act to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

S. B. 52, H. B. 458, an act to amend chapter 649, Public Local Laws 1913.

S. B. 309, H. B. 466, an act to amend chapter 276 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relative to the prosecuting attorney's fee.

S. B. 44, H. B. 456, an act to amend chapter 380 of the Public Laws of 1907, relative to the shipment of intoxicating liquors in Rutherford County.

S. B. 170, H. B. 486, an act to amend chapter 828, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, entitled "An act to create a highway commission for Madison County, and to provide funds for construction of a system of public roads and highways in said county."

S. R. 286, H. R. 45, a joint resolution requesting Congress to investigate the interpretation and administration of the act to regulate interstate commerce.

Upon motion of Senator Phillips, the Senate adjourns until tonight at 8 o'clock.

Night Session.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Upon motion of Senator Bellamy, S. B. 502, H. B. 359, a bill relative to the commissioners of navigation and pilotage, coming under section 7 of Article 14 of the Constitution of North Carolina, is withdrawn from the Committee on Constitutional Amendments and is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

Upon motion of Senator Bellamy, S. B. 473, H. B. 86, a bill to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the salary of the Paymaster General, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and is recommitted to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Upon motion of Senator Davis, S. B. 398, H. B. 156, a bill to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks and fire protection, and the building
of a town hall and for street improvements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purposes, is recalled from the enrolling clerk's office, and the vote by which it passed its third reading is reconsidered and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 458 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to road work in Bladen County, is recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:

By Senator Council, S. B. 478, H. B. 226, a bill to validate certain sales of real estate under mortgages, deeds of trust, and other instruments, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 267, H. B. 223, a bill to abolish the office of county treasurer in Pitt County, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 261, H. B. 204, a bill relating to stock law territory in Clay County, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 406, H. B. 274, a bill to prohibit the sale of wines, ciders and all intoxicants within two miles from the Baptist church at Hinsons Cross Roads, in Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 515, H. B. 412, a bill to amend chapter 549 of the Public Laws of 1899, so as to strengthen the local prohibition law of Jackson County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 401, H. B. 269, a bill to protect Smithwicks Creek Baptist church, in the county of Martin, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 374, a bill to incorporate Bethany Presbyterian church, in Union County, and to prohibit the manufacture or making of cider, wine or any other intoxicating drinks, with a favorable report.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 259, H. B. 202, a bill to repeal chapter 533, Public Local Laws of 1911, with a favorable report.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 268, H. B. 224, a bill to prohibit vicious dogs from running loose in Caswell County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 505, H. B. 379, a bill to amend chapter 497, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to stock law in Harnett County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 279, H. B. 243, a bill to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Warsaw, Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 471, H. B. 458, a bill to authorize the fence commissioners of Harnett County to sell the stock law fence, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 484, H. B. 364, a bill to repeal chapter 440, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the depredation of domestic fowls in the county of Polk, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 514, H. B. 414, a bill to incorporate Pleasant Grove Methodist church, in Wilson County, with a favorable report.
From the Judiciary Committee No. 2:
By Senator Hobgood, S. B. 235, H. B. 144, a bill to repeal chapter 750 of the
Public Local Laws of 1913, with a favorable report as amended.
From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 363, a bill to amend chapter 484, Private Laws of
1913, concerning the town of Andrews, in Cherokee County, with an unfavor-
able report.
From the Committee on Railroads:
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 115, H. B. 141, a bill relating to the Hiwassee
Valley Railway Company, chartered by chapter 254, Private Laws, regular
session 1913, with a favorable report.
By Senator Jones, S. R. 285, H. R. 44, a resolution relating to uniform
classification of freight by common carriers, with a favorable report.
By Senator Evans, of Pitt, S. B. 526, H. B. 106, a bill to authorize Pink Hill
Township, in Lenoir County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the
construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, with a
favorable report.
By Senator Evans, of Pitt, S. B. 524, H. B. 68, a bill to authorize Jackson-
ville and Swansboro townships, in Onslow County, to issue bonds for the pur-
pose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swans-
boro Railroad, with a favorable report.
By Senator Evans, of Pitt, S. B. 239, H. B. 150, a bill to provide better rail-
road facilities for the people of the town of Jacksonville, North Carolina,
with a favorable report.
From the Committee on Public Roads:
By Senator Pharr, S. B. 477, H. B. 198, a bill to amend subsection 30 of sec-
tion 1318 of The Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, relative to distribution of
road funds where township lines have been changed, with a favorable report.
From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 61, H. B. 40, a bill to establish stock law for
Bladen County, with a favorable report.
From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:
By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 512, H. B. 397, a bill to validate a certain elec-
tion in Clay County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 507, H. B. 376, a bill to establish in the county
of Hyde a special court to be called the recorder's court, and to prescribe the
jurisdiction thereof, with a favorable report.
By Senator Studdert, S. B. 542, H. B. 60, a bill to correct an error in chap-
ter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of cer-
tain deeds and other instruments, with a favorable report.
By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 216, H. B. 93, a bill for the treatment and edu-
cation of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis, with a
favorable report.
By Senator Studdert, substitute for S. B. 218, H. B. 100, a bill to amend
chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to permit certain counties in
North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county
treasurer, with a favorable report.
By Senator Studdert, S. B. 516, H. B. 444, a bill to establish a special court
for Onslow County with civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Ons-
low County Court, with a favorable report.
By Senator Council, S. B. 492, H. B. 325, a bill to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Council, S. R. 523, H. R. 1, a resolution relative to the appointment of a commission for the purpose of revising the system of procedure, with a favorable report as amended.

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 468, H. B. 436, a bill to establish a recorder's court for Chowan County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Council, S. B. 359, a bill to amend chapter 632 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the sales of merchandise in bulk, with a favorable report as amended.

By Senator Council, S. B. 371, a bill to amend section 1046 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to the release of mortgages and deeds of trust, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Payne, S. B. 445, H. B. 333, a bill to repeal chapter 541 of Public Laws of 1901, giving the commissioners of the town of Burgaw authority to construct and maintain a fence around said town, and to levy a tax for the same, with a favorable report.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 380, a bill to repeal chapter 541 of the Public Laws of North Carolina passed by the General Assembly at the session of 1901, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 413, H. B. 287, a bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider within two miles of Shiloh Presbyterian church, in Hoke County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Payne, S. B. 206, H. B. 73, a bill to amend chapter 204, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock law in Cherokee County, with a favorable report.

THE CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 367, a bill to appoint justices of the peace in Robeson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 412, H. B. 285, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace in Croatan Township, Dare County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 102, H. B. 81, a bill to appoint B. F. Parker a justice of the peace for Lane's Creek Township, in Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 60, H. B. 35, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Hertford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 403, H. B. 270, a bill to appoint three justices of the peace in Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 9, H. B. 116, a bill to allow the commissioners of the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse, for concurrence in the House amendment.
Upon motion of Senator Peterson, the Senate concurs in the House amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 61, H. B. 40, a bill to establish stock law for Bladen County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 188, a bill to amend section 441, chapter 12, Revisal of 1905, relative to validating irregular service on infants, upon second reading.

The Committee on Judiciary No. 1 offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

Substitute for S. B. 129, a bill to amend section 2 of article 2 of chapter 59 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the publication of ordinances by the city of Raleigh, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 121, H. B. 351, a bill to amend chapter 86 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the amount of bond for the county treasurer, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Bellamy, the Senate concurs in the House amendment.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 501, H. B. 342, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace for Cleveland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 222, H. B. 122, a bill appointing justices of the peace for Graham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 278, H. B. 240, a bill to appoint justices of the peace in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 87, H. B. 52, a bill to appoint J. R. Davenport a justice of the peace in Pactolus Township, Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 252, H. B. 184, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Neills Creek Township, Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 340, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace for Edgecombe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 393, a bill relating to the Superior Courts of Cumberland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 320, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 407, H. B. 275, a bill to reduce the commissioners of Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 437, H. B. 306, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the Superior Courts of Lee County, upon second reading.

The committee offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 234, H. B. 142, a bill to amend chapter 196 of Public Laws of 1913, regulating the holding of courts in Pitt County, upon second reading.

The committee offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 377, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County, North Carolina, in regard to stock running at large, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 409, H. B. 282, a bill to repeal chapter 791 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, prohibiting ticket scalping in Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for S. B. 110, H. B. 105, a bill to prevent the delivery and sale of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate substitute.

S. B. 269, H. B. 229, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace in Warren County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 100, H. B. 75, a bill to amend chapter 646, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to taxing dogs, by striking out Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 98; H. B. 71, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace in Wilkes County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 241, H. B. 152, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Ashe County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 248, H. B. 161, a bill relative to the appointment of a justice of the peace for Pigeon Township, in Haywood County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 226, H. B. 127, a bill amending chapter 184 of the Private Laws of 1913, authorizing the board of county commissioners to sell the county home, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 255, H. B. 191, a bill to appoint a certain justice of the peace for Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 368, a bill to repeal chapter 645 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to the disposition of public funds of Robeson County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 495, H. B. 331, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for Smith Township, Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 417, H. B. 297, a bill to regulate the appointment and duties of cotton weighers for the town of Dunn, in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 397, H. B. 123, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Graham County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 410, H. B. 283, a bill to amend chapter 52 of Public Local Laws of general session of 1913, relative to salary of county officers of Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 310, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort, Avery and Watauga counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 510, H. B. 394, a bill to appoint Colin G. Shaw a justice of the peace for Monroe Township, Union County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 494, H. B. 327, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Bertie County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 237, H. B. 147, a bill to amend chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 in respect to the public road laws of the county of Nash, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 485, H. B. 367, a bill appointing a justice of the peace for Contentnea Township, Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 244, H. B. 155, a bill to appoint John D. Lancaster a justice of the peace for Number Thirteen Township, Edgecombe County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 231, H. B. 138, a bill to appoint M. L. Martin a justice of the peace of Colfax Township, Rutherford County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 254, H. B. 215, a bill to appoint T. A. Berry a justice of the peace in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 240, H. B. 151, a bill to empower the board of education of Northampton County to alter the boundary line of Lasker Special School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 387, a bill to create a commission on problems and conditions in rural districts, upon second reading.

Senator Little, of Wake, calls for the ayes and noes.
The bill fails to pass second reading, ayes 15, noes 17, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Bellamy, Brown, Cook, Council, Daniel, Evans of Bladen, Ivie, Jones, Little of Wake, Nimocks, Peterson, Scott, Studdert, Wakefield, Weaver—15.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 220, H. B. 104, a bill to empower the board of drainage commissioners of Chadbourn Drainage District, in the county of Columbus, to acquire rights of way and outlets for drainage canals, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:
S. B. 428, H. B. 206, a bill to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township, in Buncombe County, and to levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:
S. B. 432, H. B. 281, a bill to amend, ratify, approve and confirm chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County," upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:
S. B. 446, H. B. 338, a bill to amend section 2721 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to working public roads in Johnston County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Parsons,

S. B. 460, H. B. 442, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve the public roads, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 435, H. B. 296, a bill to amend an act to provide good roads in Enfield Township, in Halifax County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 434, H. B. 292, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Number Eight Township, in said county, the question of levying a special road tax for the improvement and building of the public roads and highways in said township, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 439, H. B. 308, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to call an election to submit to the qualified voters of Lee County the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of the roads of said county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 296, H. B. 171, a bill to amend chapter 822, Public Local Laws 1913 of North Carolina, relative to establishing drainage districts and drainage commissions, etc., in Catawba County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt,

S. B. 524, H. B. 68, a bill to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships, in Onslow County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 526, H. B. 106, a bill to authorize Pink Hill Township, in Lenoir County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 206, H. B. 73, a bill to amend chapter 204, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock law in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 445, H. B. 333, a bill to repeal chapter 541 of Public Laws of 1901, giving the commissioners of the town of Burgaw authority to construct and maintain a fence around said town, and to levy a tax for the same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 463, H. B. 447, a bill to provide good roads in Richlands Township, Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt,

S. B. 453, H. B. 382, a bill to authorize the Elkin Graded School District to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 457, H. B. 401, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Ellenboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 448, H. B. 340, a bill to consolidate and amend the charter of the town of Elon College, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 458 of Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Evans of Bladen, the bill is referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 172, a bill to amend chapter 702 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act authorizing the board of commissioners of Madison County to establish a recorder's court, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 464, H. B. 448, a bill to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 462, H. B. 446, a bill to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 465, H. B. 449, a bill to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 39, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 198, H. B. 46, a bill to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 442, Public Laws of 1909, and acts amendatory thereto, applying to Parksville Drainage District Number One, Perquimans County, upon second reading.

The committee offers a substitute, which is adopted.

On motion of Senator Peterson, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

THIRTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 8, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.


The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Wakefield, S. B. 396, a bill to establish a public service commission for North Carolina, to define its powers and duties, and to authorize the Governor to appoint the members thereof, is recalled from the Committee on Railroads and is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Long, S. B. 501, H. B. 525, a bill to appoint certain justices of the peace for Cleveland County, is taken from the Committee on Appropriations and placed on the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Weaver, S. B. 428, H. B. 206, a bill to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township, in Buncombe County, and levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor, is referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

Upon motion of Senator McLean, S. B. 217, H. B. 97, a bill to amend chapter 382, Public Laws of 1899, is taken from the Calendar and placed upon its immediate passage.

Upon motion of Senator Barnes, S. B. 429, H. B. 246, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the
courts in the First Judicial District, is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

Upon motion of Senator Council, S. R. 552, H. R. 362, a joint resolution concerning reduction of railroad rates, is placed upon the Calendar, and is made a special order for tonight at 8 o'clock.

Upon motion of Senator Watkins, the privileges of the floor are extended to ex-Senator Blair, of Randolph County.

Upon motion of Senator Ivie, the Senate resolves itself into committee of the whole at 12:15 o'clock.

At 2 o'clock the committee rises and Senator Weaver, for the committee, reports progress and asks leave to sit again.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, S. B. 141, a bill for the relief of the Raleigh Real Estate and Trust Company, and S. B. 360, a bill for the relief of the State School for the Blind and the Deaf, are taken from the Committee on Judiciary No. 1 and placed upon the Calendar.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

The following bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 544, a bill to increase the number of commissioners of the Corporation Commission by adding two members. Placed upon the Calendar.

**REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.**

From the Committee on Railroads:

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 346, H. B. 190, a bill to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stock, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 343, H. B. 189, a bill to create the Casar Railroad District in Cleveland County and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator Barbour, S. B. 414, H. B. 288, a bill to amend chapter 435 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to salaries in Catawba County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Barbour, S. B 489, H. B. 387, a bill amending section 3001 of the Revisal of 1905, in regard to the fees to be charged for electrical inspection of buildings, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 118, a bill supplemental of and to amend the public road law of the county of Nash, as contained in chapter 451 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, with an unfavorable report.

The committee offers a substitute and recommends that the same do pass.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 452, H. B. 381, a bill to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County by special tax levy, with an unfavorable report.

The committee offers a substitute and recommends that the same do pass.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 281, H. B. 249, a bill to abolish free labor on 11—Senate.
the public roads of Pitt County under certain conditions, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 529, H. B. 445, a bill to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1911, being an act to provide good roads in Jacksonville Township, in Onslow County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 361, a bill to adjust the differences at present prevailing in Andrews School District, in Cherokee County, and to provide for the election of school trustees in said district, with an unfavorable report.

The committee offers a substitute and recommends that the same do pass.

From the Committee on Game and Game Laws:

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 424, H. B. 318, a bill to amend the deer law of Brunswick County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 518, H. B. 409, a bill to protect deer in Perquimans, Pasquotank, Gates and Graham counties, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 520, H. B. 402, a bill to regulate the hunting of foxes in Franklin County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 405, H. B. 272, a bill to amend chapter 610, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting in Scotland County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 404, H. B. 271, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the squirrel law of Wayne County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 511, H. B. 395, a bill to incorporate York School District, in Union County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 535, H. B. 504, a bill to amend chapter 126, Private Laws of 1823, authorizing the surviving trustee to convey the site of Milton Male Academy to the trustees of Milton Graded School District, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 500, H. B. 341, a bill to amend chapter 411 of the Private Laws, session 1911, and to provide for a change in the management and control of Wesley Chapel Special School District, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 496, H. B. 332, a bill to prohibit the cutting and felling of trees or brush in the waters of the run of Brooks Swamp, Wayne County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Brown, S. B. 203, H. B. 61, a bill to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the drainage of Grants Creek, in Rowan County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 58, H. B. 29, a bill to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 433, H. B. 286, a bill to incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Company, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 488, H. B. 373, a bill to incorporate Liberty church, in Number Eight Township, Madison County, N. C., with a favorable report.
From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:
By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 338, a bill to nominate and elect a chairman of the board of commissioners of Rockingham County, and to require him to devote his whole time to the business of the county, with the privilege to have same submitted to a vote of the people, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Penal Institutions:
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 185, a bill to require the State Treasurer to pay certain moneys to the State's Prison, with an unprejudiced report.
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 436, H. B. 300, a bill providing for the convicts of Perquimans County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 186, a bill to restore certain powers to the board of directors of the State's Prison, with an unprejudiced report.

From the Committee on Railroads:
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 330, a bill to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Valley Railroad Company, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Education:
By Senator Thorne, S. B. 217, H. B. 97, a bill to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899, with an unprejudiced report.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:
By Senator Barbour, S. B. 271, H. B. 231, a bill to amend chapter 307 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.
By Senator Barbour, S. B. 116, H. B. 179, a bill to amend chapter 626 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to fees in Forsyth County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Barbour, S. R. 467, a joint resolution in regard to extra compensation of the principal clerks of the General Assembly for the extra session of 1913, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Railroads:
By Senator Bryant, S. B. 539, a substitute for H. B. 233, a bill to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws of 1913, the same being an act relating to bonds by Morganton Township, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 486, H. B. 368, a bill to change the name of the town of Venable, in the county of Orange, with a favorable report.
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 528, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Shelby with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 483, H. B. 372, a bill to declare the law and regulate the management of the house of correction or reformatory of Forsyth County, established under chapter 6 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 479, H. B. 268, a bill to amend chapter 761 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 as to wholesale druggists in Guilford County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 245, H. B. 157, a bill to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Bailey, Nash County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 260, H. B. 203, a bill to prevent the depredation of domestic fowls in Caswell County, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Railroads:
By Senator Bryant, S. B. 344, H. B. 188, a bill to create the Fallston-Bell-
wood District, in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad by same, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Penal Institutions:
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 366, a bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of the Hickory Nut Gap Railroad," the same being chapter 539, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Daniel, S. B. 370, a bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of certain roads in Madison County, North Carolina, the same being chapter 464, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:
By Senator Barbour, S. B. 421, H. B. 304, a bill to amend chapter 803 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the salaries of county officers of Wake County, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Barbour, S. B. 266, H. B. 222, a bill to amend chapter 714 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to salaries of county officers of Jones County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:
By Senator Washington, S. B. 253, H. B. 211, a bill to increase the powers of the board of county commissioners of Yadkin County, for the purpose of improving the public roads, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

From the Committee on Penal Institutions:
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 184, a bill to work the State convicts on public roads, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

By Senator Daniel, S. R. 427, H. R. 454, a resolution to investigate the hiring out and assigning of convicts to certain work in the State, with an unprejudiced report.

By Senator Daniel, S. B. 187, a bill to provide for the working of convicts in Haywood County, and the construction and maintenance of public roads, with an unprejudiced report.

From the Committee on Education:
By Senator Thorne, S. B. 481, H. B. 363, a bill relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

From the Committee on Game and Game Laws:
By Senator Woodley, S. B. 419, H. B. 299, a bill to protect animals and game in parks and game reservations in either private or public parks or places, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 378, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds, with a favorable report.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 51, H. B. 457, a bill to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 546, H. B. 524, a bill providing for a special road tax levy in Spring Hill Township, Scotland County, and increasing the pay of jurors in the criminal court of Scotland County.

Referred to the Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 545, H. B. 542, a bill to validate certain acts of the deputy register of deeds of Johnston County.

Referred to the Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 547, H. B. 503, a bill to amend chapter 171, Private Laws of North Carolina, 1913, relating to the issuing of bonds for the purpose of owning, operating and maintaining a system of waterworks and electric light plant, also for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the present graded school building of the town of Spencer, North Carolina.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 548, H. B. 168, a bill relative to holding Superior Courts in Randolph County.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.

S. B. 557, H. B. 312, a bill to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 556, H. B. 547, a bill to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Morehead City Township.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. R. 552, H. R. 362, a joint resolution concerning the reduction of rates.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 551, H. B. 307, a bill to amend section 1747 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, affecting the registration of grants.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 550, H. B. 550, a bill to legalize and ratify the $2,000 of good roads bonds in Rockfish Good Roads District, Rockfish Township, Duplin County.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 549, H. B. 404, a bill to amend chapter 171, Public Laws of 1913, being an act supplemental to an act relative to dividing the State into twenty Superior Court judicial districts, and to fix the number of weeks for courts for each, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

S. B. 555, H. B. 400, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Number Five Township, Craven County.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 554, H. B. 549, a bill to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to obstructing streams.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 553, H. B. 545, a bill to promote the shrimp industry in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

**THE CALENDAR.**

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

S. B. 432, H. B. 281, a bill to amend, ratify, approve and confirm chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County," upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 446, H. B. 338, a bill to amend section 2721 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to working public roads in Johnston County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 439, H. B. 308, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to call an election to submit to the qualified voters of Lee County the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of the roads of said county, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 416, H. B. 293, a bill to amend chapter 624 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the recorder's court of Tyrrell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 442, H. B. 322, a bill to amend chapter 437 of the Private Acts of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden, by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones, Little of Anson, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Par-
sions, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs, Studdert, Thoms-

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 440, H. B. 310, a bill to provide for improvement districts and for
street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy,
Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen,
Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones,
Little of Anson, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Par-
sons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs, Studdert, Thomp-

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 454, H. B. 386, a bill to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, as
amended by chapter 221, Private Laws of 1907, relative to the charter of the
town of Wendell, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy,
Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen,
Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones,
Little of Anson, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Par-
sons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs, Studdert, Thomp-

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 459, H. B. 440, a bill to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to
borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building, and
to hold an election to levy a tax for payment thereof, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy,
Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen,
Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones,
Little of Anson, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Par-
sons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs, Studdert, Thomp-

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 460, H. B. 442, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners to submit
to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve
the public roads, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy,
Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen,
Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones,
Little of Anson, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Par-
sons, Payne, Peebles, Peterson, Pharr, Phillips, Scott, Stubbs, Studdert, Thomp-

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 428, H. B. 206, a bill to regulate the use of the public roads of Black
Mountain Township, in Buncombe, and to levy a tax on lumber companies to
provide revenue therefor, upon third reading.
Upon motion of the Senator from Buncombe, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 220, H. B. 104, a bill to empower the board of drainage commissioners of Chadbourn Drainage District, in the county of Columbus, to acquire rights-of-way and outlets for drainage canals, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 435, H. B. 296, a bill to amend an act to provide good roads in Enfield Township, in Halifax County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 434, H. B. 292, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Number Eight Township, in said county, the question of levying a special road tax for the improvement and building of public roads and highways in said township, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 438, H. B. 303, a bill to incorporate the town of West Asheville, in the county of Buncombe, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 219, H. B. 103, a bill to authorize the issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District for the white and colored races of Columbus County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. 339, H. B. 339, a bill to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District," and to ratify the election held May 14, 1913, for the issuance of bonds authorized by said act, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 201, H. B. 53, a bill to incorporate Coats Graded School of Coats, Harnett County, and to allow it to vote on a special tax to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 456, H. B. 393, a bill to validate a school bond election of Aberdeen School District, Moore County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 212, H. B. 87, a bill to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 335, a bill to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District Number Seventeen, Dare County, North Carolina, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 284, H. B. 6, a bill to incorporate the Angier High School District, in Harnett County, and to authorize it to issue bonds and to levy a special tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones, Little of Anson, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Par-
The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 431, H. B. 279, a bill to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws, regular session of 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville, in Clay County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 451, H. B. 389, a bill to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy Graded School, Cherokee County, North Carolina, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 455, H. B. 390, a bill to amend chapter 178 of Private Laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, North Carolina, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 394, a bill to change the boundary line of Selma Graded School District, in Johnston County, upon third reading.

Upon motion of Senator Barbour, the bill is tabled.

Committee substitute for S. B. 365, a bill to amend chapter 432, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 443, H. B. 323, a bill to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 458, H. B. 413, a bill to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, North Carolina, and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for issue of bonds to levy tax, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to charter of town of Morganton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 347, H. B. 199, a bill to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the public graded schools of New Bern and the issuance of bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of public graded school buildings, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 449, H. B. 366, a bill to establish a graded school in Moore County, to be known as the Vass Graded School, upon third reading.

Senator Thorne offers an amendment, which is adopted.
The bill, as amended, passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 356, H. B. 242, a bill to amend the charter of the city of High Point, upon third reading.

The Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes third reading, as amended, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 213, H. B. 88, a bill to authorize the trustees of Sanford graded schools to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 357, H. B. 252, a bill to amend chapter 31 of the Private Laws of 1913, entitled “An act providing for the erection of and equipping a graded school building in Norwood Graded School District, Center Township, Stanly County,” upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 378, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The substitute offered by the committee is adopted.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson. Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hannah, 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.

S. B. 46, H. B. 434, an act to protect sheep, hogs, cows, and other live stock in that part of Harnett County west of the Cape Fear River.

S. B. 327, H. B. 473, an act relating to the Superior Courts of Edgecombe County.

S. B. 383, H. B. 536, an act to prevent the hunting of foxes in Lee County between certain dates.

S. B. 162, H. B. 535, an act for the protection of game birds in Robeson County.

S. B. 325, H. B. 510, an act to ratify the proceedings of the commissioners of Mecklenburg County in connection with the proposed issue of $110,000 of bonds of said county to build a new county jail and construct highway bridges and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

S. B. 345, H. B. 187, an act to amend chapter 792, Public Laws of 1907, as amended by chapter 861, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Dunn Road District.

S. B. 159, H. B. 482, an act to amend subsection 12 of section 1318, chapter 23, Revisal 1905, in reference to powers and duties of county commissioners of Cherokee County.

S. B. 262, H. B. 57, an act to amend section 201 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled “An act to provide for the working of the public roads of Graham County.”

S. B. 354, H. B. 227, an act authorizing the commissioners of Stanly and Anson counties to build a bridge across Rocky River.

S. B. 160, H. B. 530, an act to amend chapter 452 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1911, entitled “An act to fix the salaries for the county officers of Wake County and to increase the road fund and the school fund.”

S. B. 316, H. B. 512, an act to incorporate the Cape Lookout and Western Railroad Company.

S. B. 293, H. B. 162, an act to provide for a road commission for Columbus County.

S. B. 318, H. B. 521, an act to allow the qualified voters of Hendersonville to issue municipal improvement bonds.

S. B. 209, H. B. 78, an act to amend chapter 269 of the Private Laws of 1913.

S. B. 305, H. B. 517, an act to change the boundary line of the town of Clarkton.

S. B. 399, H. B. 177, an act to authorize the city of Henderson to issue bonds for floating debts heretofore contracted for necessary street improvement expenses.

S. B. 444, H. B. 328, an act to require the commissioners of Watauga County
to construct two public bridges in said county; one across Watauga River at or near Valle Crucis and one across New River near Three Forks church.

S. B. 324, H. B. 514, an act to amend chapter 222 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina of 1913, authorizing the commissioners of Mecklenburg County to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness, build a new county jail, and construct certain highway bridges.

S. B. 101, H. B. 79, an act to change the time for the holding of the Superior Courts of Union and Scotland counties.

S. B. 372, H. B. 527, an act to amend section 1, chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding courts in the Fifth Judicial District.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Evans, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that he has examined the following bill and finds it to be properly engrossed:

S. B. 188, a bill to amend section 441, chapter 12, Revival of 1905, relating to validating irregular service on infants.

Upon motion of Senator Bryant, the Senate adjourns until 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

EVENING SESSION.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

The consideration of the Calendar is resumed.

S. B. 51, H. B. 457, a bill to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Little, of Wake, the Senate concurs in the House amendment.

The bill as amended passes first reading and is placed upon the Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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

S. B. 558, H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 197 of the Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

Placed on the Calendar.

Substitute for S. B. 151, H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the special school district known as Special School District No. 1, of South Whittakers Township, Nash County, North Carolina, and to change the name thereof to Red Oaks School District, and to allow said district to vote on an issue of bonds.

Referred to Committee on Education.

Substitute for S. B. 565, H. B. 371, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to Superior Courts in Surry County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 561, H. B. 244, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate the time for holding the Superior Courts in Duplin County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 564, H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal House Bill 63, special session of 1913, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913; to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the first judicial district; to remove Washington County from the second judicial district to the first judicial district.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 559, H. B. 556, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 591 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting game in Halifax County.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 562, H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled an act to increase the compensation of members of the board of education of Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 563, H. B. 557, a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider or beer within one mile of Bowmore Methodist church, in Hoke County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 560, H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

THE CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 406, H. B. 274, a bill to prohibit the sale of wines, ciders and all intoxicants within two miles from the Baptist church at Hinsons Cross Roads, in Columbus County, on second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 261, H. B. 204, a bill relating to stock law territory in Clay County.

North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 279, H. B. 243, a bill to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Warsaw, Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 514, H. B. 414, a bill to incorporate Pleasant Grove Methodist church, in Wilson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 484, H. B. 364, a bill to repeal chapter 440, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the depredations of domestic fowls in the county of Polk, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 471, H. B. 450, a bill to authorize the fence commissioners of Harnett County to sell the stock law fence, upon second reading.

Senator Peterson offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

S. B. 515, H. B. 412, a bill to amend chapter 549 of the Public Laws of 1899, so as to strengthen the local prohibition law of Jackson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 235, H. B. 144, a bill to repeal chapter 750 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

Senator Hobgood offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

S. B. 468, H. B. 436, a bill to establish a recorder's court for Chowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 426, H. B. 330, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled “An act to provide for the division of the State into judicial districts and for holding the courts,” upon second reading.

Senator Jones offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

S. B. 115, H. B. 141, a bill relating to Hiwassee Valley Railway Company, chartered by chapter 264, Private Laws, regular session 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate substitute.

S. B. 239, H. B. 150, a bill to provide better railroad facilities for the people of the town of Jacksonville, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 268, H. B. 224, a bill to prohibit vicious dogs from running loose in Caswell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 516, H. B. 444, a bill to establish a special court for Onslow County, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Onslow County Court, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 413, H. B. 287, a bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider within two miles of Shiloh Presbyterian church, in Hoke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 453, H. B. 382, a bill to authorize the Elkin Graded School District to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 524, H. B. 68, a bill to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships, in Onslow County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 296, H. B. 171, a bill to amend chapter 822, Public Local Laws 1913, of North Carolina, relative to establishing drainage districts, drainage commissions, etc., in Catawba County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 526, H. B. 106, a bill to authorize Pink Hill Township, in Lenoir County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 206, H. B. 73, a bill to amend chapter 204, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to stock law in Cherokee County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 118, a bill supplemental to and to amend the public road law of the county of Nash as contained in chapter 451 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, as amended by chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The committee offers a substitute and recommends its passage.

Upon motion of Senator Thorne, the substitute is adopted and placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 539, H. B. 233, a bill to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws of 1913, the same being an act relating to bonds by Morganton Township, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

S. B. 528, H. B. 441, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Shelby, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 344, H. B. 188, a bill to create the Fallston-Belwood District, in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad by same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 330, a bill to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Valley Railroad Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 405, H. B. 272, a bill to amend chapter 610, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting in Scotland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 404, H. B. 271, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to squirrel law in Wayne County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 488, H. B. 373, a bill to incorporate Liberty church, in Number Eight Township, Madison County, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 338, a bill to nominate and elect the chairman of the board of commissioners of Rockingham County and to require him to devote his whole time to the business of the county, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 261, H. B. 204, a bill relating to stock law territory in Clay County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 551, H. B. 207, a bill to amend section 1747 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, affecting the registration of grants, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 529, H. B. 445, a bill to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1913, and being an act to provide good roads in Jacksonville Township, in Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy,

S. B. 203, H. B. 61, a bill to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the drainage of Grants Creek, in Rowan County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 259, H. B. 202, a bill to repeal chapter 533, Public Local Laws of 1911, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 433, H. B. 236, a bill to incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 346, H. B. 190, a bill to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stocks, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 343, H. B. 189, a bill to create the Casar Railroad District, in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 452, H. B. 381, a bill to amend and modify the public road law of Pitt County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate substitute.

S. B. 380, a bill to repeal chapter 541 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at session 1901, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 218, H. B. 100, a bill to amend chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being
an act to permit certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and
trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading and is ordered placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 507, H. B. 376, a bill to establish in the county of Hyde a special court,
to be called the recorder's court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof, upon
second reading.

The committee offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings and is ordered sent
to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 512, H. B. 397, a bill to validate a certain election in Clay County, upon
second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 505, H. B. 379, a bill to amend chapter 497, Public Local Laws of 1913,
relating to stock law in Harnett County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 401, H. B. 269, a bill to protect Smithwicks Creek Baptist church, in
the county of Martin, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 374, a bill to incorporate Bethany Presbyterian church, in Union
County, and to prohibit the manufacture or making of cider, wine or any other
intoxicating drinks, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House
of Representatives.

S. B. 259, H. B. 202, a bill to repeal chapter 533, Public Local Laws of 1911,
being an act to establish a ferry across Cape Fear River at County Line
Landing, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 492, H. B. 325, a bill to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local
Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The committee offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings and is ordered
enrolled.

S. B. 483, H. B. 372, a bill to declare the law and regulate the management
of the house of correction or reformatory of Forsyth County, established
under chapter 6 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The committee offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House
of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

S. B. 479, H. B. 268, a bill to amend chapter 761 of the Public Local Laws of
1913, as to wholesale druggists in Guilford County, upon second reading.

The committee offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings and is ordered sent
to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.

S. B. 253, H. B. 211, "a bill to increase the powers of the board of county
commissioners of Yadkin County for the purpose of improving the public
roads, upon second reading.

The committee offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent
to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.
S. B. 245, H. B. 157, a bill to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Bailey, Nash County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 266, H. B. 222, a bill to amend chapter 714 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to salaries of county officers of Jones County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 481, H. B. 363, a bill relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

S. B. 55, H. B. 29, a bill to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 414, H. B. 288, a bill to amend chapter 435 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to salaries in Catawba County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 419, H. B. 299, a bill to protect animals in Fairview Park. Stanly County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 486, H. B. 368, a bill to change the name of the town of Venable, in the county of Orange, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 116, H. B. 179, a bill to amend chapter 626 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to fees in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 436, H. B. 300, a bill providing for the convicts of Perquimans County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 511, H. B. 395, a bill to incorporate York Graded School District, in Union County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 535, H. B. 504, a bill to amend chapter 126, Private Laws 1823, authorizing the surviving trustee to convey the site of Milton Male Academy to the trustees of Milton Graded School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 271, H. B. 231, a bill to amend chapter 307 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the auditor of Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 500, H. B. 341, a bill to amend chapter 411 of the Private Laws, session 1911, and to provide for a change in the management and control of Wesley Chapel Special School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 496, H. B. 332, a bill to prohibit the cutting and felling of trees or brush in the waters of the run of Brooks Swamp, Wayne County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for S. B. 361, a bill to provide for the election of trustees of Andrews School District, in Cherokee County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 424, H. B. 318, a bill to amend the deer law of Brunswick County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 518, H. B. 409, a bill to protect deer in Perquimans, Pasquotank, Gates and Graham counties, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 520, H. B. 402, a bill to regulate the hunting of foxes in Franklin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 217, H. B. 97, a bill to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 198, H. B. 46, a bill to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 442, Public Laws of 1909, and acts amendatory thereto, applying to Parksville Drainage District Number One, Perquimans County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 465, H. B. 449, a bill to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 462, H. B. 446, a bill to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 464, H. B. 448, a bill to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Hall,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 448, H. B. 340, a bill to consolidate and amend the charter of the town of Elon College, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 445, H. B. 333, a bill to repeal chapter 541 of Public Laws of 1901, giving the commissioners of the town of Burgaw authority to construct and maintain a fence around said town, and to levy a tax for the same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 463, H. B. 447, a bill to provide good roads in Richlands Township, Onslow County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 457, H. B. 401, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Ellenboro, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 537, H. B. 311, a bill to revise the charter of the town of Clinton, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes none, as follows:

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hannah, 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:

S. B. 432, H. B. 281, an act to amend, ratify, approve and confirm chapter 603 of the Public Local Laws, regular session of 1913, entitled "An act to provide funds for the purpose of building roads in Yancey County."


Upon motion of Senator Jones, the Senate adjourns until 8 o'clock tonight.

NIGHT SESSION.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, the vote upon which S. B. 439, H. B. 308, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to call an election to submit to the qualified voters of Lee County the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of the roads in said county, is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the table.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the President lays before the Senate S. R. 552, H. R. 362, a joint resolution concerning reduction of railroad rates, upon second reading.

Senator Hobgood asks for the roll call upon the passage of the bill, and the call is sustained.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes 13, as follows:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Barbour, Bellamy, Carson, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Grant, Hall, Jones, Mashburn, McLeod, Nimocks, Ward, Wakefield—13.

Senators Evans of Pitt and Thorne are paired, Senator Thorne voting aye, Senator Evans of Pitt voting no.

Upon motion of Senator McLeod, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

FOURTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 9, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. R. F. Taylor.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Wakefield, the vote by which S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the town of Morganton, is reconsidered and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Daniel, leave of absence is granted to Senator Carson until tomorrow.
Upon motion of Senator Ivie, the Senate resolves itself into committee of the whole at 11:30 o'clock.

At 1 o'clock the committee rises and Senator Weaver, for the committee, reports progress and asks leave to sit again.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 540, H. B. 164, a bill to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 499, H. B. 337, a bill to amend chapter 755 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the pay of the commissioners of Haywood County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator McLean, S. B. 26, a bill to provided for the erection of a suitable building by the Department of Agriculture, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 527, H. B. 329, a bill to amend chapter 336 of the Private Laws of 1911, with an unfavorable report.

From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 545, H. B. 542, a bill to validate certain acts of the deputy register of deeds of Johnston County, with a favorable report.

From the Judiciary Committee No. 2:

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 411, H. B. 284, a bill to establish an inferior court for Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 422, H. B. 305, a bill to amend chapter 214, Public Local Laws 1911, relative to increase of the salary of the clerk of the superior court of Person County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. R. 469, H. R. 453, a resolution endorsing the efforts of the American Bar Association to secure uniformity in Federal and State procedure in civil cases, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 262, H. B. 205, a bill to amend chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913, relative to Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 375, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Thomasville, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 249, H. B. 163, a bill to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of the State of North Carolina of the session of 1913, relative to Camden County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 275, H. B. 236, a bill to establish a recorder's court for Currituck County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 482, H. B. 365, a bill to establish a county court for Wilson County, with a favorable report as amended.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 247, H. B. 160, a bill to repeal chapter 587 of the Acts of General Assembly of 1913, regular session, concerning fishing in Slocum's Creek, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 402, H. B. 213, a bill amending section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, affecting superior courts of Moore County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 272, H. B. 232, a bill to amend chapter 313, Private Laws of North Carolina, 1911, as amended and reënacted by chapter 334, Private Laws of 1913, relative to Yancey County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 277, H. B. 239, a bill to amend chapter 652, section 1, relative to pay of jurors in Forsyth County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 151, H. B. 479, a bill to enlarge the special school district known as Special School District No. 1, of South Whitakers Township, Nash County, North Carolina, and to change the name thereof to Red Oak School District, and to allow said school district to vote on an issue of bonds, with a favorable report as amended by the committee.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 546, H. B. 524, a bill providing for a special road tax levy in Spring Hill Township, Scotland County, and increasing the pay of jurors in the criminal court of Scotland County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Game and Game Laws:

By Senator Woodley, S. B. 408, H. B. 280, a bill to amend chapter 591, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the game laws of Rowan County, with a favorable report as amended.

From the Committee on Railroads:

By Senator Jones, a substitute for S. B. 131, a bill to amend chapter 344 of the Private Laws of 1899, incorporating the Salisbury and Fayetteville Coast Line Railway Company, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 190, H. B. 298, a bill to amend chapter 316, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the board of health of New Hanover County, with a favorable report as amended.

From the Judiciary Committee No. 2:

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 411, H. B. 284, a bill to establish an inferior court for Columbus County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 487, H. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 73 of Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to judgment of nonsuit in criminal cases, with a favorable report.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 400, H. B. 221, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the superior courts of the State.

The committee asks that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 548, H. B. 168, a bill relative to holding superior courts in Randolph County.

The committee asks that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 508, H. B. 374, a bill to establish a special court for Richmond County, with criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Richmond County Court, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Agriculture:

By Senator Peebles, S. B. 541, H. B. 148, a bill to regulate the killing of calves under one year of age, without prejudice.
By Senator Peebles, S. B. 493, H. B. 326, a bill relative to drainage in Gaston County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

By Senator Barbour, S. B. 473, H. B. 86, a bill to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the salary of the Paymaster-General, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 550, H. B. 550, a bill to legalize and ratify the $2,000 of good roads bonds in Rockfish Good Roads District, Rockfish Township, Duplin County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Washington, S. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 458 of Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County, with a favorable report as amended.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Davis, S. B. 299, H. B. 295, a bill to amend chapter 969, Public Laws of 1907, and chapter 585, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the oyster industry, with a favorable report as amended.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 107, H. B. 96, a bill to amend chapter 752, section 4 thereof, of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to fishing in Duplin County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Appropriations:

By Senator Gilliam, S. R. 475, H. R. 182, a resolution in favor of T. G. Cobb, Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 154, a bill to appropriate $1,000 to Mrs. Carrie White, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 480, H. B. 361, a bill to make Town Creek, in Brunswick County, a lawful fence, only from the mouth of said creek to Indigo Creek in said county, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 519, H. B. 403, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Brunswick County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Fish and Fisheries:

By Senator Gilliam, S. B. 274, H. B. 235, a bill to repeal chapter 758, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to the passage of fish in Linville River, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Barnes, S. B. 481, H. B. 363, a bill relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the town of Morganton, with a favorable report on the substitute.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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

S. B. 566, H. B. 388, a bill authorizing the board of road supervisors of
Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public
highways.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 567, H. B. 561, a bill to amend chapter 406 of the Public Local Laws of
1913, relative to the public roads from Thurman, North Carolina, to Trap Hill,
Wilkes County, North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 314, H. B. 495, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Local Laws of
1913, relative to the time of holding court in Brunswick County.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.
S. B. 573, H. B. 241, a bill to amend chapter 122, Public Laws of 1913.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 574, H. B. 290, a bill to amend the graded school charter of the town of
North Wilkesboro.
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 575, H. B. 309, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to
submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for
the payment of certain indebtedness incurred in advertising in creation of the
county.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. R. 572, H. R. 396, a joint resolution to authorize the sale of thirty-five
acres of land in the southeastern limits of the city of Raleigh, now used by the
Institution for the Blind.
Referred to Committee on Institutions for the Blind.
S. B. 571, H. B. 378, a bill to amend chapter 173, Public Laws of 1913, ent-
titled "An act to make school attendance compulsory." (This act applies to
Madison and Avery counties only.)
Referred to Committee on Education.
S. B. 570, H. B. 415, a bill to amend the road law of Halifax County, as con-
tained in chapter 444 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.
Referred to Committee on Public Roads.
S. B. 569, H. B. 546, a bill appointing justices of the peace in the counties
of Wilkes, Pender, Dare, Yancey, Jones, Burke, Perquimans, Gaston, Wake,
New Hanover, Brunswick, and Avery.
Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.
S. B. 568, H. B. 554, a bill to amend chapter 529 of the Public Local Laws of
1911, entitled "An act to protect fish in Robeson County."
Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as
follows:
S. B. 537, H. B. 311, a bill to revise the charter of the town of Clinton, upon
third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:
Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Bridgers,
Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen.
Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Ivie, Jones, Little of
Anson, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, McLeod, Nimocks, Par-

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 198, H. B. 46, a bill to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 442, Public Laws 1901, and acts amendatory thereto, applying to Parksville Drainage District No. 1, Perquimans County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 528, H. B. 441, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Shelby, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 344, H. B. 188, a bill to create the Fallston-Bellwood District, in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad by same, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 330, a bill to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Valley Railroad Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 217, H. B. 97, a bill to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Bridgers, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen,

The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 539, H. B. 233, a bill to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws 1913, relating to Morganton Township road bonds, in Burke County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 529, H. B. 445, a bill to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1913, and being an act to provide good roads in Jacksonville Township, in Onslow County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 433, H. B. 286, a bill to incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Company, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 203, H. B. 61, a bill to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the drainage of Grants Creek, in Rowan County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 346, H. B. 190, a bill to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stocks, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 343, H. B. 189, a bill to create the Casar Railroad District, in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:
The bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 118, a bill supplemental to and to amend the public road law of the county of Nash, as contained in chapter 451 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, as amended by chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:
S. B. 481, H. B. 363, a bill relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:
Upon motion of Senator Mashburn, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Education.
S. B. 51, H. B. 457, a bill to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 43, noes none, as follows:
S. B. 547, H. B. 503, a bill to amend chapter 171, Private Laws of North Carolina, 1913, relating to the issuing of bonds for the purpose of owning, operating and maintaining a system of waterworks and electric light plant, also for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the present graded school building of the town of Spencer, North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 48, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 378, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 48, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 135, a bill to amend section 5092 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to the publishing of the Public and Private Laws of the Legislature, upon second reading.

Senator Pharr offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 544, a bill to increase the number of Commissioners of the Corporation Commission, by adding two members, and to direct said commission to revise freight rates, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Bryant, the bill is referred to Committee on Railroads.

Upon motion of Senator Daniel, the Senate adjourns until 8 o'clock tonight.

Night Session.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Reports from Committees.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Senator Bryant, S. B. 194, a bill to incorporate Piedmont Protective Agency for Rowan County, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Railroads:

By Senator Bryant, substitute for S. B. 544, a bill to increase the number of commissioners of the Corporation Commission by adding two members, and to direct said commission to revise freight rates, with a favorable report.

By Senator Jones, S. B. 164, a bill to regulate the stopping of trains in North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.

13—Senate.
From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 533, H. B. 406, a bill amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 534, H. B. 507, a bill to amend chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1911, entitled “An act to revise and consolidate the charter of Elizabeth City, North Carolina,” with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 532, H. B. 505, a bill to amend chapter 608 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 531, H. B. 411, a bill to establish stock law in Yancey County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 556, H. B. 547, a bill to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Morehead City Township, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Railroads:
By Senator Jones, S. B. 452, H. B. 560, a bill to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County by special tax levy, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator ————, S. B. 396, a bill to establish a public service commission for North Carolina and to define its powers and duties, and to authorize the Governor to appoint the members thereof, with an unprejudiced report.

From the Committee on Insurance:
By Senator Pharr, S. R. 148, a joint resolution to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies, favorably, with a minority report.

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:
By Senator Ward, S. B. 476, H. B. 194, a bill to amend section 1 of chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the division of the State into judicial districts and the holding of courts therein, with a favorable report as amended.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 107, H. B. 96, a bill to amend chapter 752, section 4 thereof, of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to fishing in Duplin County, upon second reading. The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 519, H. B. 403, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Brunswick County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law, upon second reading. The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 299, H. B. 295, a bill to amend chapter 969, Public Laws of 1907, and chapter 585, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the oyster industry, upon second reading.
An amendment offered by the Committee on Fish and Fisheries is adopted. The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.
S. B. 508, H. B. 374, a bill to establish a special court for Richmond County, with criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Richmond County Court, upon second reading. The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 190, H. B. 208, a bill to amend chapter 316, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the board of health of New Hanover County, upon second reading.
An amendment offered by the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.
- S. B. 499, H. B. 337, a bill to amend chapter 755 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the pay of the commissioners of Haywood County, upon second reading.
- The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
- S. B. 545, H. B. 542, a bill to validate certain acts of the deputy register of deeds of Johnston County, upon second reading.
- The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
- S. B. 411, H. B. 284, a bill to establish an inferior court for Columbus County, upon second reading.
- The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
- S. R. 469, H. R. 453, a resolution endorsing the efforts of the American Bar Association to secure uniformity in Federal and State procedure in civil cases, upon second reading.
- The resolution passes second reading.
- Upon motion of Senator Phillips, further consideration of this resolution is postponed.
- S. B. 487, H. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 73 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to judgment of nonsuit in criminal cases, upon second reading.
- The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
- S. R. 467, a joint resolution in regard to extra compensation of the principal clerks of the General Assembly for the extra session of 1913, upon second reading.
- The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
- S. B. 540, H. B. 164, a bill to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library, upon second reading.
- The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
- S. B. 473, H. B. 86, a bill to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the salary of the Paymaster General, upon second reading.
- The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
- S. B. 218, H. B. 100, a bill to amend chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to permit certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer, upon third reading.
- The bill passes third reading and is ordered enrolled.
- S. B. 216, H. B. 93, a bill for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis, upon second reading.
- An amendment offered by Judiciary Committee No. 1 is adopted.
- The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.
- S. B. 482, H. B. 365, a bill to establish a county court for Wilson County, upon second reading.
- An amendment offered by the Committee on Judiciary No. 2 is adopted.
- The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.
S. B. 262, H. B. 205, a bill to amend chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913, relative to Columbus County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 249, H. B. 163, a bill to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of the State of North Carolina of the session of 1913, relative to Camden County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 277, H. B. 239, a bill to amend chapter 652, section 1, relative to pay of jurors in Forsyth County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 272, H. B. 232, a bill to amend chapter 313, Private Laws of North Carolina, 1911, as amended and reënacted by chapter 324, Private Laws of 1913, relative to Yancey County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 402, H. B. 213, a bill amending section 1, chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, affecting the superior courts of Moore County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.


The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 422, H. B. 305, a bill to amend chapter 214, Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to increase of the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Person County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for S. B. 131, a bill to amend chapter 344 of the Private Laws of of 1899, Incorporating the Salisbury and Fayetteville Coast Line Railway Company, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the substitute offered by the committee.

S. B. 408, H. B. 280, a bill to amend chapter 591, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the game laws of Rowan County, upon second reading.

An amendment offered by the Committee on Game and Game Laws is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 389, a bill to amend chapter 632 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to sales of merchandise in bulk, upon second reading.

The Judiciary Committee No. 1 offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Senator Hannah offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 187, a bill to provide for the working of convicts in Haywood County and the construction and maintenance of public roads, upon second reading.

The bill fails to pass second reading.

S. B. 184, a bill to work the State convicts on public roads, upon second reading.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 189, H. B. 26, a bill to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal, upon second reading.

Senator Bridgers offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 559, H. B. 556, a bill to amend chapter 591 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to hunting game in Halifax County, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Daniel, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 565, H. B. 371, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to Superior Courts in Surry County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 275, H. B. 236, a bill to establish a recorder's court for Currituck County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 493, H. B. 326, a bill relative to drainage in Gaston County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 550, H. B. 550, a bill to legalize and ratify the $2,000 of good roads bonds in Rockfish Good Roads District, Rockfish Township, Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 458 of Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County, upon second reading.

The bill, as amended by the committee, passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 546, H. B. 524, a bill providing for a special road tax levy in Spring Hill Township, Scotland County, and increasing the pay of jurors in the criminal court of Scotland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 151, H. B. 479, a bill enlarging the boundaries of School District No. 1, in South Whittakers Township, Nash County, and authorizing a bond issue therein, upon second reading.

The bill, as amended, passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Coffey, Cook, Council, Evans of Bladen, Gilliam, Grant, Hall,

S. B. 375, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Thomasville, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Phillips, the bill is tabled.

Upon motion of Senator Little of Wake, the Senate adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

FIFTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 10, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. A. D. Wilcox.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, S. B. 212, H. B. 87, a bill to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District, and S. B. 213, H. B. 88, a bill to authorize the trustees of Sanford Graded School to issue bonds, are recalled from the enrolling clerk's office for the purpose of amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Pharr, the vote by which S. B. 135, a bill to amend section 5092 of The Revival of 1905, relative to the publishing of the Public and Private Laws of the Legislature, is reconsidered, and the bill is ordered placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Daniel, S. B. 570, H. B. 415, a bill to amend the road law of Halifax County, as contained in chapter 444 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, is taken from the Committee on Public Roads and placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Daniel, the Senate resolves itself into committee of the whole at 10:45 o'clock.

At 2 o'clock the committee rises, and Senator Weaver, for the committee, reports progress.

Upon motion of Senator Hobgood, S. B. 560, H. B. 452, a bill to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina, is made a special order for tonight at 8 o'clock.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

By Senator Studdert, S. B. 576, a bill to authorize and empower the policemen of the city of Washington to make arrests for the violation of city ordinances as they do for the violation of State offenses.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hannah, S. B. 577, a bill to repeal the charter of Crestmont, being S. B. 304, H. B. 509, special session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Hawes, S. B. 578, a bill to establish stock law in Pender County.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 579, a bill to repeal H. B. 350, S. B. 120, "An act to
give the mayor and aldermen of the city of Washington, N. C., authority to pay the chief of police what his services are worth.”

Placed on the Calendar.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Judicial Districts:

By Senator Ward, S. B. 400, H. B. 221, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State, with a favorable report as amended.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 549, H. B. 404, a bill to amend chapter 171, Public Laws of 1913, being an act supplemental to an act relative to dividing the State into twenty Superior Court judicial districts and to fix the number of weeks for each, and for other purposes, with a favorable report.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 548, H. B. 168, a bill relative to holding Superior Courts in Randolph County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Phillips, S. B. 428, H. B. 206, a bill to regulate the use of the public roads in Black Mountain Township, in Buncombe County, and levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor, with a favorable report.

By Senator Pharr, substitute for S. B. 566, H. B. 388, a bill authorizing the board of road supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public highways, with a favorable report.

From the Judiciary Committee No. 2:

By Senator Stubbs, S. B. 502, H. B. 350, a bill relative to the commissioners of navigation and pilotage coming under section 7 of Article XIV of the Constitution of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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

S. B. 598, H. B. 590, a bill to be entitled an act to appoint a justice of the peace for a certain township in Transylvania County.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 597, H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent dragnets being used in the waters of Rose Bay and its tributaries, of Hyde County.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 589, H. B. 591, a bill to be entitled an act to authorize steamboat companies to condemn land for wharf and warehouse facilities when necessary to serve the convenience of the public.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 585, H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Machinery Act of 1913, with reference to settlement of State taxes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 130, H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled an act to provide for the protection and keeping up of the public roads of Anson County, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 599, H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled an act supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to authorize the
road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 590, H. B. 552, a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to an act ratified on the 3d day of October, 1913, being "An act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913," and being an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Greene County and to provide for special tax for the same and to facilitate the disposition of road bonds.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. R. 591, H. R. 266, a joint resolution in regard to extra pay for the pages of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 594, H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in Wayne County.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 593, H. B. 578, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 20 of chapter 560 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting of birds in Warren County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.

S. B. 592, H. B. 574, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 223, Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws 1909, entitled 'An act to establish a special criminal court in the city of Durham and Durham Township, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.'"

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 596, H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 339 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, relative to the Ansonville High School District.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 584, H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled an act to require a second sale of real estate by mortgagees, trustees and those making sale by virtue of the powers contained in wills.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 585, H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 84 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.

S. B. 586, H. B. 594, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 273 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to Polk County road law.

Referred to Committee on Public Roads.

S. B. 587, H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled an act for the benefit of the clerk of the Superior Court of Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 600, H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled an act to provide an expert accountant for the Corporation Commission and otherwise provide clerical assistance.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 594, H. B. 543, a bill to be entitled an act relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.
S. B. 588, H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled an act to amend section 1, Public Laws of 1907, so as to increase pensions of the fourth class from $30 to $32.
Placed upon the Calendar.
S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.
S. B. 602, H. B. 553, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Onslow County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 608, H. B. 277, a bill for the protection of the public and regulating public shows.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 580, H. B. 572, a bill amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act to amend the law relating to the time of holding courts in Washington and Beaufort counties."
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

THE CALENDAR.

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 577, a bill to repeal the charter of Crestmont, being S. B. 304, H. B. 509, special session of 1913, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 576, a bill to authorize and empower the policemen of the city of Washington to make arrests for the violation of city ordinances as they do for the violation of State offenses, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 578, a bill to establish stock law in Pender County, upon second reading.
The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.
S. B. 185, a bill to require the State Treasurer to pay certain moneys to the State's Prison, upon second reading.
The bill fails to pass.
S. B. 400, H. B. 221, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being "An act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State," upon second reading.
An amendment offered by the committee is adopted.
The bill passes second and third readings, as amended by the Committee on Judicial Districts, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in Senate amendment.
S. B. 579, a bill to repeal H. B. 350, S. B. 120, "An act to give the mayor and aldermen of the city of Washington, North Carolina, authority to pay the chief of police what his services are worth," upon second reading.
On motion of Senator Studdert, the bill is tabled.
S. B. 570, H. B. 415, a bill to amend the road law of Halifax County, as contained in chapter 444 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon second reading.
Upon motion of Senator Daniel, the bill is tabled.
S. B. 549, H. B. 404, a bill to amend chapter 171, Public Laws of 1913, being an act supplemental to an act relative to dividing the State into twenty Superior Court judicial districts and to fix the number of weeks of courts for each, and for other purposes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 548, H. B. 168, a bill relative to holding Superior Courts in Randolph County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 51, H. B. 457, a bill to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $25,000 in bonds for school buildings, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 118, a bill supplemental to and to amend the public road law of the county of Nash, as contained in chapter 451 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, as amended by chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 547, H. B. 503, a bill to amend chapter 171, Private Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the issuing of bonds for the purpose of owning, operating and maintaining a system of waterworks and electric light plant, also for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the present graded school building of the town of Spencer, North Carolina, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 378, a bill to authorize the board of commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 44, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Pitt, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones, Little of Anson, Little of Wake, Long, Lovingood, Mashburn, Mason, McLean, McLeod,

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

**ENGROSSED BILLS.**

Senator Hannah, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that he has examined the following engrossed bills, and finds them to be properly engrossed:

S. B. 389, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 632 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the sales of merchandise in bulk.

S. B. 184, a bill to be entitled an act to work the State convicts on public roads.

Upon motion of Senator Hannah, the Senate adjourns until 3:30 o'clock p.m.

**Evening Session.**

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Upon motion of Senator Bellamy, S. B. 314, H. B. 495, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of holding courts in Brunswick County, is recalled from the Committee on Judiciary No. 1 and placed upon the Calendar, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Ivie, the Senate resolves itself into committee of the whole at 5:35 o'clock.

At 7 o'clock the committee rises, and Senator Weaver, for the committee, reports progress.

**Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.**

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

By Senator Hobgood, S. B. 581, a bill supplemental to and amendatory of H. B. 355, S. B. 126, being file No. 141 in the office of the Secretary of State, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, at the special session of the General Assembly of North Carolina of said year, and being an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, to wit, charter of the city of Greensboro.

Referred to the Calendar Committee.

S. R. 582, a resolution to pay the widow of the late W. G. Hall, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, for full time, and to pay John S. Williams the sum of four dollars per day and mileage for services he has rendered in the place of the Sergeant-at-Arms since the latter became unable, by reason of sickness, to perform these duties.

Referred to the Calendar Committee.

S. B. 583, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 202, of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the county board of education of Wake County."

Referred to the Calendar Committee.

**Reports from Committees.**

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:

By Senator Daniel, S. B. 429, H. B. 246, a bill to amend section 1, chapter
196, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding the courts in the first judicial district, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Education:
By Senator Thorne, S. B. 562, H. B. 558, a bill to increase the compensation of members of the board of education of Johnston County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 481, H. B. 363, a bill relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Finance:
By Senator Cook, S. B. 490, H. B. 289, a bill to provide for the disposition of any money received from sale of books by the State Librarian, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 563, H. B. 557, a bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider or beer within one mile of Bowmore Methodist church, in Hoke County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Constitutional Amendments:
By Senator Ivie, S. B. 521, a bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, with a favorable report.

By Senator Ivie, S. R. 149, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to draw the general laws to become necessary in the event of the ratification of the proposed constitutional amendments, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Ivie, S. B. 136, a bill to amend Article X of the Constitution of North Carolina, in the manner prescribed by law, relative to homestead and personal property exemption, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Ivie, S. B. 335, a bill to amend Article XI, section 21, of the Constitution of North Carolina, according to the provisions of law, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Ivie, S. B. 23, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 574, H. B. 290, a bill to amend the graded school charter of the town of North Wilkesboro, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Health:
By Senator Evans of Bladen, S. B. 491, H. B. 320, a bill to establish a medical depository for the city of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, with a favorable report.

From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:
By Senator Council, S. B. 492, H. B. 325, a bill to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, in reference to improving the public roads in Albemarle Township, in Stanly County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Council, S. B. 573, H. B. 241, a bill to amend chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913, with a favorable report.

By Senator Daniel, S. B. 580, H. B. 572, a bill amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act to amend the law relating to the time of holding courts in Washington and Beaufort counties," with an unfavorable report.
By Senator Daniel, S. B. 564, H. B. 551, a bill to repeal H. B. 62, special session of 1913, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding courts in the first judicial district, to remove Washington County from the second judicial district to the first judicial district, with a favorable report.

The Calendar.

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

S. B. 428, H. B. 206, a bill to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township, in Buncombe County, and levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to charter of the town of Morganton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 560, H. B. 452, a bill to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina, upon second reading.

Senator Little of Wake offers the following amendment:

Amend by adding to section 6 the following:

"Provided, further, that the rates now in force on the line or lines of any railroad within the State of North Carolina, which does not own, operate, control or maintain as much as one hundred miles of railroad shall become and remain the maximum rates to be charged on any such line or lines until such Corporation Commission or other commission or body so having jurisdiction and power conferred on it by the General Assembly of North Carolina to fix rates, shall, under the provisions of this act, fix other maximum rates, higher or lower, on such line or lines, after notice to the company owning, operating or controlling the same."

The amendment fails to pass, ayes 19, noes 26, as follows:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Bry-

Senator Ward offers the following amendment, which is adopted, ayes 32, noes 12, as follows:

"Amend by adding the following:

"SECTION 14. Where any railroad company operating a line of railroad within this State, has within twelve months prior to the ratification of this act, for the purpose of connecting disconnected portions of its line of railroad, or extending its main line, constructed or caused to be constructed, exclusive of the sidings and double tracks, as much or more than twenty-five miles of new railroad in this State, then the provisions of this act as to rates shall not apply to the line of railroad of such company within three years from the date of the ratification of this act: Provided, however, that the Corporation Commission or other body having jurisdiction under the laws of this State to make or pass upon rates for common carriers, may at any time within said three years investigate the reasonableness of the rates contained in this act as applied to such railroad company, and if upon such investigation it shall appear that the rates contained in this act when applied to the line of railroad of such company will yield a revenue from intrastate traffic which will be reasonably compensatory to such railroad company, then the Corporation Commission or other body having jurisdiction to make or pass upon rates for common carriers, shall make an order applying the rates contained in this bill to the whole or any part of the line of railroad of such company."


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Bellamy, Carson, Coffey, Daniel, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Hannah, Jones, Lovingood, Mason, Wakefield—12.

Senator Bryant offers an amendment, which is adopted, ayes 39, noes 6, as follows:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Gilliam, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Mashburn, Stubbts—6.

Senator Ward offers an amendment, which fails to pass, ayes 7, noes 38, as follows:

"Amend by striking out section 9."

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Bridgers, Coffey, Little of Anson, Long, Mason, Peterson, Ward—7.

Those voting in the negative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Bellamy, Bryant, Carson, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Grant, Hall, Hannah, Hawes, Hobgood, Hooks, Ivie, Jones, Little of

The bill, as amended, passes second reading, ayes 33, noes 6, as follows:


The bill passes third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendments.

S. R. 538, H. R. 287, a joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 546, H. B. 524, a bill providing for a special road tax levy in Spring Hill Township, Scotland County, and increasing the pay of jurors in the criminal court of Scotland County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 369, a bill to amend chapter 458 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 550, H. B. 550, a bill to legalize and ratify the $2,000 of good roads bonds in Rockfish Good Roads District, Rockfish Township, Duplin County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 151, H. B. 479, a bill to enlarge the special school district known as Special School District Number One, of South Whitakers Township, Nash
County, North Carolina, and to change the name to Red Oak School District, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 38, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 533, H. B. 406, a bill amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ages 38, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 574, H. B. 290, a bill to amend the graded school charter of the town of North Wilkesboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ages 38, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 581, a bill supplemental to and amendatory of H. B. 355, S. B. 126, being file No. 141 in the office of the Secretary of State, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, at the special session of the General Assembly of North Carolina of said year, and being an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, to wit, the charter of the city of Greensboro, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 582, a resolution to pay the widow of the late W. G. Hall, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, for full time, and to pay John F. Williams the sum of four dollars per day and mileage for services he has rendered in the place of the Sergeant-at-Arms since the latter became unable by reason of sickness to perform those duties, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 470, H. B. 451, a bill to amend chapter 447 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the working of the public roads of Wake County, upon second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Little of Wake, the bill is laid upon the table.

S. B. 566, H. B. 388, a bill authorizing the board of road supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public highways, upon second reading.
An amendment offered by the committee is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 594, H. B. 579, a bill to prevent stock from running at large in Wayne County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 589, H. B. 591, a bill to authorize steamboat companies to condemn land for wharf and warehouse facilities when necessary to serve the convenience of the public, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 591, H. R. 266, a joint resolution in regard to extra pay for the pages of the Senate and of the House of Representatives, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Senators Bryant, Evans of Pitt, Jones, Little of Anson, and Mason desire to be recorded as voting in the negative.

S. B. 364, H. B. 543, a bill relative to the duty of drainage commissioners of Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County, for concurrence in the House amendment.

The Senate concurs in the House amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

NIGHT SESSION.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Appropriations:

By Senator Long, S. B. 141, a bill for the relief of the Raleigh Real Estate and Trust Company, with a favorable report.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 466, a bill to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded.

The committee recommends that the bill do not pass, but that the substitute offered by the committee do pass.

From the Committee on Election Law:

By Senator Mason, S. B. 498, H. B. 335, a bill to amend chapter 509 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to elections in New Hanover County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Education:

By Senator Peterson, S. B. 212, H. B. 87, a bill to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Institutions for the Blind:

By Senator Little of Anson, S. R. 572, H. R. 396, a joint resolution to authorize the sale of thirty-five acres of land in the southeastern limits of the city of Raleigh now used by the Institutions for the Blind, with a favorable report.

THE CALENDAR.

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

S. R. 538, H. R. 267, a joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies, upon second reading.

14—Senate.
The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled. S. B. 212, H. B. 87, a bill to change the boundaries of Sanford Graded School District, upon second reading.

The amendment offered by Senator Peterson is adopted.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Evans of Pitt, the Senate adjourns until 9 o'clock tomorrow.

SIXTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 11, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. T. W. O'Kelley.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Ward, the vote by which S. B. 560, H. B. 452, a bill to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina, is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, S. B. 517, H. B. 410, a bill to amend chapter 496 of the Public Local Laws of 1913 of North Carolina, is recalled from the Committee on Election Law and placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Pharr, a conference committee, consisting of Senators Phillips, Jones, and Little of Anson, is appointed to confer with a similar committee of the House of Representatives, upon Senate Bill 130, a bill to provide for the protection and keeping up of the public roads of Anson County.

Upon motion of Senator Ivie, S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, is recalled from the Committee on Constitutional Amendments and placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator, Jones, S. B. 50, a bill to provide for the segregation of races, is recalled from the Judiciary Committee No. 2 and placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Lovingood, S. B. 503, H. B. 370, a bill to amend section 5428 of The Revisal of 1905, relating to taxes in Graham County, is recalled from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Barnes, a committee consisting of Senators Grant, Ivie, and Weaver, is appointed to look after the engrossing of S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.

Upon motion of Senator Coffey, S. B. 557, H. B. 312, a bill to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity, is withdrawn from the Unfavorable Calendar and is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Little of Wake, S. B. 489, H. B. 387, a bill amending section 3001 of The Revisal of 1905, in regard to the fees to be charged for electrical inspection of buildings, is withdrawn from the Unfavorable Calendar and is placed upon the Calendar.
Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Senator Jones, S. R. 612, a joint resolution commending to His Excellency, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, Honorable George J. Studdert, Senator from the Second District, for appointment as consul at Dublin or Belfast, Ireland.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Nimocks, S. R. 613, resolution of respect to W. G. Hall, late Sergeant-at-Arms.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Ward, S. B. 614, a bill to authorize the Attorney-General to prosecute an action to recover the $610, balance to be paid by the State for the site for the School for the Blind near Raleigh.

Placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Pharr, S. R. 615, a resolution concerning the publication of the laws, journals and documents of the special session of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Finance:

By Senator Cook, S. B. 595, H. B. 314, a bill to amend the Machinery Act of 1913, with reference to settlement of State taxes, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Washington, S. B. 586, H. B. 594, a bill to amend chapter 273 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to Polk County road law, with a favorable report.

From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 584, H. B. 398, a bill to require a second sale of real estate by mortgagees, trustees and those making sale by virtue of the power contained in wills, with an unprejudiced report.

By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 561, H. B. 244, a bill to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts in Duplin County, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Justices of the Peace:

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 555, H. B. 400, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Number Five Township, Craven County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 530, H. B. 508, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace in Currituck County, with a favorable report.

By Senator Coffey, S. B. 569, H. B. 546, a bill appointing justices of the peace in the counties of Wilkes, Pender, Dare, Yancey, Jones, Burke, Perquimans, Gaston, Wake, New Hanover, Brunswick, and Avery, with a favorable report.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Payne, S. B. 554, H. B. 549, a bill to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to obstructing streams, with a favorable report.

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 602, H. B. 553, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Onslow County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law, with a favorable report.
From the Committee on Pensions:
By Senator Weaver, S. B. 298, H. B. 201, a bill for the relief of R. E. Fen-
tress, with a favorable report.
By Senator Weaver, S. B. 536, H. B. 389, a bill to pay W. J. Benton, of
Brunswick County, pensions due him for the years 1911 and 1912, with a favor-
able report.
From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:
By Senator Peterson, S. B. 575, H. B. 309, a bill to authorize the commis-
sioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the
question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness incurred in
advertising in creation of the county, with a favorable report.
From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:
By Senator Coffey, S. B. 557, H. B. 312, a bill to prohibit the shipment of
liquor into the town of Trinity, with an unfavorable report.
From the Committee on Game and Game Laws:
By Senator Woodley, S. B. 593, H. B. 578, a bill to amend section 20 of
chapter 560 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting of birds in
Warren County, with a favorable report.
By Senator Woodley, S. B. 606, H. B. 593, a bill supplementary to an act
passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to protect game
in Davidson County, with a favorable report.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
A message is received from the House of Representatives, transmitting bills
and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:
S. B. 604, H. B. 548, a bill to create a commission on problems and condi-
tions in rural districts.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 605, H. B. 595, a bill to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter
632, establishing recorder's court in Mt. Airy Township, and repealing the act
of this session of the General Assembly relative to the said court.
Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.
S. B. 606, H. B. 593, a bill supplementary to an act passed at the extra ses-
sion of the General Assembly of 1913, to protect game in Davidson County.
Referred to Committee on Game and Game Laws.
S. B. 607, H. B. 219, a bill relative to the delivery of freight in the State.
Referred to Committee on Railroads.
S. B. 608, H. B. 597, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Jones County to
vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.
S. B. 609, H. B. 439, a bill to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1913, rela-
ting to probate of trust deeds to building and loan associations.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 610, H. B. 541, a bill to provide for the care and the cleaning of the
new State building.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. R. 611, H. R. 606, a resolution in behalf of the clerks of the General
Assembly.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 310, H. B. 566, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort,
Avery and Watanga counties, for concurrence.
A message is received from the House of Representatives, transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 337, H. B. 492, a bill to validate deeds of married women who, prior to September 24, 1913, were freetraders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal of 1905, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 313, H. B. 494, a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 312, H. B. 467, a bill to be entitled an act to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Placed upon the Calendar.

S. B. 616, H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal Senate Bill 317 and House Bill 469, of the extra session of 1913, being a bill to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

Placed upon the Calendar.

**THE CALENDAR.**

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

S. B. 583, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 202, of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the county board of education," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 506, H. B. 377, a bill to amend chapter 418, Public Local Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for rural policemen for Robeson County," upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

On motion of the Senator from Robeson, the bill is laid upon the table.

S. B. 558, H. B. 559, a bill to amend chapter 197 of the Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, upon second reading.

Senator Little of Wake offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 556, H. B. 547, a bill to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Morehead City Township, upon second reading.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 477, H. B. 198, a bill to amend subsection 30 of section 1318 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to distribution of road funds where township lines have been changed, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 592, H. B. 574, a bill to amend chapter 223, Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1909, entitled 'An act to establish a special criminal court in the city of Durham and Durham Township, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof,'" upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 562, H. B. 558, a bill to increase the compensation of members of the board of education of Johnston County, upon second reading.

Senator Peterson offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 476, H. B. 194, a bill to amend section 1 of chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to division of the State into judicial districts and the holding of courts therein, upon second reading.

The committee offers an amendment, which fails of adoption.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 571, H. B. 378, a bill to amend chapter 173, Public Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to make school attendance compulsory." (This act applies to Madison and Avery counties only.)

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 329, a bill to amend chapter 63 of the Public Laws of 1913, and chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, with reference to renumbering the judicial districts, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

Upon motion of the Senator from ————, the bill is laid upon the table.

S. R. 612, a joint resolution commending to His Excellency, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, Honorable George J. Studdert, Senator from the Second District, for appointment as consul at Dublin, or Belfast, Ireland, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. R. 613, a resolution of respect to W. G. Hall, late Sergeant-at-Arms.

The resolution is adopted.

S. B. 590, H. B. 552, a bill supplemental to an act ratified on the 3d day of October, 1913, being "An act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and being an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Greene County, and to provide for special tax for the same and to facilitate the disposition of road bonds," upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 599, H. B. 555, a bill supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy, upon second reading.
The bill passes second reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


S. B. 574, H. B. 290, a bill to amend the graded school charter of the town of North Wilkesboro, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for S. B. 533, H. B. 406, a bill amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

Substitute for S. B. 441, H. B. 315, a bill to amend chapter 104, Private Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the town of Morganton, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate substitute.

S. B. 186, a bill to restore certain powers to the board of directors of the State's Prison, upon second reading.

The bill fails to pass.

S. B. 563, H. B. 557, a bill to prohibit the manufacture of wine and cider or beer within one mile of Bowmore Methodist church, in Hoke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
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upon Carolina,—Scott, Scott, Stubbs, Thompson, Thorne, Ward, Wakefield, Washington, Weaver—45.

S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes 3, as follows:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Evans of Pitt, Little of Anson, Mashburn—3.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 40, noes 3, as follows:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Evans of Pitt, Little of Anson, Mashburn—3.

The bill is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate substitute.

S. R. 615, H. R. 5, a resolution concerning the publication of the laws, journals and documents of the special session of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 564, H. B. 551, a bill to repeal H. B. 63, special session of 1913, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding courts in the first judicial district, to remove Washington County from the second judicial district to the first judicial district, upon second reading:

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 213, H. B. 88, a bill to authorize the trustees of Sanford graded schools to issue bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 45, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allen, Barbour, Barnes, Bellamy, Bridgers, Brown, Bryant, Carson, Coffey, Cook, Council, Daniel, Davis, Evans of Bladen, Evans of Pitt, Gilliam, Grant, Hannah, Hawes, Hob-

The bill is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Payne, the Senate adjourns until 4 o'clock p. m.

**Afternoon Session.**

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

**Reports from Committees.**

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 418, H. B. 298, a bill to amend chapter 107, Public Laws of 1913, applicable to Perquimans County, with an unfavorable report.

By Senator Bellamy, S. B. 587, H. B. 592, a bill for the benefit of the clerk of the Superior Court of Bladen County, with a favorable report.

**Message from the House of Representatives.**

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

S. B. 617, H. B. 502, a bill to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 618, H. B. 186, a bill to give to the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with recorders and police justices.

Referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.

S. B. 619, H. B. 573, a bill to prevent the collection or sale of floating logs in Perquimans County.

Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 620, H. B. 614, a bill making appropriations for certain State institutions.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. R. 621, H. R. 618, a resolution relating to purchase of land by the State.

Placed on the Calendar.

**The Calendar.**

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

S. B. 609, H. B. 439, a bill to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1913, relating to probate of trust deeds to building and loan associations, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 525, H. R. 501, a joint resolution to authorize and direct the North Carolina Historical Commission to submit a design and procure estimates of the cost of the execution and erection of a suitable monument to the North Carolina troops who participated in the battle of Gettysburg, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 387, H. B. 492, a bill to validate deeds of married women who, prior to
September 24, 1913, were freetraders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revisal, or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code, for concurrence in the House amendment.

The Senate concurs in the House amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 472, H. B. 67, a bill to provide a fireman for the public heating plant, and to employ other help, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 489, H. B. 387, a bill amending section 3001 of The Revisal of 1905, in regard to the fees to be charged for electrical inspection of buildings, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 584, H. B. 398, a bill to require a second sale of real estate by mortgagees, trustees, and those making sale by virtue of the power contained in wills, upon second reading.

Upon a call for the ayes and noes, the bill fails to pass second reading, ayes 20, noes 24, as follows:


S. B. 313, H. B. 494, a bill to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged, for concurrence in the House amendment.

The Senate concurs in the House amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 312, H. B. 467, a bill to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Upon motion, the Senate concurs in the House amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 600, H. B. 474, a bill to provide an expert accountant for the Corporation Commission and otherwise provide clerical assistance, upon second reading.

Upon call for the ayes and noes, the bill passes second reading, ayes 34, noes 7, as follows:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Evans of Pitt, Grant, Jones, Lovingood, Mashburn, Stubbs, Wakefield—7.

The bill passes third reading and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 543, a bill to provide the Corporation Commission with a freight rate expert and additional clerical help, upon second reading.

On motion, the bill is tabled.
Substitute for S. B. 310, H. B. 568, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort, Avery and Watauga counties, for concurrence.

Upon motion, the Senate concurs in the House amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 588, H. B. 588, a bill to amend section 1, Public Laws of 1907, so as to increase pensions of the fourth class from $30 to $32, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 302, a bill to authorize and direct the directors of the State's Prison to aid in the construction of a public road in Halifax Township, Halifax County, by convicts, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 595, H. B. 314, a bill to amend the Machinery Act of 1913, with reference to the settlement of State taxes, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 50, a bill to provide for the segregation of races, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 541, H. B. 148, a bill to regulate the killing of calves under one year of age, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is tabled.

S. B. 586, H. B. 594, a bill to amend chapter 273 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to Polk County road law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 298, H. B. 201, a bill for the relief of R. E. Fentress, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 554, H. B. 549, a bill to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to obstructing public streams, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 569, H. B. 546, a bill appointing justices of the peace in the counties of Wilkes, Pender, Dare, Yancey, Jones, Burke, Perquimans, Gaston, Wake, New Hanover, Brunswick, and Avery, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 602, H. B. 553, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Onslow County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 314, H. B. 495, a bill to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of holding courts in Brunswick County, upon second reading.

An amendment adopted by the House is concurred in by the Senate, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 517, H. B. 410, a bill to amend chapter 496, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to primary elections in Lee County, upon second reading.

An amendment offered by Senator Peterson is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

S. B. 593, H. B. 578, a bill to amend section 20, chapter 560, of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the hunting of birds in Warren County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 606, H. B. 593, a bill supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to protect game in Davidson County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 557, H. B. 312, a bill to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate substitute.

S. B. 481, H. B. 363, a bill relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 503, H. B. 370, a bill to amend section 5428 of The Revisal of 1905, relating to taxes in Graham County, upon second reading.

On motion of Senator Bellamy, the bill is laid upon the table.

S. B. 530, H. B. 508, a bill to appoint justices of the peace in Currituck County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 555, H. B. 400, a bill to appoint justices of the peace for Number Five Township, Craven County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 561, H. B. 244, a bill to regulate the time of holding the Superior Courts in Duplin County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 492, H. B. 325, a bill to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, in reference to improving the public roads in Albemarle Township, in Stanly County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 573, H. B. 241, a bill to amend chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

Upon motion of Senator Barnes, further consideration of this bill is deferred.

S. B. 617, H. B. 502, a bill to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded, upon second reading.

An amendment offered by Senator Jones fails of adoption.

An amendment offered by Senator Bryant is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Senator Evans of Bladen the Senate adjourns until 8 o'clock tonight.

Night Session.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendment to S. B. 189, H. B. 26, a bill to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County, for veal, and appoints Messrs. Tillett, Crisp and Stewart as a committee on conference on the part of the House, and asks the appointment of a similar committee on the part of the Senate.
The President announces the appointment of Senators Wakefield, Peebles and Evans of Pitt on the part of the Senate.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendment to S. B. 560, H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina, and has appointed Messrs. Justice, Woodard and Weatherspoon as a committee of conference on the part of the House, and asks the appointment of a similar committee on the part of the Senate.

The President announces the appointment of Senators Ward, Hobgood and Nimocks on the part of the Senate.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Nimocks, S. B. 608, H. B. 597, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Jones County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law, with a favorable report.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

The undersigned members of the committee on conference appointed by the Senate and the House of Representatives to consider the differences between the Senate and the House upon H. B. 452 and S. B. 560, entitled "An act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina," beg leave to report:

That the conference committee recommends that the House concur in the Senate amendments; and further, the conference committee reports that the engrossing clerk has omitted from the bill the schedule of rates referred to as being set out in section 3 of the bill sent to the House by the Senate, and that to correct this omission, the committee recommends that the schedule of rates so omitted be inserted in said section, and that the bill as amended and with the said schedule inserted, be passed upon its three several readings in the House and sent to the Senate for its action.

October 11, 1913.

Ward,
Hobgood,
Nimocks,

Committee on the part of the Senate,
Justice,
Weatherspoon,
Woodard,

Committee on the part of the House.

Upon motion of Senator Hobgood, the report is adopted.

The bill upon which this report is made accompanies the same in a message from the House of Representatives.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator Hannah, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that he has
examined the following engrossed bill and finds it to be properly engrossed:

Substitute for S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hawes, 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. 397, S. B. 512, an act to validate a certain election in Clay County.
H. B. 373, S. B. 488, an act to incorporate Liberty church, in Number Eight Township, Madison County, North Carolina.
H. B. 379, S. B. 505, an act to amend chapter 497, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to stock law in Harnett County.
H. B. 446, S. B. 462, an act to provide good roads in Stump Sound Township, Onslow County.
H. B. 147, S. B. 237, an act to amend chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, in respect to the public road law of the county of Nash.
H. B. 571, S. B. 172, an act to amend chapter 702 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, being an act authorizing the board of commissioners of Madison County to establish a recorder's court.
H. B. 252, S. B. 357, an act to amend chapter 31 of the Private Laws of 1913, entitled "An act providing for the erection of and equipping a graded school building in Norwood Graded School District, Center Township, Stanly County."
H. B. 155, S. B. 244, an act to appoint John D. Lancaster a justice of the peace for Number Thirteen Township, Edgecombe County, North Carolina.
H. B. 539, S. B. 48, an act to authorize and allow the town of Bessemer City to issue bonds.
H. B. 161, S. B. 248, an act relative to the appointment of a justice of the peace for Pigeon Township, in Haywood County.
H. B. 534, S. B. 128, an act to provide for the laying out and building of public roads in Grassy Creek Township, Mitchell County.
H. B. 152, S. B. 241, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Ashe County.
H. B. 191, S. B. 255, an act to appoint a certain justice of the peace for Wake County.
H. B. 297, S. B. 417, an act to regulate the appointment and duties of cotton weighers for the town of Dunn, in Harnett County.
H. B. 436, S. B. 468, an act to establish a recorder's court for Chowan County.
H. B. 123, S. B. 397, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time of holding courts in Graham County.
H. B. 81, S. B. 102, an act to appoint B. F. Parker a justice of the peace for Lanes Creek Township, in Union County.
H. B. 138, S. B. 231, an act to appoint M. L. Martin a justice of the peace of Colfax Township, in Rutherford County.
H. B. 127, S. B. 226, an act amending chapter 184 of the Private Laws of 1913, authorizing the board of county commissioners to sell the county home.
H. B. 156, S. B. 398, an act to provide for the establishment of a system of waterworks, fire protection, for building of a town hall, and for street im-
provements in the town of Jacksonville, and to authorize said town to issue bonds for such purpose.

H. B. 243, S. B. 279, an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Warsaw, Duplin County, North Carolina.


H. B. 366, S. B. 449, an act to establish a graded school in Moore County, to be known as the Vass Graded School.

H. B. 40, S. B. 61, an act to establish stock law for Bladen County.

H. B. 401, S. B. 457, an act to amend the charter of the town of Ellenboro.

H. B. 116, S. B. 9, an act to allow the commissioners of the town of Roseboro to dispose of the guardhouse.

H. B. 565, S. B. 129, an act to amend section 2 of article 7 of chapter 59 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to the publication of ordinances by the city of Raleigh.

H. B. 444, S. B. 516, an act to establish a special court for Onslow County, with civil and criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Onslow County Court.

H. B. 476, S. B. 132, an act to cure the defective probate of certain wills made by nonresidents prior to January 1, 1895, in Jackson County.

H. B. 568, S. B. 393, an act relating to the Superior Courts of Cumberland County.

H. B. 570, S. B. 340, an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Edgecombe County.

H. B. 567, S. B. 377, an act to amend the charter of the town of Burgaw, Pender County, North Carolina, in regard to stock running at large.

H. B. 390, S. B. 455, an act to amend chapter 178 of Private Laws of 1913, relative to the town of Ronda, Wilkes County, North Carolina.

H. B. 35, S. B. 60, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Hertford County.

H. B. 71, S. B. 98, an act to appoint certain justices of the peace in Wilkes County.

H. B. 52, S. B. 87, an act to appoint J. R. Davenport a justice of the peace in Pactolus Township, Pitt County.

H. B. 122, S. B. 222, an act appointing justices of the peace for Graham County.

H. B. 151, S. B. 240, an act to empower the board of education of Northampton County to alter the boundary line of Lasker School District.

H. B. 75, S. B. 100, an act to amend chapter 646, Public Local Laws of 1913, by striking out Union County, relative to taxing dogs.

H. B. 537, S. B. 385, an act to incorporate the town of Norman, Richmond County, North Carolina.

H. B. 540, S. B. 180, an act to amend chapter 268 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to good roads bond issue in Person County.

H. B. 533, S. B. 379, an act to amend chapter 491 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Madison County to levy a special tax and to construct certain bridges."


H. B. 522, S. B. 301, an act to legalize and validate an election held in
Cooper's Township, Nash County, and an issue of bonds of said Cooper's Township, dated the 1st day of July, 1913.
H. B. 511, S. B. 156, an act to amend chapter 292 of the Private Laws of 1909, relating to tax rates at Fuquay Springs.
H. B. 288, S. B. 410, an act to amend chapter 52 of Public Local Laws of general session of 1913, relative to salary of county officers of Columbus County.
H. B. 367, S. B. 485, an act appointing a justice of the peace for Contentnea Township, Pitt County.
H. B. 154, S. B. 252, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Neill's Creek Township, Harnett County.
H. B. 532, S. B. 358, an act to amend the charter of the town of Venable.
H. B. 327, S. B. 494, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Woodville Township, in Bertie County.
H. B. 351, S. B. 121, an act to amend chapter 86 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the amount of the bond of the county treasurer.
H. B. 229, S. B. 269, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Warren County.
H. B. 240, S. B. 278, an act to appoint justices of the peace in Forsyth County.
H. B. 342, S. B. 501, an act to appoint certain justices of the peace for Cleveland County.
H. B. 394, S. B. 510, an act to appoint Colin G. Shaw a justice of the peace for Monroe Township, Union County, North Carolina.
H. B. 528, S. B. 359, an act to authorize the town of Nashville to issue bonds for the establishment of an electric light plant and operate and maintain a system of waterworks.
H. B. 285, S. B. 412, an act to appoint Charles W. Mann a justice of the peace in Croatan Township, in Dare County.
H. B. 215, S. B. 254, an act to appoint T. A. Berry a justice of the peace in Long Acre Township, Beaufort County.
H. B. 331, S. B. 495, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for Duplin County.
H. B. 275, S. B. 407, an act to reduce the commissioners of Columbus County.
H. B. 538, S. B. 376, an act to authorize the town of Mooresville to issue bonds without resubmitting the question to a vote of the qualified voters of said town, to improve streets, install waterworks and sewerage system.
H. B. 282, S. B. 409, an act to repeal chapter 791 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, prohibiting ticket scalping in Columbus County.
H. B. 270, S. B. 403, an act to appoint three justices of the peace in Columbus County.
H. B. 293, S. B. 416, an act to amend chapter 624 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the recorder's court of Tyrrell County.
H. B. 303, S. B. 438, an act to incorporate the town of West Asheville, in the county of Buncombe.
H. B. 53, S. B. 201, an act to incorporate Coats Graded School, of Coats, Harnett County, and to allow it to vote on a special tax to issue bonds.
H. B. 504, S. B. 535, an act to amend chapter 126 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, at session 1823, being "An act to incorporate the Milton Male
Academy," authorizing the surviving trustees to convey the site of Milton Male Academy to the trustees of Milton Graded School District.

H. B. 106, S. B. 526, an act to authorize Pink Hill Township, in Lenoir County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

H. B. 564, S. B. 367, an act to appoint justices of the peace in Robeson County.

H. B. 340, S. B. 448, an act to amend the charter of the town of Elon College.

H. B. 364, S. B. 484, an act to repeal chapter 440, Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the depredations of domestic fowls in the county of Polk.

H. B. 776, S. B. 480, an act to change the name of the town of Tolsnot to that of Elm City.


H. B. 409, S. B. 518, an act to protect deer in Perquimans, Pasquotank, Gates, and Graham counties.

H. B. 402, S. B. 520, an act to regulate the hunting of foxes in Franklin County.

H. B. 333, S. B. 445, an act to repeal chapter 541, Public Laws of 1901.

H. B. 299, S. B. 419, an act to protect animals and game in parks and game reservations, in either private or public parks or places.

H. B. 393, S. B. 456, an act to ratify and approve an issue of $12,000 of bonds by Aberdeen graded school.

H. B. 204, S. B. 261, an act relating to stock law territory in Clay County, North Carolina.

H. B. 142, S. B. 234, an act to amend chapter 196 of Public Laws of 1913, regulating the holding of courts in Pitt County.

H. B. 322, S. B. 442, an act to amend chapter 487 of the Private Acts of 1907, amending and consolidating the charter of the town of Ayden, by amending subsections 1 and 2 of section 12 of said chapter.

H. B. 144, S. B. 235, an act to repeal chapter 750 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to compulsory education in Guilford County.

H. B. 179, S. B. 116, an act to amend chapter 626 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to fees in Forsyth County.

H. B. 274, S. B. 406, an act to prohibit the sale of wines, ciders and all intoxicants within two miles of the Baptist church at Hinsons Cross Roads, in Columbus County.

H. B. 272, S. B. 405, an act to amend chapter 610, Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting in Scotland County.

H. B. 307, S. B. 551, an act to amend section 1747 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, affecting the registration of grants.

H. B. 332, S. B. 496, an act to prohibit the cutting and felling of trees or brush in the waters of the run of Brooks Swamp, Wayne County.

H. B. 292, S. B. 434, an act to authorize the commissioners of Cleveland County to submit to the qualified voters of Number Eight Township, in said county, the question of levying a special road tax for the improvement and building of the public roads and highways in said township.

H. B. 171, S. B. 296, an act to amend chapter 822, Public Local Laws of 1913 15—Senate.
of North Carolina, relative to establishing drainage districts and drainage commissions, etc., in Catawba County.

H. B. 222, S. B. 266, an act to amend chapter 714 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to salaries of county officers of Jones County.

H. B. 338, S. B. 446, an act to amend section 2721, Revisal of 1905, relative to working the public roads of Johnston County.

H. B. 157, S. B. 245, an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Baileys, Nash County.

H. B. 414, S. B. 514, an act to incorporate Pleasant Grove Methodist church, in Wilson County.

H. B. 380, S. B. 451, an act to provide for the payment of certain outstanding debts against Murphy Graded School District Number One, Cherokee County, North Carolina.

H. B. 29, S. B. 58, an act to amend chapter 54, Private Laws of 1913.

H. B. 86, S. B. 473, an act to amend chapter 548 of the Public Laws of 1903, relative to the salary of the Paymaster-General.

H. B. 412, S. B. 515, an act to amend chapter 549 of the Public Laws of 1899, so as to strengthen the local prohibition law of Jackson County.

H. B. 231, S. B. 271, an act to amend chapter 307 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the auditor of Forsyth County.

H. B. 341, S. B. 500, an act to amend chapter 411 of the Private Laws, session of 1911, and to provide for a change in the management and control of Wesley Chapel Special School District.

H. B. 224, S. B. 268, an act to prohibit vicious dogs from running loose in Caswell County.

H. B. 318, S. B. 424, an act to amend the deer law of Brunswick County.

H. B. 395, S. B. 511, an act to incorporate York School District, in Union County.

H. B. 287, S. B. 413, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider within two miles of Shiloh Presbyterian church, in Hoke County.

H. B. 279, S. B. 431, an act to validate the passage of chapter 468, Private Laws, regular session of 1913, incorporating the town of Hayesville, in Clay County.

H. B. 202, S. B. 259, an act to repeal chapter 533, Public Local Laws of 1911, being an act to establish a ferry across Cape Fear River at County Line Landing.

H. B. 68, S. B. 524, an act to authorize Jacksonville and Swansboro townships, in Onslow County, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Goldsboro, Seven Springs and Swansboro Railroad.

H. B. 339, S. B. 447, an act to amend an act ratified March 6, 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for Clayton Graded School District," and to ratify the election held May 1, 1913, and for the issuance of the bonds authorized by said act, and to authorize the issuance of said bonds.

H. B. 242, S. B. 356, an act to amend the charter of the city of High Point.

H. B. 97, S. B. 217, an act to amend chapter 362, Public Laws of 1899.

H. B. 542, S. B. 545, an act to validate certain acts of the deputy register of deeds of Johnston County.

H. B. 330, S. B. 426, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for the division of the State into judicial districts," and for holding the courts in Yancey County.
H. B. 399, S. B. 513, an act to establish a stock law in Duplin County.
H. B. 265, S. B. 262, an act to amend chapter 657 of the Public Local Laws of regular session of 1913, relative to Columbus County.
H. B. 268, S. B. 479, an act to amend chapter 761 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, as to wholesale druggists in Guilford County.
H. B. 448, S. B. 464, an act to provide good roads in White Oak Township, Onslow County.
H. B. 449, S. B. 465, an act to provide good roads in Swansboro Township, Onslow County.
H. B. 300, S. B. 436, an act providing for the convicts of Perquimans County.
H. B. 271, S. B. 404, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to squirrel law of Wayne County.
H. B. 288, S. B. 414, an act to amend chapter 435 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relating to salaries in Catawba County.
H. B. 269, S. B. 401, an act to protect Smithwick's Baptist church, in the county of Martin.
H. B. 443, S. B. 461, an act to amend chapter 361 of the Private Laws of 1901, so as to make the board of trustees of Sanford graded schools elective by the qualified voters of the district.
H. B. 584, S. B. 374, an act to incorporate Bethany Presbyterian church, in Union County, and to prohibit the manufacture or making of cider, wine or any other intoxicating drinks.
H. B. 403, S. B. 519, an act to allow the qualified voters of Brunswick County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.
H. B. 164, S. B. 540, an act to provide more clerical assistance for the State Library.
H. B. 371, S. B. 565, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to Superior Courts in Surry County.
H. B. 213, S. B. 402, an act to provide general jurisdiction for the February and August terms of the Superior Court of Moore County.
H. B. 105, S. B. 110, an act to prevent the delivery and sale of intoxicating liquors in Mitchell and Avery counties.
H. B. 150, S. B. 239, an act to provide better railroad depot facilities for the people of the town of Jacksonville, North Carolina.
H. B. 450, S. B. 471, an act to authorize the fence commissioners of Harnett County to sell the stock law fence.
H. B. 461, S. B. 133, an act to cure certain defective registrations of deeds in Jackson County.
H. B. 372, S. B. 483, an act to declare the law and regulate the management of the house of correction or reformatory of Forsyth County, under chapter 6 of The Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina.
H. B. 413, S. B. 458, an act to amend chapter 72 of the Private Laws of the session of 1899, being an "Act to incorporate the town of Sylva, North Carolina," and acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for an issue of bonds and to levy a tax.
H. B. 368, S. B. 486, an act to change the name of the town of Venable, in the county of Orange.
H. B. 6, S. B. 284, an act to incorporate the Angier High School District, in Harnett County, and to authorize it to issue bonds and to levy a special tax.

H. B. 519, S. B. 386, an act to authorize employment of additional bank examiners.

H. B. 326, S. B. 493, an act relative to drainage in Gaston County.

H. B. 104, S. B. 220, an act to authorize and empower the board of drainage commissioners of Chadbourn Drainage District, in the county of Columbus, to acquire rights-of-way and outlets for drainage canals.

H. B. 306, S. B. 422, an act to amend chapter 214, Public Local Laws of 1911, relative to increase of the salary of the clerk of the Superior Court of Person County.

H. B. 96, S. B. 107, an act to amend chapter 752, section 4 thereof, of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 310, S. B. 440, an act to provide for improvement districts and for street and sidewalk paving in the city of Goldsboro.

H. B. 103, S. B. 219, an act to authorize the issuing of bonds by the Tabor Supplemental School District Number Eleven, for the white and colored races of Columbus County.

H. B. 386, S. B. 454, an act to amend chapter 316, Private Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 221, Private Laws of 1907, relative to the charter of the town of Wendell.


H. B. 440, S. B. 459, an act to authorize Old Fort Graded School District to borrow money for the erection and equipment of a graded school building and to hold an election to levy a tax for payment thereof.

H. B. 73, S. B. 206, an act to amend chapter 204, Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. B. 369, S. B. 487, an act to amend chapter 73 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, relative to judgment of nonsuit in criminal cases.

H. B. 442, S. B. 460, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of the county the question of issuing bonds to improve the roads of said county.

H. B. 238, S. B. 277, an act to amend chapter 652, section 1, relative to pay of jurors in Forsyth County.

H. B. 296, S. B. 435, an act to amend "An act to provide good roads in Enfield Township, Halifax County."

H. B. 447, S. B. 463, an act to provide good roads in Richlands Township, Onslow County.

H. B. 526, S. B. 339, an act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Alexander County to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 to build and improve the public roads of said county and to provide for and maintain the same by taxation.

H. B. 100, S. B. 218, an act to amend chapter 142, Public Laws of 1913, being an act to permit certain counties in North Carolina to employ banks and trust companies in the capacity of county treasurer.

H. B. 189, S. B. 347, an act to amend chapter 176 of the Private Laws of the State of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at its session of 1913, and entitled "An act to provide additional support for the graded public schools in the city of New Bern, and to authorize said city to issue bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of public graded school buildings."
H. B. 323, S. B. 443, an act to authorize the town of Wilson to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting, installing, operating and maintaining a gas plant in the town of Wilson.

H. B. 404, S. B. 549, an act to amend chapter 171, Public Laws of 1913, being an act supplemental to an act relative to dividing the State into twenty Superior Court judicial districts and to fix the number of weeks for courts for each, and for other purposes.

H. B. 168, S. B. 548, an act relative to the holding of courts in Randolph County.


H. B. 445, S. B. 529, an act to amend chapter 221, Public Local Laws of 1913, and being an act to provide good roads in Jacksonville Township, in Onslow County.

H. B. 189, S. B. 343, an act to create the Casar Railroad District, in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same.

H. B. 190, S. B. 346, an act to authorize Cleveland County to subscribe to certain railroad stocks.

H. B. 61, S. B. 203, an act to amend chapter 515 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the drainage of Grant's Creek, in Rowan County.

H. B. 233, S. B. 539, an act to amend chapter 347, Public Local Laws of 1913, the same being an act relating to bonds by Morganton Township.

H. R. 362, S. R. 552, a joint resolution concerning railroad reduction rates.

H. R. 266, S. R. 591, a joint resolution in regard to extra pay for pages of the Senate and of the House of Representatives.

H. B. 286, S. B. 433, an act to incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Company.

H. B. 503, S. B. 547, an act to amend chapter 171 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1913, relating to the issuing of bonds for the purpose of owning, operating and maintaining a system of waterworks and electric light plant, also for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the present graded school building of the town of Spencer, North Carolina.

H. B. 284, S. B. 411, an act to establish an inferior court for Columbus County.

H. B. 457, S. B. 51, an act to permit Raleigh Township, Wake County, to issue $50,000 in bonds for school buildings.

H. B. 163, S. B. 249, an act to amend chapter 534 of the Public Local Laws of the State of North Carolina of the session of 1913, relative to Camden County.

H. B. 46, S. B. 198, an act to amend and supplement the general drainage law, chapter 442, Public Laws of 1909, and acts amendatory thereto.

H. B. 236, S. B. 275, an act to establish a recorder's court for Currituck County.

H. B. 337, S. B. 499, an act to amend chapter 755 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the pay of the commissioners of Haywood County.

H. B. 376, S. B. 507, an act to establish in the county of Hyde a special court to be called the recorder's court, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.

H. B. 560, S. B. 188, an act to amend section 441 of chapter 12, Revisal of 1905, relative to validating irregular service on infants.

H. B. 441, S. B. 528, an act to amend the charter of the town of Shelby.
H. B. 374, S. B. 508, an act to establish a special court for Richmond County, with criminal jurisdiction, to be known as Richmond County Court.

H. B. 580, S. B. 338, an act to nominate and elect the chairman of the board of commissioners of Rockingham County, and to require him to devote his whole time to the business of the county.

H. B. 543, S. B. 364, an act relative to the duty of the drainage commissioners of the Third Creek Drainage District and other drainage districts in Iredell County.

H. B. 585, S. B. 361, an act to provide for the election of trustees of Andrews School District, in Cherokee County.

H. B. 211, S. B. 253, an act to increase the powers of the board of commissioners of Yadkin County, for the purpose of improving the public roads.

H. B. 188, S. B. 344, an act to create the Fallston-Belwood Railroad District, in Cleveland County, and to authorize subscription to railroad stock by same.

On motion of Senator Daniel, the Senate adjourns until 9 o'clock Monday morning.

SEVENTEENTH DAY.

SENATE CHAMBER, October 13, 1913.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. W. McC. White.

The Journal of yesterday is read and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Peterson, S. B. 605, H. B. 595, a bill to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township and repealing the act of this session of the General Assembly relative to said court, is taken from the Committee on Judiciary No. 1 and placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Wakefield, the vote by which S. B. 273, H. B. 234, a bill to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Burke County, is reconsidered and the bill is placed on the table.

Upon motion of Senator Jones, S. B. 312, H. B. 467, a bill to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, having been returned to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment, is returned to House for amendment to be attached.

A message is received from the House, returning the bill with the amendment for concurrence in said amendment.

Upon motion of Senator Peebles, the Senate does not concur in the House amendment to S. B. 166, H. B. 529, a bill to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court.

The chair appoints the following Senators as a conference committee on the part of the Senate: Peebles, Payne and Evans of Pitt; and it is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives, asking that a similar committee be appointed on the part of the House.

In accordance with a resolution passed at this extra session of the General Assembly, for the investigation of fire insurance companies, the President appoints, as an investigation committee on the part of the Senate, the following Senators: Senators Bryant and Barnes.
Upon motion of Senator Evans of Bladen, the privileges of the floor are extended to Ex-Senator J. D. Bellamy.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Reports are received from standing committees as follows:

From the Committee on Game and Game Laws:
By Senator Woodley, S. B. 273, H. B. 234, a bill to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Burke County, with an unprejudiced report.

From the Judiciary Committee No. 1:
By Senator Wakefield, S. B. 618, H. B. 186, a bill to give to the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with recorders and police justices, with an unprejudiced report.

From the Committee on Institutions for the Blind:
By Senator Little of Anson, S. B. 360, a bill for the relief of the State School for the Blind and the Deaf, with an unfavorable report.

From the Committee on Railroads:
By Senator Jones, S. B. 607, H. B. 219, a bill relative to the delivery of freight in the State, with an unfavorable report.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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

S. R. 634, H. R. 634, a resolution in behalf of T. G. Cobb, Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 189, H. B. 26, a bill to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 633, H. B. 627, a bill for the relief of the fence commissioners of Harnett County.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. R. 633, H. R. 631, a resolution with reference to adjournment.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. R. 632, H. R. 577, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Senate and House of Representatives.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 166, H. B. 529, a bill to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court, for concurrence in the House amendment.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 628, H. B. 626, a bill to require witnesses to attend and be examined before the commission appointed under joint resolution of the General Assembly to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies.
Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 630, H. B. 628, a bill to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, being
an act regulating the holding of the Superior Courts of the State, and amending the paragraph relating to Onslow County.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 631, H. B. 334, a bill to amend chapter 115 of the Private Laws of 1899, amending the charter of the town of Greenville.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. R. 623, H. R. 624, a joint resolution to pay expenses incurred by the committee in visiting the School for the Feeble Minded.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 626, H. B. 598, a bill to amend section 1, chapter 202, of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the county board of education of Wake County."

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 452, H. B. 381, a bill to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County by special tax levy.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 625, H. B. 599, a bill to amend section 1138 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to street railways.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. R. 624, H. R. 621, a joint resolution relative to compensation of S. J. Hawkins.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 312, H. B. 467, a bill to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 622, H. B. 619, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Highlands, in Macon County.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 627, H. B. 596, a bill to amend section 10 of chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the manufacture or sale of foods, drugs, medicines or liquors.

Placed on the Calendar.
S. B. 629, H. B. 629, a bill to amend section 7 of chapter 114 of the Private Acts of 1913.

Placed on the Calendar.
A message is received from the House of Representatives, informing the Senate that it refuses to concur in the Senate amendment to S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, and has appointed Messrs. Justice, Williams of Buncombe and Page as a conference committee on the part of the House, and asks for the appointment of a similar committee on the part of the Senate.

The President appoints Senators Ivie, Weaver and Grant on the part of the Senate.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

We, the conferees of the Senate and the House, appointed in regard to House Bill 26 and Senate Bill 189, being entitled "An act to prevent the killing,
serving and shipping of calves in Caldwell County for veal," beg leave to submit our report, as follows:

1. That the title of the act shall be "A bill to be entitled an act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of calves for veal in certain counties."

2. That section 3 of said act shall be as follows: "That this act shall apply only to the following counties: Alamance, Alexander, Ashe, Avery, Burke, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Cherokee, Clay, Cleveland, Durham, Franklin, Gaston, Graham, Guilford, Henderson, Hoke, Lee, Lincoln, Madison, McDowell, Mitchell, Robeson, Rowan, Rutherford, Moore, Sampson, Wake, Warren, Wilson, and Lenoir."

3. That the Senate recede so as to make the act as herein suggested.

4. That section 3 be made section 4.

Respectfully submitted,

C. G. Peebles,
W. F. Evans,

Conferees on the part of the Senate.

D. H. TILLETT,
E. D. CRISP,

Conferees on the part of the House.

The report is adopted and the bill is ordered enrolled.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

We, the conferees appointed on the part of the Senate and House to consider S. B. 166, H. B. 259, being entitled "An act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court," beg leave to submit the following report in regard to the same:

1. That the House recede from its amendment striking out the word "shall" and inserting the word "may," and also recede from its amendment striking out—

2. That this act shall not apply to the following counties: Camden, Currituck, Alleghany, Transylvania, Chatham, Brunswick, Davie, Haywood, Surry, Greene, Orange, New Hanover, Perquimans, Forsyth, Watauga, Carteret, Union, Pender, Person, Dare, Davidson, Caldwell, Caswell, and Hoke.

Respectfully submitted,

C. G. PEEBLES.
A. C. PAYNE.

Conferees on the part of the Senate.

D. H. TILLETT,
J. L. SHEEK.

Conferees on the part of the House.

The conference report is adopted and the bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

THE CALENDAR.

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

S. B. 466, a bill to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is placed upon the table.
S. R. 523, H. R. 1, a resolution relative to the appointment of a commission for the purpose of revising the system of procedure, upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading.

Upon motion, the bill fails to pass third reading, and is laid upon the table.

S. R. 572, H. R. 396, a joint resolution to authorize the sale of thirty-five acres of land in the southeastern limits of the city of Raleigh, now used by the Institution for the Blind, upon second reading.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. R. 634, H. R. 634, a resolution in behalf of T. G. Cobb, Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 623, H. R. 624, a joint resolution to pay expenses incurred by the committee in visiting the School for the Feeble Minded, upon second reading.

Senator Mason offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The resolution, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 273, H. B. 234, a bill to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Burke County.

Upon motion, this bill is recalled from the enrolling office, the vote by which it passed third reading is reconsidered, and the bill is placed upon the Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Wakefield, the bill is laid upon the table.

S. B. 625, H. B. 599, a bill to amend section 1138 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to street railways, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 312, H. B. 467, a bill to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases, for concurrence in House amendment.

Upon motion, the Senate concurs in the House amendment, and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 628, H. B. 626, a bill to require witnesses to attend and be examined before the commission appointed under joint resolution of the General Assembly to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 626, H. B. 598, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds, etc., upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is placed upon the table.

S. B. 614, a bill to authorize the Attorney-General to prosecute an action to recover the $4,610, balance to be paid by the State for the site for the School for the Blind, near Raleigh, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. R. 621, H. R. 618, a resolution relating to purchase of land by the State, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. R. 427, H. R. 454, a resolution to investigate the hiring out and assigning convicts to certain work in the State, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. B. 135, a bill to amend section 5092 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to
the publishing of the Public and Private Laws of the Legislature, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. B. 475, H. B. 226, a bill to validate certain sales of real estate under mortgages, deeds of trust, and other instruments, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. B. 542, H. B. 60, a bill to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 611, H. R. 606, a resolution in behalf of the clerks of the General Assembly, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 285, H. R. 44, a resolution relating to uniform classification of freight by common carriers, upon second reading.

The resolution passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 544, a bill to increase the number of commissioners of the Corporation Commission by adding two members, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. R. 632, H. R. 577, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Legislature, upon second reading.

The resolution, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. R. 469, H. R. 453, a resolution endorsing the efforts of the American Bar Association to secure uniformity in Federal and State procedure, upon third reading.

Upon motion, the resolution is laid on the table.

S. B. 573, H. B. 241, a bill to amend chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913, upon third reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. B. 342, H. B. 36, a bill to authorize any consul-general to take proof and acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments, and to amend section 990 of The Revisal of 1905, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 630, H. B. 628, a bill regulating the holding of courts of the State in reference to Onslow County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 624, H. R. 621, a joint resolution relative to compensation of J. S. Hawkins, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 618, H. B. 186, a bill to give the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with recorders and police justices, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. B. 141, a bill for the relief of the Raleigh Real Estate and Trust Company, upon second reading.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. B. 631, H. B. 384, a bill to amend chapter 115 of the Private Laws of 1899, amending the charter of the town of Greenville, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 452, H. B. 381, a bill to provide for the working of the public roads in Pitt County by special tax levy, for concurrence in the House amendment.

Upon motion, the bill is laid on the table.

S. B. 381, a bill to amend Revisal, section 3672, relating to removal of dead bodies, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 622, H. B. 619, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Highlands, in Macon County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 535, H. B. 389, a bill to amend chapter 126, Private Laws of 1823, authorizing the surviving trustee to convey the site of Milton Male Academy to the trustees of Milton Graded School District, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 502, H. B. 359, a bill relative to the commissioners of navigation and pilotage, coming under section 7 of Article XIV of the Constitution of North Carolina, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 629, H. B. 629, a bill regarding Cary High School, in Wake County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 627, H. B. 596, a bill to amend section 10 of chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the manufacture or sale of foods, drugs, medicines or liquors, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 20, a bill to amend an act to establish the Rockdale Public School District of Scotland County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 166, H. B. 529, a bill to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court.

On motion, the report of conference committee is adopted, and the bill is sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in said report.

S. B. 620, H. B. 614, a bill making appropriations for certain State institutions, upon second reading.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 605, H. B. 595, a bill to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mt. Airy Township, and repealing the act of this session of the General Assembly relative to said court.

The bill, as amended, passes second and third readings, and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

S. B. 554, H. B. 507, a bill to amend chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1911, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the charter of Elizabeth City, North Carolina," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 532, H. B. 505, a bill to amend chapter 608 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 531, H. B. 411, a bill to establish stock law in Yancey County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 568, H. B. 554, a bill to amend chapter 529 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to protect fish in Robeson County," upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 616, H. B. 616, a bill to repeal S. B. 317, H. B. 469, of the extra session of 1913, being a bill to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 587, H. B. 592, a bill for the benefit of the clerk of the Superior Court of Bladen County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 608, H. B. 597, a bill to allow the qualified voters of Jones County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 491, H. B. 320, a bill to establish a medical depository for the city of Winston-Salem, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 598, H. B. 590, a bill to appoint a justice of the peace for a certain township in Transylvania County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 597, H. B. 562, a bill to prevent dragnets being used in the waters of Rose Bay and its tributaries of Hyde County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 610, H. B. 541, a bill to provide for the care and cleaning of the new State building, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 498, H. B. 335, a bill to amend chapter 509 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to elections in New Hanover County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 273, H. B. 234, a bill to prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Burke County, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 599, H. B. 555, a bill supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913 to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:


The bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 575, H. B. 309, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness of Lee County, upon third reading.
The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 590, H. B. 552, a bill supplemental to an act ratified on the 3d day of October, 1913, being an act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and being an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Greene County, and to provide for a special tax for same, and to facilitate the disposition of road bonds, upon third reading.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes none, as follows:

The bill is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Hannah, 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. 311, S. B. 537, an act to revise the charter of the town of Clinton.
H. B. 612, S. B. 184, an act to work the State convicts on public roads.
H. B. 388, S. B. 566, an act authorizing the board of road supervisors of Morganton Township, Burke County, to condemn State lands for public highways.
H. B. 93, S. B. 216, an act for the treatment and education of the citizens of North Carolina in regard to tuberculosis.
H. B. 524, S. B. 546, an act providing for a special road tax levy in Spring Hill Township, Scotland County, and increasing the pay of jurors in the criminal court of Scotland County.
H. B. 208, S. B. 190, an act to amend chapter 316 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to the board of health of New Hanover County.
H. B. 579, S. B. 594, an act to prevent stock from running at large in Wayne County.
H. B. 550, S. B. 550, an act to legalize and ratify the $2,000 of good roads bonds in Rockfish Good Roads District, Rockfish Township, Duplin County.
H. B. 490, S. B. 300, an act to amend section 4131 of The Revival of North Carolina, relating to the manner of condemning lands for school sites.
H. B. 365, S. B. 482, an act to establish a county court for Wilson County.
H. B. 87, S. B. 212, an act to change the boundaries of the Sanford Graded School District and to provide for compulsory education within said district.
H. B. 479, S. B. 151, an act to change the name of Special School District Number One, South Whitakers Township, Nash County, to Red Oak School District, and to allow said school district to issue bonds.
H. B. 439, S. B. 609, an act to amend chapter 110, Public Laws of 1913, relating to probate of deeds to building and loan associations.

H. B. 295, S. B. 299, an act to amend chapter 969, Public Laws of 1907, relating to the oyster industry.

H. B. 206, S. B. 428, an act to regulate the use of the public roads of Black Mountain Township, in Buncombe County, and levy a tax on lumber companies to provide revenue therefor.

H. B. 455, S. B. 11, an act to amend chapter 55 of the Public Laws of 1913.

H. B. 547, S. B. 556, an act to prohibit the illegal sale of liquor in Morehead City Township.

H. R. 267, S. R. 538, a joint resolution providing for the investigation of the conduct of fire insurance companies.

H. R. 615, S. R. 612, a joint resolution commending to His Excellency, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, Honorable George J. Studdert, Senator from the Second District, for appointment as consul at Dublin or Belfast, Ireland.

H. B. 604, S. B. 577, an act to repeal the charter of Crestmont, being Senate Bill No. 304 and House Bill No. 509, special session of 1913.

H. B. 378, S. B. 571, an act to amend chapter 173 of Public Laws, session of 1913, entitled "An act to make school attendance compulsory."

H. B. 499, S. B. 47, an act to enable the Department of Agriculture to manufacture material for the inoculating culture of leguminous crops.

H. B. 544, S. B. 341, an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of the Salisbury and Raleigh highway.

H. B. 574, S. B. 592, an act to amend chapter 223, Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to amend chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1909, entitled 'An act to establish a special criminal court in the city of Durham and Durham Township, and prescribe the jurisdiction thereof.'"

H. B. 498, S. B. 27, an act to amend chapter 182, Public Laws of 1911, extending time for registration of grants.

H. B. 198, S. B. 477, an act to amend subsection 30 of section 1318 of The Revisal of North Carolina.

H. B. 88, S. B. 213, an act authorizing the board of trustees of Sanford Graded School District to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and equipping school buildings.

H. B. 194, S. B. 476, an act to amend section 1 of chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the division of the State into judicial districts and the holding of courts therein.

H. B. 290, S. B. 574, an act to amend the graded school charter of the town of North Wilkesboro.

H. B. 569, S. B. 320, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of the General Assembly of 1913, relative to the Superior Courts of Rockingham County.

H. B. 591, S. B. 589, an act to authorize steamboat companies to condemn land for wharf and warehouse facilities when necessary to serve the convenience of the public.

H. B. 605, S. B. 578, an act to establish stock law in Pender County.

H. B. 314, S. B. 595, an act to amend the Machinery Act of 1913, with reference to the settlement of State taxes.
H. B. 551, S. B. 564, an act to repeal H. B. 63, special session of 1913, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the time for holding court in the first judicial district, to remove Washington County from the second judicial district to the first judicial district.

H. B. 557, S. B. 563, an act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of wine and cider or beer within one mile of Bowmore Methodist church, in Hoke County.

H. B. 406, S. B. 533, an act amendatory to chapter 276, Private Laws of 1913, incorporating the town of Bakersville, Mitchell County.

H. B. 583, S. B. 365, an act to amend chapter 433, Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, relative to working the public roads of Rich Square Township, Northampton County.

H. B. 581, S. B. 395, an act to authorize the issuance of school bonds in District Number Seventeen, Dare County, North Carolina.

H. B. 452, S. B. 560, an act to fix and provide machinery for fixing rates to be charged by railroads for transporting freight within the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 594, S. B. 586, an act to amend chapter 273 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to Polk County road law.

H. B. 508, S. B. 530, an act to appoint a justice of the peace in Currituck County.

H. B. 549, S. B. 554, an act to amend chapter 615 of the Public Laws of 1907, to prevent obstructions in Moccasin River or Big Contentnea Creek and Little Contentnea Creek.

H. B. 578, S. B. 593, an act to amend section 20 of chapter 560 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to hunting of birds in Warren County.

H. B. 201, S. B. 298, an act for the relief of R. E. Fentress.

H. B. 546, S. B. 569, an act appointing justices of the peace in the counties of Wilkes, Pender, Dare, Yancey, Jones, Burke, Perquimans, Gaston, Wake, New Hanover, Brunswick, and Avery.

H. B. 593, S. B. 606, an act supplementary to an act passed at the extra session of the General Assembly of 1913, to protect game in Davidson County.

H. B. 553, S. B. 602, an act to allow the qualified voters of Onslow County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 566, S. B. 310, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Beaufort, Avery and Watauga counties.

H. B. 244, S. B. 561, an act to regulate the time for holding the Superior Courts of Duplin County.

H. B. 492, S. B. 337, an act to validate deeds of married women who prior to September 24, 1913, were freetraders under sections 2112 and 2113 of The Revised or under sections 1827 and 1828 of The Code.

H. B. 494, S. B. 313, an act to extend the time for loading railroad cars for shipment before demurrage may be charged.

H. B. 609, S. B. 369, an act to amend chapter 458 of Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to road work in Bladen County.

H. B. 410, S. B. 517, an act to amend chapter 496, Public Local Laws of 1913, of North Carolina, relating to primary elections in Lee County.

H. B. 400, S. B. 555, an act to appoint justices of the peace for Number Five Township, Craven County.
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H. B. 495, S. B. 314, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time for holding courts in Brunswick County.

H. B. 325, S. B. 492, an act to amend chapters 33 and 79 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, in reference to improving the public roads in Albemarle Township, in Stanly County.

H. B. 588, S. B. 588, an act to amend section 1, Public Laws of 1907, so as to increase pensions of the fourth class from $30 to $32.

H. B. 387, S. B. 489, an act amending section 3001 of The Revisal of 1905, in regard to the fees to be charged for electrical inspection of buildings.

H. B. 474, S. B. 600, an act to provide an expert accountant for the Corporation Commission and otherwise provide clerical assistance.

H. B. 67, S. B. 472, an act to amend section 2762 of The Revisal of 1905.

H. R. 501, S. R. 525, a joint resolution to authorize and direct the North Carolina Historical Commission to submit a design and procure estimates of the cost of the execution and erection of a suitable monument to the North Carolina troops who participated in the battle of Gettysburg.

H. B. 221, S. B. 406, an act to amend chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913, being an act to provide for the holding of the terms of the Superior Courts of the State.

H. B. 529, S. B. 166, an act to provide a stenographer for each Superior Court.

H. B. 467, S. B. 312, an act to require common carriers to furnish weights of carload shipments in certain cases.

H. B. 582, S. B. 380, an act to repeal chapter 541 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, passed by the General Assembly at session of 1901.

H. B. 626, S. B. 628, an act to require witnesses to attend and be examined before the commission appointed under joint resolution of the General Assembly to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies.

H. B. 599, S. B. 625, an act to amend section 1138 of The Revisal of 1905, relative to street railways.

H. B. 384, S. B. 631, an act to amend chapter 115 of the Private Laws of 1899, amending the charter of the town of Greenville.

H. B. 630, S. B. 20, an act to amend the act establishing the Rockdale Public School District of Scotland County.

H. B. 60, S. B. 542, an act to correct an error in chapter 61, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the validation of registration of certain deeds and other instruments.

H. B. 36, S. B. 342, an act to authorize any consul-general to take proof and acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments, and to amend section 990 of The Revisal of 1905 accordingly.

H. R. 624, S. R. 623, a resolution to pay expenses of the committee who visited the School for the Feeble Minded, at Kinston, North Carolina.

H. R. 621, S. R. 624, a joint resolution relative to compensation of S. J. Hawkins.

H. R. 606, S. R. 611, a resolution in behalf of the clerks of the General Assembly.

H. R. 396, S. R. 572, a joint resolution to authorize the sale of thirty-five acres of land in the southeastern limits of the city of Raleigh, now used by the Institution for the Blind.

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H. B. 383, S. B. 536, an act to pay W. J. Benton pensions due him for the years 1911 and 1912.

H. B. 596, S. B. 627, an act to amend section 10 of chapter 368 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the manufacture or sale of foods, drugs, medicines or liquors.

H. B. 622, S. B. 583, an act to amend section 1, chapter 202, of the Public Local Laws of the session of 1913, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioners of Wake County to issue bonds to pay and fund the debt of the county board of education of Wake County."

H. B. 619, S. B. 622, an act to amend the charter of the town of Highlands, in Macon County.

H. B. 628, S. B. 630, an act to amend chapter 196, Public Laws of 1913, being an act regulating the holding of the Superior Courts of the State, and amending the paragraph relating to Onslow County.


H. B. 614, S. B. 620, an act making appropriation for State institutions.


H. B. 496, S. B. 333, an act to give the Superior Court of Beaufort County concurrent jurisdiction with recorder's court in Beaufort County.

H. B. 632, S. B. 381, an act to amend Revisal of 1905, section 3672, relating to removal of dead bodies, so that said section will not apply to a certain graveyard in Yancey County.

H. R. 577, S. R. 632, a resolution to increase the pay of laborers of the Senate and House of Representatives.

H. B. 26, S. B. 189, an act to prevent the killing, selling and shipping of veal in certain counties.

H. B. 590, S. B. 598, an act to appoint a justice of the peace for a certain township in Transylvania County.

H. B. 562, S. B. 597, an act to prevent dragnets being used in the waters of Rose Bay and its tributaries of Hyde County.

H. B. 552, S. B. 590, an act supplemental to an act ratified on the 3d day of October, 1913, being an act to amend chapter 261 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913, and being an act to provide for the working of the public roads of Greene County, and to provide for a special tax for the same, and to facilitate the disposition of road bonds.

H. B. 555, S. B. 599, an act supplementary to an act passed at the General Assembly of 1913, to authorize the road trustees of Thomasville Township, Davidson County, to borrow money and increase the tax levy.

H. B. 505, S. B. 532, an act to amend chapter 608 of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, session of 1913.

H. B. 312, S. B. 557, an act to prohibit the shipment of liquor into the town of Trinity.
H. B. 465, S. B. 146, an act to amend chapter 618 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to working the public roads of Robeson County.

H. B. 603, S. B. 576, an act to authorize and empower the policemen of the city of Washington to make arrests for the violation of city ordinances as they do for the violation of State offenses.

H. B. 468, S. B. 315, an act to allow the State Building Commission to pay out of the appropriation for the equipment of the State Administration Building for a vault placed in the Treasurer's office in the Capitol.

H. B. 472, S. B. 322, an act to repeal chapter 164 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1911, and to amend section 923 of the Public Laws of North Carolina, session of 1909, relative to deposits by fire insurance companies.

H. B. 608, S. B. 581, an act supplemental to an act amendatory of H. B. 355, S. B. 126, being File No. 141 in the office of the Secretary of State, ratified on the 6th day of October, 1913, at the special session of the General Assembly of North Carolina of said year, and being an act to amend chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1911, to wit, the charter of the city of Greensboro.

H. B. 592, S. B. 587, an act for the benefit of the clerk of the Superior Court of Bladen County.

H. B. 597, S. B. 608, an act to allow the qualified voters of Jones County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 309, S. B. 575, an act to authorize the commissioners of Lee County to submit to the qualified voters of said county the question of levying taxes for the payment of certain indebtedness.

H. B. 502, S. B. 617, an act to provide for the completion and maintenance of the North Carolina School for the Feeble Minded.

H. B. 507, S. B. 534, an act to amend chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1911, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the charter of Elizabeth City, North Carolina."

H. B. 559, S. B. 558, an act to amend chapter 197 of the Public Laws of 1911, in regard to the powers of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

H. B. 554, S. B. 568, an act to amend chapter 529 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to protect fish in Robeson County."

H. B. 613, S. B. 389, an act to amend chapter 623 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the sales of merchandise in bulk.

H. B. 625, S. B. 302, an act to authorize and direct the directors of the State's Prison to aid in the construction of a public road in Halifax Township, Halifax County, by convicts.

H. B. 558, S. B. 562, an act to increase the compensation of members of the board of education of Johnston County.

H. B. 335, S. B. 498, an act to amend chapter 509 of the Public Local Laws of 1913, relative to elections in New Hanover County.

H. B. 602, S. B. 330, an act to incorporate the Uwharrie and Pee Dee Valley Railroad Company.

H. B. 595, S. B. 605, an act to amend the Public Local Laws of 1913, chapter 692, establishing a recorder's court in Mount Airy Township, and repealing act of this session of the General Assembly relative to said act.

H. B. 601, S. B. 131, an act to amend chapter 344 of the Private Laws of 1899, incorporating the Salisbury and Fayetteville Coast Line Railway Company.
H. B. 616, S. B. 616, an act to repeal Senate Bill 317 and House Bill 469, of the extra session of 1913, being a bill to allow the qualified voters of Pender County to vote upon the question of stock law or no stock law.

H. B. 541, S. B. 610, an act to provide for the care and cleaning of the new State building.

H. B. 411, S. B. 531, an act to establish stock law in Yancey County.

H. B. 363, S. B. 481, an act relative to the establishment of school districts in Madison County.

H. B. 320, S. B. 491, an act to establish a medical depository for the city of Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

H. B. 610, S. B. 378, an act to authorize the board of commissioners of Bladen County to issue bonds.

H. B. 611, S. B. 118, an act supplemental of and to amend the public road law of the county of Nash as contained in chapter 451 of the Public Local Laws of 1911, as amended by chapter 314 of the Public Local Laws of 1913.

H. R. 623, S. R. 615, a resolution concerning the publication of the laws, journals and documents of the special session of 1913.

H. R. 600, S. R. 467, a joint resolution in regard to extra compensation of the principal clerks of the General Assembly for the extra session of 1913.

H. R. 607, S. R. 582, a resolution to pay the widow of the late W. G. Hall, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, for full time, and to pay John S. Williams the sum of four dollars per day and mileage for services he has rendered in the place of the Sergeant-at-Arms since the latter became unable, by reason of sickness, to perform those duties.

H. R. 634, S. R. 634, a resolution in behalf of T. G. Cobb, Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Senator W. F. Evans, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that he has examined the following bill and finds it to be properly engrossed:

S. B. 362. a bill to authorize and direct the directors of the State's Prison, to aid in the construction of a public road in Halifax Township, Halifax County, by convicts.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, containing S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, with the report of the conference committee relating thereto, as follows:

The conference committee of the Senate and House of Representatives, having under consideration the differences between the two houses on H. B. 43, S. B. 601, being a bill to be entitled an act to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, beg leave to submit the following recommendations:

We recommend that the House recede from Paragraph II of the original bill, and concur in Paragraph II of the Senate substitute, so that Paragraph II will read as follows:

II. By striking out section 28 of Article II and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 28. The members of the General Assembly for the term for which they have been elected shall receive as compensation for their services the
sum of six dollars per day for each day of their session, for a period not exceeding sixty days; and should they remain longer in session they shall serve without compensation. They shall also be entitled to receive five cents per mile both while coming to the seat of government and while returning home, the said distance to be computed by the nearest line or route of public travel. The compensation of the presiding officers of the two houses shall be eight dollars per day and mileage. Should an extra session of the General Assembly be called, the members and presiding officers shall receive a like rate of compensation for a period not exceeding twenty days."

We recommend that the House recede from the following language in Paragraph III:

"Unless the said highways shall extend into two or more counties," in lines eight and nine of said paragraph; and "unless said ferries or bridges shall connect or affect two or more counties," in lines ten and eleven of said paragraph; and further recommend that the following language in line twelve of said paragraph of the original bill, "relating to game or hunting," be adopted.

That the following language be inserted in lieu of lines sixteen and seventeen of the said paragraph of the original bill, and of lines seventeen and eighteen of the said paragraph of the Senate substitute:

"Erecting new townships or changing township lines, or establishing or changing the lines of school districts."

That the word "its," in line twenty-eight of the said paragraph of the bill, be stricken out, and that the following language of lines twenty-eight and twenty-nine of the said paragraph of the Senate substitute, "enacted by it," be substituted in lieu thereof.

That the Senate recede from the words, "relating to the establishment of recorders' courts," in line five of the said paragraph of the Senate substitute, and that the words, "relating to the establishment of courts inferior to the Superior Court," be adopted in lieu thereof.

That the language, "relating to dog tax" and "relating to salaries of county officers," in lines six and seven of the said paragraph of the Senate substitute be rejected.

That the language, "relating to the appointment of justices of the peace," in line eight of the said paragraph of the Senate substitute be adopted, so that Paragraph III shall read as follows:

III. By adding at the end of Article II a new section, to wit:

"Sec. 29. The General Assembly shall not pass any local, private or special act or resolution:

"Relating to the establishment of courts inferior to the Superior Court.

"Relating to the appointment of justices of the peace.

"Relating to health, sanitation and abatement of nuisances.

"Changing the names of cities, towns and townships.

"Authorizing the laying out, opening, altering, maintaining, or discontinuing highways, streets or alleys.

"Relating to ferries or bridges.

"Relating to game or hunting.

"Relating to non-navigable streams.

"Relating to cemeteries.

"Relating to the pay of jurors."
"Erecting new townships, or changing township lines, or establishing or changing lines of school districts.

"Remitting fines, penalties and forfeitures, or refunding moneys legally paid into the public treasury.

"Regulating labor, trade, mining, or manufacturing.

"Extending the time for the assessment or collection of taxes or otherwise relieving any collector of taxes from the due performance of his official duties or his sureties from liability.

"Giving effect to informal wills and deeds.

"Nor shall the General Assembly enact any such local, private or special act by the partial repeal of a general law; but the General Assembly may at any time repeal local, private or special laws enacted by it.

"Any local, private or special act or resolution passed in violation of the provisions of this section shall be void.

"The General Assembly shall have power to pass general laws regulating the matters set out in this section."

We recommend that the Senate recede from Paragraph V of the Senate substitute, relating to increasing the jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

We recommend that Paragraph VI of the bill, being the following, "VI. By striking out sections twenty, twenty-six and thirty-three of Article IV," be adopted.

We recommend that the Senate recede from the language, "one dollar," in line eight (8) of section 5 of Article V, Revenue and Taxation, Paragraph VII of the Senate substitute, and that the language, "seventy-five cents ($.75)," in lines eight (8) and nine (9) of section 5 of Article V, Revenue and Taxation, Paragraph VII of the original bill, be adopted.

We further recommend that the language, "by an act of the General Assembly or," in line fifteen (15) of section 5 of Article V, Revenue and Taxation, Paragraph VII of the original bill, be adopted, so that the section will read as follows:

"Sec. 5. The ad valorem taxes on real estate and personal property shall not exceed for all State and county purposes sixty-six and two-thirds cents (662/3%) per annum on the one hundred dollars ($100) assessed valuation of such property, unless a greater rate be approved by a majority of those who shall vote at an election held thereon. The ad valorem taxes collected on real estate and personal property by cities and towns shall not exceed, for all purposes, seventy-five cents ($.75) per annum on the one hundred dollars ($100) assessed valuation, unless a greater rate by approved by a majority of those who shall vote at an election held thereon: Provided, that these limitations on the rate of taxation shall not apply to taxes necessary to pay debts contracted prior to the adoption of this amendment, nor to taxes here-tofore authorized by an act of the General Assembly or by vote of the people."

We further recommend that the House recede from section 6, Article V, Revenue and Taxation. Paragraph VII of the original bill, and that the Senate recede from section 6, Article V, Revenue and Taxation, Paragraph VII of the Senate substitute, and that the following be adopted as section 6, Article V, Revenue and Taxation, of Paragraph VII, namely:

"Sec. 6. The General Assembly shall provide for a capitation tax on every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under fifty years of age, but not exceeding two dollars ($2) per annum for all State and county pur-
poses, and municipalities may be authorized by the General Assembly to levy a capitation tax, but not exceeding the amount hereinbefore authorized for State and county purposes. The proceeds collected from State and county capitation taxes shall be applied to the purposes of education and the support of the poor in such proportion as the General Assembly may direct. The General Assembly may also provide, by general law, for the exemption from payment of said capitation tax in special cases on account of poverty and infirmity."

We recommend that the House recede from section 7 of Article V, Revenue and Taxation, Paragraph VII of the original bill, and that section 5 of Article V, Revenue and Taxation, Paragraph VII of the Senate substitute, be adopted.

We recommend that the House recede from Paragraph IX of the original bill, and that Paragraph IX of the Senate substitute be adopted.

We further recommend that the language of Paragraph IX of the original bill, which is not contained in Paragraph IX of the Senate substitute, be incorporated into a new paragraph and new amendment to be submitted to the people, which shall read as follows:

"X. By striking out section 4 of Article VIII, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the Legislature to provide by general laws for the organization of cities, towns, and incorporated villages, and to restrict their power of taxation, assessment, borrowing money, contracting debts, and loaning their credit, so as to prevent abuses in assessment and in contracting debts by such municipal corporations."

We further recommend that Paragraph VIII be combined with Paragraph I, so that Paragraph I shall read as follows:

"I. By striking out of Article I, section 6, the words 'insurrection or rebellion against the United States,' and inserting in lieu thereof the following words, 'the war between the States,' and by striking out the word 'rebellion,' in section 13 of Article VII, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, 'war between the States.'"

We further recommend that the succeeding paragraphs be renumbered so as to be consecutive after the elimination of Paragraph VIII heretofore combined with Paragraph I.

We further recommend that all of the provisions of the original bill and Senate substitute on which there was no difference between the two houses, together with the differences between the two houses which have been adjusted by the conference committee, be incorporated into a substitute bill, which is submitted with this report, and which substitute bill the conference committee recommends for your adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

A. T. Grant, Jr.,
A. D. Ivest,
ZEBULON WEaver.

Members on the part of the Senate.

R. R. Williams,
HENRY A. Page,
E. J. Justice,

Members on the part of the House.
Upon motion of Senator Ivie, the report is adopted.

S. B. 601, H. B. 43, a bill to amend the Constitution of North Carolina, which accompanied this report from the House of Representatives, passes second reading as follows, ayes 33, noes 3:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Evans of Pitt, Little of Anson, Mashburn—3.

The bill passes third reading, ayes 35, noes 3, as follows:


Those voting in the negative are: Senators Evans of Pitt, Little of Anson, Mashburn—3.

A message is received from the House of Representatives, stating that it has finished its business and awaits the pleasure of the Senate to name the hour for adjournment.

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives, informing that honorable body that the Senate has completed its business and will be ready to adjourn at 8:30 p.m.

The hour of 8:30 o'clock having arrived, the President of the Senate declares the Senate of the General Assembly of the extra session of 1913 adjourned sine die.

E. L. Daughtridge,
Lieutenant-Governor and President of the Senate.

R. O. Self,
Principal Clerk.
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