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Pursuant to a call of his Excellency, Governor Luther H. Hodges, hereinafter recorded, the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina convenes in its Hall in Extraordinary Session, at the hour of twelve o'clock Noon, Monday, July 23, 1956 and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Moore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain. The Reading Clerk reads the following Proclamation by the Governor:

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of 1955, by Resolution No. 29, directed the appointment of a committee, known as the Advisory Committee on Education, “to provide counsel and advice to the Governor, the General Assembly, the State Board of Education, and the county and local school boards throughout the State,” and

WHEREAS, the Advisory Committee on Education, on April 5, 1956, filed a report with the Governor, and said in its report:

“We recommend that a special session of the General Assembly of North Carolina be called this summer to consider submitting to the people the question of changes in our State Constitution.

“We recommend that this Legislature cause to be submitted to a vote of the people of North Carolina constitutional amendments, or a single amendment to achieve these desirable and, we think, necessary results:

“1. Authority for the General Assembly to provide from public funds financial grants to be paid toward the education of any child assigned against the wishes of his parents to a school in which the races are mixed—such grants to be available for education only in non-sectarian schools and only when such child cannot be conveniently assigned to a non-mixed public school.
"2. Authority for any local unit created pursuant to law and under conditions to be prescribed by the General Assembly, to suspend by majority vote the operation of the public schools in that unit, notwithstanding present constitutional provisions for public schools."

WHEREAS, the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, in the interpretation of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, have created special problems in the State of North Carolina and extraordinary occasions have occurred as a result of said decisions, and it is deemed necessary, in order to provide means for the continuing education of our youth to submit to the people of the State amendments to our State Constitution and to enact legislation in order that our youth may be educated.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Luther H. Hodges, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do, by and with the advice of the Council of State, proclaim that the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina shall meet in Extraordinary Session at Raleigh, North Carolina, at Noon, on Monday, July 23, 1956, for the purpose of considering and acting upon the report of the North Carolina Advisory Committee, created pursuant to Resolution No. 29 of the 1955 General Assembly, and to enact such legislation, including the proposed constitutional amendments, as may be appropriate to give effect to said report and to provide a continuing means of educating the youth of the State of North Carolina. I do hereby call upon, notify and direct all members of the said General Assembly to meet at the Capitol, in the City of Raleigh, at Noon, on July 23, 1956, in such General Assembly as provided by the Constitution.

Done at our capital city of Raleigh, this 19th day of June, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

(S) LUTHER H. HODGES
Governor

By the Governor:
ED L. RANKIN, JR.
Private Secretary

QUORUM CALL

The roll of members and members-elect is called and the following answer to their names:

Mr. Speaker Moore announces that a quorum of the membership is present and proceeds with the business of the House.

The following members-elect are called to the Dais by the Speaker; they come forward bringing with them their credentials and take and subscribe to their oath of office:

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"Do you, each for yourself, solemnly swear that you will support the Constitution of the United States; and do you solemnly and sincerely swear that you will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the government thereof; and that you will endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of your knowledge and ability; and do you further solemnly swear that you will faithfully discharge your duties as members of the House of Representatives of the State of North Carolina according to the best of your skill and ability and according to law, so help you, God?"

Oath administered July 23, 1956.

(S) EMORY B. DENNY
Associate Justice, Supreme Court of North Carolina
Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives informing that Honorable Body that the Senate is organized and is now ready to proceed with the public business, and for your information advises that the following officers have been elected:

President Pro Tempore—Paul E. Jones
Principal Clerk—S. Ray Byerly
Reading Clerk—W. H. Byrd
Sergeant-at-Arms—Herman Scott

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly
Principal Clerk

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. 1, a joint resolution informing his Excellency, the Governor, that the Extra Session of the General Assembly of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Six is ready to proceed with public business, and inviting him to address a Joint Extra Session of the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, the Resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.
Rules suspended.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 1 entitled, "a joint resolution informing his Excellency, the Governor, that the Extra Session of the General Assembly of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Six is ready to proceed with public business, and inviting him to address a Joint Session of the General Assembly," the President has appointed as a committee on the part of the Senate to act with a like committee on the part of the House to escort his Excellency, the Governor, to the Hall of the House to address the Extra Session, Senators: Jones, Medford and Crew.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly
Principal Clerk
Pursuant to the above message and S. R. No. 1, the Speaker appoints as a committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Maddrey, O'Herron, Etheridge, Gavin and Umstead, and the Senate is so notified.

The Speaker announces that any vacancy of the Rules Committee occasioned by resignation of a member is to be filled by the member now representing that County.

Mr. Womble of Wake, Chairman of the Rules Committee, presents to the House the following Report:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

The Committee on Rules recommends that the permanent Rules adopted by the House at the regular Session which convened on January 4, 1955 shall be the permanent Rules for the House during the Extra and/or Special Session of the General Assembly convening on July 23, 1956, with the addition of Rule No. 75, which will read as follows:

RULE NO. 75

The permanent rules adopted by the House at the regular Session which convened on January 4, 1955 shall be in full force and effect during the Extra and/or Special Session of the General Assembly convening on July 23, 1956, with the following additions and exceptions:

(a) Only bills which pertain to public schools and which tend to solve or help solve the problems created by the segregation decisions of the United States Supreme Court shall be considered at the Extra and/or Special Session, and any bill offered for introduction which does not meet the test prescribed by this Rule shall be declared out of order by the presiding officer;

(b) All bills introduced at the Extra and/or Special Session shall be referred to a Committee of the Whole House and it shall not be necessary for any bill to go to any other Committee;

(c) Before the Committee of the Whole House shall act on any bill referred to it, the House as a Committee for the purpose of hearings only and not as a Committee of the Whole shall sit in joint session with a like committee from the Senate, in the Auditorium of the Highway Building, for the purpose of public hearings;

(d) Following the public hearings on the bills introduced at the Extra and/or Special Session, the House, as a Committee of the Whole, shall consider the bills which have been referred to it, and any amendments offered thereto, but no vote shall be taken on any amendment by the Committee of the whole House until the bills and the suggested amendments have been re-referred to a sub-committee, to be appointed by the Speaker, which shall give careful study to suggested amendments and thereafter report to the Committee of the Whole House.

(e) The Speaker shall preside over the Committee of the whole House and the Rules of procedure adopted for the House shall govern in the Committee of the Whole House.
On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, seconded by Mr. Fowler, the Report of the Rules Committee is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Woodard, William Henry Yarborough, son of Representative and Mrs. Yarborough of Franklin County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Pou, the courtesies of the floor are extended Mr. W. C. Harris of Wake County, Democratic Nominee to the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Vogler, Rosemary and Rachel Blankenship, and Davis and Stephen Blankenship, daughters and sons of Representative and Mrs. Blankenship of Mecklenburg County, are made honorary pagettes and pages, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, the House takes a recess to meet tonight at 8:15 o'clock.

NIGHT SESSION

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Moore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
July 23, 1956

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to Joint Resolution No. 1 entitled, "a joint resolution informing his Excellency, the Governor, that the Extra Session of the General Assembly of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Six is ready to proceed with public business, and inviting him to address a Joint Extra Session of the General Assembly", the Senate stands ready to repair to the Hall of the House, there to sit in Joint Session with your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly
Principal Clerk

JOINT SESSION

Pursuant to Resolution heretofore adopted, and an exchange of messages between the two Houses, the Sergeant-at-Arms announces the approach of the Senate and that Body, preceded by its officers, comes into the Hall of the House and are assigned seats, President Barnhardt at the right of Mr. Speaker Moore, the purpose of the Joint Session being to hear a message of his Excellency, Governor Luther H. Hodges.
The Joint Assembly is called to order by Mr. President Barnhardt.

The Joint Committee of the House and Senate comes into the Hall of the House acting as escort to Governor Hodges.

Senator Jones presents Governor Hodges to President Barnhardt and Mr. Speaker Moore; Governor Hodges is then presented to the Joint Assembly by President Barnhardt.

His Excellency, Governor Hodges, makes the following address to the Joint Session:

ADDRESS BY GOVERNOR LUTHER H. HODGES BEFORE JOINT SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA, MEETING IN SPECIAL SESSION

Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, and Members of the General Assembly:

We face tonight one of the greatest crises which North Carolina has ever experienced and affecting at this moment the lives of more than a million school children.

You have been asked to leave your work and families to assemble here in what might well prove to be one of the most important and historic meetings of our General Assembly. It was with a great deal of concern that your Governor and Council of State felt it necessary to call this extraordinary session of the legislature. All of us wish it could have been avoided, however, since in our judgment it could not, I want to say that I am glad to see all of you and to know that as of today, the high responsibility for protecting our public schools will be shared by an additional 170 able, informed and devoted public servants. I know that you as a group are determined to protect our schools insofar as possible under the law. And that is as it should be.

The people of North Carolina whom we all represent, and in whose interest we are assembled at this special session, do not take lightly the danger in which our schools have been placed. There is a deep and abiding faith in the value of the public schools as we have known them, and the people of North Carolina do not expect us to stand idly by, as some have suggested, while our public schools are ruined in the course of a sociological experiment sought to be carried out at the expense of our children. It is my firm belief that on the contrary, the people of North Carolina expect their General Assembly and their Governor to do everything legally possible to prevent their children from being forced to attend mixed schools against their wishes.

Let us consider for a few minutes the original source of the trouble that has made this special meeting of the General Assembly necessary. I refer, of course, to the Supreme Court of the United States and its school segregation decisions. As you know, the 1954 decision by the Supreme Court overturned an interpretation of some 60 years' standing, placed upon the Fourteenth Amendment by that Court, to the effect that separate but equal facilities did not violate the terms of equal protection contained in that Amendment.
In overturning the previous interpretation, the Court ignored completely the well-established and often-cited doctrine; that an interpretation of the Constitution when it has been accepted over a long number of years by all branches of government fixes the construction on a point and it cannot thereafter be changed except by an amendment of the Constitution itself. Thus, what the Court actually did in the 1954 segregation decision went far beyond the mere results of the case. What the Court did was to take unto itself the power to amend the Constitution without consulting Congress or the people of the several states. And on what basis did the Court place this unwarranted assumption of power? The Court said this:

"In approaching this problem, we cannot turn the clock back to 1868 when the Amendment was adopted, or even to 1896 when Plessy v. Ferguson was written. We must consider public education in the light of its full development and its present place in American life throughout the nation. Only in this way can it be determined if segregation in public schools deprives these plaintiffs of the equal protection of the laws."

The clear meaning of these words is that the Court has definitely informed the people of the United States that then and henceforth it intends to change the Constitution whenever the members of the Court think it ought to be changed, without regard for what was intended by the Congress and the people, and without regard to previous interpretations of the Supreme Court, no matter how well-established.

With deep seriousness, I would say a doctrine more dangerous to the very life of our Government could not, in my humble opinion, be devised. I recommend that this General Assembly, through an appropriate resolution, alert the other states and the entire nation to the perilous pitfalls lurking in such a doctrine. As I said in a speech made in New York last January:

"Eventually, if such a method of making decisions is followed, there will be a decision which conflicts with the customs and beliefs of other parts of the country as seriously as this one does with those of the South. Perhaps then the rest of the United States will realize the extent of the power which nine men assumed when they made their segregation decisions—and perhaps then it may be too late."

Occasionally I am asked why I do not urge our State to defy the Court's decision if I am really sincere in my belief that the decision represents an unlawful seizure of power by the Supreme Court in derogation of the Constitution of the United States. I would like to take this opportunity to answer that question, insasmuch as I definitely do not propose that this State defy the Supreme Court, even though I am convinced that the segregation decisions constitute an unlawful usurpation of power.

North Carolina is one of the United States and North Carolinians are citizens of the United States. We are each and all a part of one indivisible nation and none of us, I am sure, would have it otherwise. When our Nation's Government takes a wrong road, as, in my opinion it is
doing by allowing the Supreme Court decisions to be enforced as law, we in North Carolina will do everything we can to alert the rest of the nation that a wrong road has been taken and to use our influence in such manner as we can to change the bad state of affairs. But, and this is important, North Carolinians have no desire or intent to defy our country's government, simply because we believe it is making an error. In the first place, a course of defiance would forfeit whatever chance we might have of convincing the rest of the nation that our position in this matter is sincere. In the second place, such a course would get us nowhere. I suppose my feelings on this can be summed up simply by paraphrasing a toast offered by Stephen Decatur many, many years ago:

"Our Country . . . May She always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong."

No, we are not going to defy the Court, but I'll tell you what we are going to do. We are going to use every legal means we can devise to insure that the effects of what we feel is an erroneous decision by the Supreme Court are not forced on our State in a fashion which could deprive us of one of our dearest possessions, namely—our public schools. It is to that end that we are assembled here in special session.

You will recall, I am sure, that during the primary election of state officers, including members of the General Assembly, very little difference of opinion appeared in this State on the mixing of the races in the public schools. This fact was largely attributable, in my opinion, to wide public acceptance of the recommendations contained in the April 5th Report of the North Carolina Advisory Committee on Education. I know most of you have already read and studied that Report, but since it has not previously been presented to the General Assembly in session, I would like to present it formally to you now by incorporating it into this message by reference. We shall not deal with the Committee's April 5th Report in detail tonight, but I would like to read to you the two fundamental premises upon which its recommendations are based. They are:

"1. We are of the unanimous opinion that the people of North Carolina will not support mixed schools. This is to say that we believe if the schools were integrated in this State, the General Assembly, representing the people, would withhold support to a degree that the result would certainly be the ruin and eventual abandonment of the public schools. Whether a particular viewpoint finds this conclusion to be good or bad, pleasant or unpleasant, it remains our conclusion and we state it as such.

"2. The second threshold conclusion, of which we are quite sure, is that the saving of our public schools requires action now. To do nothing would, we believe, destroy our public schools. Those who would insure the preservation of the public schools are those who would act. The United States Supreme Court has dealt our schools a near fatal blow, and it now requires positive action to save them."
The statements just read are, of course, matters of opinion. They are true in the opinion of the members of the Committee. They are true in the opinion of your Governor and other public officials and private citizens who have endorsed what has come to be known as the Pearsall Plan. But, in the final analysis, you, the members of the General Assembly, are the best judges of the truth of those conclusions. It is my impression that you also believe them to be true.

Convinced then that if we allow the full force of mixing the races to hit our public schools, they will wither and die from lack of support, and, convinced that the time for action is at hand, I am sure you will want to start to get action in this session without delay—as to how long this will take, it is up to you. And that brings us now to the Advisory Committee's Report of today (July 23rd), which contains the recommended legislation which I approve, and which I hereby transmit to you.

I should like now to read you this July 23rd Report of the Advisory Committee on Education, omitting, of course, the reading of the proposed legislative bills included therein. May I now read:

"The July 23rd (1956) Report of the North Carolina Advisory Committee on Education to the Governor and General Assembly of North Carolina:

"The thinking and recommendations of the North Carolina Advisory Committee on Education in connection with the problems growing out of the segregation decisions of the United States Supreme Court, were stated and made public in the Committee's Report on April 5. The Committee would like to express its grateful appreciation for the reception given that Report and the support it has received both from officials of the State and the general public of the State.

"We will not repeat here all of the thoughts expressed in that Report, but we do take this opportunity to say that nothing has occurred since its publication which would indicate any need for change in the opinions and recommendations stated therein.

"The present Report is, therefore, largely for the purpose of transmitting officially to the Governor and General Assembly the proposed legislation we believe necessary to implement the recommendations contained in the April 5th Report. This proposed legislation is incorporated in and made a part of this Report.

"In addition to transmitting recommended legislation, the Committee includes herein a brief and summary description of its work since April 5.

"Immediately following publication of the April 5th Report, the Committee and its staff, assisted by personnel from the Governor's Office, the Attorney General's Office, and the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, undertook to prepare rules and regulations to be recommended to local school boards for the implementation and the administration of the 1955 Assignment Law. This task consumed several weeks, and during this time, extended conferences were held with representatives from the Superintendent's Division of the North Carolina
Education Association and with members of the Policy Board of the North Carolina School Board Association. These representatives furnished a great deal of help to the Committee and those working with it.

"As soon as drafts of rules and regulations had been prepared to the satisfaction of all those mentioned above, conferences were held throughout the State with school superintendents, school board attorneys, and members of local school boards for the purpose of explaining the provisions of the rules and regulations and pointing out how they best could be used. These conferences were, in the opinion of the Committee, highly successful and most of the local school boards in North Carolina immediately thereafter adopted necessary rules and regulations in connection with the 1955 Assignment Act.

"Immediately following completion of that phase of our work having to do with rules and regulations, the Committee and its staff, again with the assistance from the Governor's Office, the Attorney General's Office, and The Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, began the task of drafting the proposed legislation, which is included in this Report. As soon as tentative drafts could be prepared, four conferences were scheduled for the purpose of securing the advice and counsel of members of the General Assembly. These conferences were held at Rocky Mount, Kinston, Lexington, and Waynesville. The Committee is deeply appreciative of the help of the members of the General Assembly in completing the drafts of this legislation. We believe that the conferences were in the public interest and were highly productive. We further believe that the work of the General Assembly in the Special Session, beginning July 23, will be considerably facilitated as the result of those conferences.

"In concluding this present report the Committee believes it advisable, for the purposes of emphasis, to repeat here certain paragraphs from its Report of April 5."

The Report then quotes several paragraphs from the April 5th Report, pointing out that:

1. The Supreme Court has never said that a child must go to a school with children of another race.

2. Although a child cannot be barred from a public school solely because of race, nevertheless, a sympathetic Court could recognize the difference between exclusion solely because of race and exclusion because of local conditions, even if race is one of the causes of the condition.

3. The original Governor's Special Advisory Committee, which included three Negroes among its members, unanimously concluded that the effective operation of the schools is impossible except in conformity with community attitudes.

4. The people of North Carolina must be assured of escape possibilities from intolerable situations, before they will give the necessary long-term support to an honest trial of the Assignment Plan passed by the regular session of the 1955 General Assembly.
5. The education expense grant and local option plans will provide the necessary escape possibilities, and these proposals are, therefore, recommended.

The Committee concludes its Report of July 23rd by pledging itself to continued study of the problem and urging in the meantime the adoption of the proposed legislation included in the Report. The Report is signed by all seven members of the Committee.

The bills which are a part of the Report are: First, the bill containing the recommended amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina; second, the bill setting up the necessary machinery for holding the election in which the people will vote on the amendment; (the members of the North Carolina Supreme Court have said in an advisory opinion, which was given in answer to an inquiry by the Governor sometime ago, that the proposed constitutional amendment may be voted on by the people at an election held before November, if you so authorize); third, the bill providing for educational expense grants; fourth, the bill setting up the system of local option; fifth, the bill modifying the compulsory school attendance law; sixth, the bill authorizing appropriations from the Contingency and Emergency Fund for education expense grants; seventh, the bill amending the 1955 Assignment Act; and finally, a resolution of condemnation and protest against the usurpation of power by the United States Supreme Court.

We shall not attempt at this time any detailed discussion of this proposed legislation, other than a brief comment on the proposed constitutional amendment on which the people of the State will be asked to vote in September, assuming you authorize it. The two items (or "safety valves") of school attendance grants and local option are joined together in one amendment. This was purposely done because it was felt that it takes both of them to give our people the protection they need. If there were two amendments as suggested by some, the people might vote "for" the attendance grant and "against" the local option. In such an instance, members of one race could take over a public school building vacated by the other race and the latter have no recourse.

If the people vote "for" local option and "against" attendance grant, a school might be closed by vote but neither race could receive an attendance grant nor could they attend another public school.

So you see, these amendments should stand together. I should like, however, to emphasize two major points which should be kept in mind when considering these bills. First, they are completely permissive in nature. The proposed constitutional amendment could be adopted, and all of these bills enacted, and there would not necessarily be any change in the school assignment of any child, and no educational expense grants paid, and no votes on suspending schools, and no suspension of schools anywhere. Their provisions will be used only in the event they are necessary; and the only ones who can decide whether and when their use is necessary are the people themselves—the individual citizens and the local communities of this State. That is our answer to those who have ex-
pressed doubt that this legislation is really necessary. If it is not needed, it will not be used; if it is, it will be available ready for us. But we owe it to the people to have it available.

I emphasize again, the legislation recommended to implement the Pearsall Plan is permissive only. It is in truth, as the Committee has described it, "safety valve" legislation.

The second point I want to mention about this legislation is that it does not require either segregation or integration. There are some who have accused the Pearsall Plan of permitting integration. To be kind to them, I suppose their thinking grows out of the fact that the Plan does not forbid integration. The truth of the matter is that the decision of the Supreme Court is what would permit integration, and any plan that attempted to forbid integration as a matter of law would be void on its face and of no protection whatever. No, this legislation does not make mandatory segregation or integration. It simply attempts to provide both the individual and the community the widest possible choice under the law.

So what do we mean when we say that the Pearsall Plan is permissive and not mandatory? We mean that our people will not, under its provisions, be forced to do anything; they will be, on the contrary, permitted to make the important decisions themselves. First, the entire Plan is to be submitted to all the people of the State in a referendum, and, second, no change can be made in the status of the school or schools in any locality without a vote of the people immediately concerned. This is what I like about the Pearsall Plan—it's faith in the people, its trust in the democratic process.

Ask yourselves this simple question as you deliberate over this legislation: Is there any plan that you know of which can do a better job for the people of North Carolina?

There are those who sincerely insist that it is dangerous to give individual citizens and communities the choices offered by this legislation. There are some, equally sincere, who say that the educational expense grant is acceptable, but insist that no community should be given authority to suspend the operation of its schools.

Our answer is that we believe the overwhelming majority of parents can be relied upon to act in the best interest of their children. Furthermore, if conditions are ever so bad in a community that the people there will vote to suspend the operation of their schools, then conditions are so bad that those schools could not be successfully operated anyhow.

Perhaps, in the final analysis, the best way to evaluate the Pearsall Plan is to compare it with other courses of action that have been suggested at one time or another. One course would be simply to pass a bill automatically closing any school in which any mixing of the races, however slight, occurred. To me there are two things wrong with this suggestion. One, it seems to me that if a State offers to provide schools for one community and denies them to another, the act would not stand up constitutionally. (It will be remembered that under our program, the State,
at all times, offers to provide schools to all communities alike, and it is only the community which by popular vote can refuse the offer.) The second thing wrong with the suggestion is that it would deprive the people of any say so in the matter; and, if I am any judge of the character of the people of North Carolina, they are not going to be deprived very long of their right of choice in any public matter, especially in public schools.

Another course of action suggested by some—although fortunately, they are few—is to pass legislation which would require integrating the schools. I don't have to dwell long on this suggestion, but it can be pointed out that it, too, would deprive the people of North Carolina a choice in the matter.

Then, there are those who would simply do nothing and let the tide of events carry us where it will. The end result of this course of action or inaction could easily be integration with no choice and no relief, with the consequence of our schools being starved to death for lack of legislative and public support. All of us are happy to have these plans suggested, provided, as I have publicly said many times, the proposer or critic makes the suggestion with the idea of preserving the schools and the peace. Those who voice disagreement with the plan being submitted should have an alternate plan or suggestion, but the proposer, representing an individual, a group, or a newspaper should evidence honesty, sincerity and unselfishness. The worst situation I can imagine is one in which someone, of whatever race or affiliation, deliberately tries to create doubt and confusion among members of your distinguished body, well-meaning groups, and of the public in general. These particular critics do not really love their State or its schools.

It is my firm conviction that your Advisory Committee has recommended to you the best possible course of action at this time.

I would like now, and I believe I can speak for most of you in this, to express the State's grateful appreciation to the members of the North Carolina Advisory Committee on Education for the sincere and devoted service they have given their State. The members are: Mr. Thomas J. Pearsall, Chairman; Mr. William T. Joyner, Vice-Chairman; Senator Lunsford Crew; Senator William Medford; Representative Cloyd Philpott; Representative Edward Yarborough; and Mr. Robert O. Huffman. To these fine citizens, I say, “Well done, and thank you.”

There are two other gentlemen who particularly deserve the deep appreciation of our State for their tireless efforts in connection with this problem. They are Attorney General, William B. Rodman, Jr., and Superintendent of Public Instruction, Dr. Charles F. Carroll. To them also, I say, “Well done, and thank you.”

One other thing needs to be said in connection with what the Advisory Committee has proposed. It is that any real long-term success of North Carolina, in meeting the school problem, is going to depend substantially on voluntary separate school attendance, and that the races work in harmony for the overall good. This means, and I cannot emphasize it too
strongly, that every community in this State must see that all school facilities are truly equal. We cannot, and need not, in my judgment, expect Negro parents to be willing to send their children to dilapidated and unsanitary school buildings. Any community allowing such conditions to exist should not be surprised if they find themselves in serious trouble. I urge sincerely that any inequality in school facilities be eliminated without delay.

Incidentally, the Honorable Edwin Gill, our State Treasurer, tells me that we will shortly market the last $25 million of State school bonds, which should aid substantially in the overall program of providing adequate facilities for all the school children of North Carolina.

And now, may I suggest the spirit in which we as North Carolinians should approach the solution of this great crisis.

It seems to me that perhaps the greatest virtue in life is the quality of self-restraint or moderation, if you prefer. I realize only too well my own weaknesses and shortcomings, and I have no desire to question the motives and faults of others.

So let us rather reason together and find, if we can, a common ground for the salvation of our schools. I know there are extremes on this issue; those who would go far to the left, and those who would get equally as far to the right. It is neither fear nor lack of conviction that makes me stay nearer the middle; it is a sincere desire to be the Governor of all the people of whatever belief, of whatever extremes, and to lead as best I can the State in a moderate fashion to help solve this problem pressing down upon us.

The people of North Carolina have been wonderful. I am proud of their restraint, their moderation, their love for our schools. Working together without pride of our own opinion, we may make a contribution of which we and our children can be proud.

I urge the State and each citizen to be calm and have the spirit of moderation. Perhaps my feelings can best be expressed by quoting from one of the nation’s most eminent judges, the Honorable Learned Hand:

“What is the spirit of moderation? It is the temper which does not press a partisan advantage to its bitter end, which can understand and will respect the other side, which feels a unity between all citizens—which recognizes their common fate and their common aspirations—in a word, which has faith in the sacredness of the individual.”

And now, ladies and gentlemen of the General Assembly, those of us who have struggled with this responsibility through these past several months, place the matter in your capable hands. While it is true that the Advisory Committee has taken the initiative in making these proposals, it has been done at your direction, through your Resolution No. 29, adopted during the regular session of the 1955 General Assembly. Furthermore, the proposed bills have been hammered out with your help and advice in two series of legislators’ conferences, plus innumerable personal conferences,
both within and without the legislative ranks. We have done the best we knew how to devise a sensible and acceptable plan for your consideration. Of course, no one contends that this plan is perfect, nor can anyone predict with absolute certainty its ultimate effect—for we must remember that we are sailing uncharted seas. Yours is the power to accept it as is, to modify and change it if you desire, or to discard it completely, if you see fit. I know that you realize the vast amount of thought and work and prayer that have been given to the program we are submitting to you, but you as individual legislators will, of course, vote as your conscience dictates.

I have publicly said on many occasions that the 1955 General Assembly was composed of sincere, devoted and able public servants. Whatever, in your wisdom, you decide to do, will, I am confident, be decided in the public interest.

Good luck and Godspeed."

After the Governor's address, on motion of Senator Jones the Joint Assembly dissolves, the Senate repairs to its Chamber and the House resumes consideration of its business.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. R. 3, a joint resolution to authorize and provide for the printing of the Governor's Address to the General Assembly of the Extra Session of 1956.

On motion of Mr. Harriss of Rowan, the rules are suspended and the Resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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 Messrs. Yarborough of Franklin and Philpott:

H. B. 1, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize education expense grants and to authorize local option to suspend operation of public schools.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

And,

H. B. 2, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a general election on September 8, 1956.
Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

And,

H. B. 3, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for education expense grants for children attending non-public schools.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

And,

H. B. 4, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a local option to suspend operation of public schools.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

By Messrs. Philpott and Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-166 relating to compulsory school attendance.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

And,

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled An act to provide funds for education expense grants and for the administration of the education expense grant law.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

And,

H. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 21, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes, relating to assignment and enrollment of pupils in public schools.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

And,

H. R. 8, a joint resolution of condemnation and protest against oppressive usurpation of power by the Supreme Court of the United States, calling upon the several States of the Union and the Congress of the United States to bring to an end this tyrannical usurpation of power.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 9, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina by amending Section 2 and Section 3 thereof and by adding a new Section 12 thereto so as to require the General Assembly to provide for the education of all children of the State and so as to authorize the General Assembly to do so by maintaining public schools or by grants of public funds to parents of children enrolled in private schools or by both means.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.
On motion of Mr. Venters the House adjourns honoring the memory of the late Honorable E. N. Summersill, former member of the House from Onslow County, and will meet tomorrow at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, July 24, 1956

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

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

On motion of Mr. Woodard, Grady Paul Davis, Jr., and S. D. Hedspeth, III, of Northampton County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, David Lindsay Haworth, son of Representative and Mrs. Haworth of Guilford County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, William Wesley Sutton, III, of Guilford County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 10, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize education expense grants.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

And,

H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize local option to suspend operation of public schools.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.
APPOINTMENT

Mr. Speaker Moore makes the following appointment:

Clerk to the Committee of the Whole House:

Mrs. Annie E. Cooper

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, seconded by Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the House resolves itself into a Committee of the Whole House, under Rule 75, Mr. Speaker Moore presiding, for the purpose of considering all bills referred to such Committee and the House, as a Committee of the Whole, recesses to the Highway Building Auditorium there to sit in Joint Sessions with a like Committee from the Senate to consider legislation referred to the Committee.

Pursuant to recess and following consideration and public hearings on legislation before the Joint Sessions of the Committees of the Whole House and Senate, the Committee of the Whole House reconvenes in the Hall of the House of Representatives and is called to order by the Chairman, Mr. Speaker Moore.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the Committee of the Whole House is dissolved and the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Moore.

Mr. Harris of Stanly, designated by Mr. Speaker Moore as reporting chairman, advises the House that the Committee of the Whole House sat today with a similar Committee of the Senate for public hearings from 9:30 o'clock A. M. to 12:30 o'clock P. M.; from 2:00 o'clock P. M. to 5:30 o'clock P. M. and from 7:30 o'clock P. M. to 10:30 o'clock P. M. in consideration of proposed legislation before it.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the report of progress in the public hearings before the Committee of the Whole House is accepted.

On motion of Mr. Satterfield, seconded by Mr. Gregory, the House adjourns to meet tomorrow at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

THIRD DAY

House of Representatives
Wednesday, July 25, 1956

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on the Journal reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and the same stands approved as written.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the closing of state-owned and operated colleges for the Negro race in case students entitled to attend such colleges shall be admitted to state-owned and operated colleges maintained for the white race.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

And,

H. B. 13, a bill to be entitled An act requiring all Negro teachers and principals in the public schools of the State to take examinations prior to the opening of the 1956-57 school term under the supervision of the State Department of Public Instruction and providing that the certificates of such teachers be graded according to the results of such examinations; and requiring all teachers and principals of the State to take such examinations for the renewal of their certificates when the same expire.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

On motion of Mr. Delamar, seconded by Mr. Maddrey, the House resolves itself into a Committee of the Whole House, under Rule 75, and the Committee of the Whole House recesses to the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium to sit with a Committee from the Senate to consider legislation referred to the Committee.

Following public hearings in Raleigh Memorial Auditorium before the Joint Sessions of the Committees of the Whole House and Senate, the Committee of the Whole House reconvenes in the Hall of the House, and is called to order by the Chairman, Mr. Speaker Moore.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Stanly, the Committee of the Whole is dissolved, and the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Moore.

Mr. Harris of Stanly, appointed by Mr. Speaker Moore as reporting chairman, advises the House that the Committee of the Whole House sat today with a similar Committee of the Senate for public hearings from 9:30 o'clock A. M. to 1:00 o'clock P. M., and from 2:30 o'clock P. M. to 6:15 o'clock P. M.; that the Committee of the Whole House having considered the proposed legislation before it, referred all bills and amendments offered to a subcommittee appointed by the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House, Mr. Speaker Moore.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Stanly, the report of the Committee of the Whole House is adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE

Mr. Speaker Moore announces appointment of the following subcommittee, under Rule 75: Representatives Craig, Doughton, Gentry, Maddrey,
Philpott, Powe, Rodenbough, Satterfield, Speight, Taylor of Warren, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Venters, Womble of Wake, and Yarborough of Franklin.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Uzzell and Mrs. Rodenbough:

H. R. 14, a joint resolution commending and expressing appreciation to the Advisory Committee on Education for its outstanding public service and contribution to public education in North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell, the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

On motion of Mr. Falls of Cleveland, the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, July 26, 1956

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

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

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Mr. Speaker Moore announces the following additional members of the House to the Committee on the Journal:

Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Harris of Stanly and Holmes.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:
By Mr. Haworth:

H. R. 15, a joint resolution of concern relating to the assumption of undelegated power by the Supreme Court of the United States, calling upon the several states of the Union and the Congress of the United States to bring to an end this unauthorized assumption of power.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Stanly, seconded by Mr. Gregory, the House resolves itself into a Committee of the Whole House, under Rule 75, for the purpose of considering all bills referred to the Committee.

After consideration of legislation before the Committee of the Whole House and upon motion of Mr. White of Lenoir, seconded by Mr. Maddrey, the Committee of the Whole House dissolves and the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Moore.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Mr. Yarborough of Franklin reports that all bills before the Committee of the Whole House have been considered, together with all amendments offered.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough, seconded by Mr. Philpott, the report of the Committee of the Whole House is adopted as follows:

By Mr. Moore, Chairman, for the Committee of the Whole House.

H. B. 1, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize education expense grants and to authorize local option to suspend operation of public schools.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 2, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a general election on September 8, 1956.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 3, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for education expense grants for children attending non-public schools.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 4, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a local option to suspend operation of public schools.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-166 relating to compulsory school attendance.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled An act to provide funds for education expense grants and for the administration of the education expense grant law.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 21, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes, relating to assignment and enrollment of pupils in public schools.

With a favorable report.

H. R. 8, a joint resolution of condemnation and protest against oppressive usurpation of power by the Supreme Court of the United States, calling upon the several states of the Union and the Congress of the United States to bring to an end this tyrannical usurpation of power.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 9, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina by amending Section 2 and Section 3 thereof, and by adding a new Section 12 thereto so as to require the General Assembly to provide for the education of all children of the State and so as to authorize the General Assembly to do so by maintaining public schools or by grants of public funds to parents of children enrolled in private schools or by both means.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 10, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize education expense grants.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize local option to suspend operation of public schools.

With an unfavorable report.

CALENDAR

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

The following members request permission to explain their vote on H. B. 1, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize education expense grants and to authorize local option to suspend operation of public schools":


Permission is granted by Mr. Speaker Moore.

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth:
I shall vote for House Bills Numbers 1 through 7. My vote on these bills may be best explained by the following statement which I gave to the press at Winston-Salem prior to the convening of this session of the General Assembly:

"During the past few days I have received several letters and inquiries concerning the school legislation proposed by the Governor and State Advisory Committee on Education, and my attitude toward it. I respectfully submit the following:

(1) My one and only concern is that North Carolina, as a State, and each of us, as individuals, shall do all in our power to work toward that solution which will best promote the education of our children and harmony between the races.

(2) Contrary to the extremists who say there is no middle ground—I believe that only by steering a middle course can we ultimately find a peaceable and satisfactory solution.

(3) There is only one class of citizenship in the United States. Within that class are people of different races. All races can and should live in harmony, enjoying like freedoms and shouldering like responsibilities before and under the law. Nevertheless, there is a tendency in the very nature of things for like to seek like in their most intimate family and social relationships. It is not the province of the law to go athwart that tendency.

(4) Full curricula and extra-curricula programs in the public schools frequently include social activities and contacts which are normally, naturally and most happily engaged in, by both Negroes and whites, on a racially separated basis, provided the facilities and programs afforded to each race are adequate and comparable, as they should be.

(5) In some areas of the United States, persons constituting minority races are so small in number as to make it economically impractical to afford them an opportunity to have separate educational facilities. But in North Carolina, and the South generally, there are sufficient numbers of both the white and Negro races (and in some areas, of the Indian race) to make it possible and practical to afford such opportunities.

(6) The United States Supreme Court has held that compulsory segregation in the public schools, based on race, is unconstitutional. The Court has not said that separation of the races by individual preference is unconstitutional. If segregation as a matter of law is wrong, forced integration as a matter of law is also wrong.

(7) To say as a matter of law (a) that a child must attend school, and (b) that schools cannot be segregated according to race, is to say (for all practical purposes) that a child must attend a school in which the races are mixed, UNLESS some third proposition is introduced into the law to the effect that one assigned to a mixed school against his will shall have the right to attend an unmixed public school or, in lieu thereof, shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity to attend a private school.
(8) Without hazarding a prediction as to what the situation will be five, ten or twenty years from now, I believe that the introduction of such a third proposition into the law in North Carolina at this time will tend to preserve rather than destroy public education in this State, and that, properly administered, will tend to promote rather than destroy harmony between the races.

(9) Because of the wide diversity of attitudes, situations and customs in North Carolina, it is wise that the application of any such law should be local.

(10) The Constitutional Amendments and implementing statutes offered by the Governor have been proposed by a committee of outstanding citizens, after lengthy deliberation. They make no claim to perfection; they recognize the possibility that anything done now may need revision next year or the year after that; they do claim, however, to have made a sincere effort to work toward a solution within the framework of the Supreme Court’s decision. The proposals will not prohibit mixed public schools, if the people within a local option unit so desire; on the other hand, the proposals will not require a child to attend a mixed school against the will of its parents.

(11) If the proposals are adopted, and if children of all races continue to go to their present schools, this legislation will gather dust—it will have no effect whatsoever on the operation of the schools; and the same will be true wherever there is mixing of the races in the public schools to which the parents of the children involved do not object. In other words, it may fairly be said that these laws will become applicable only in those situations where there is a mixing of the races to which the parents of the children involved object.

(12) Having observed the action taken by other Southern States, and having talked with persons from all across North Carolina, my present opinion is that legislation along the lines proposed by the Governor and the Advisory Committee on Education represents the best moderate approach yet to be suggested for adoption as statewide law in North Carolina at the present time. On the other hand, I am not committed or obligated to any individual or group to vote for or against any proposal that may be presented, and I shall welcome and continue to give serious consideration to every constructive suggestion—whether made privately or at the public hearings to be held by the Legislature.”

Since the convening of this extra session of the General Assembly on Monday of this week, I have attended all the hearings and listened attentively to the arguments that have been made both for and against these and the other proposals that have been submitted. As a result, I am now more firmly convinced than I was before that, under conditions existing in this State at this time, the proposals embodied in these seven bills represent a truly moderate approach to this problem; they should be passed by this General Assembly and approved by vote of the people; thereafter, in the event of contest, they should be upheld by the courts.

(Signed) WILLIAM F. WOMBLE
Representative from Forsyth
EXPLANATION OF VOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 1

By Mr. Powe:

Though I am opposed to closing public schools I am willing to vote to let the people do so if they want to. Though I believe the people should have the choice to vote for tuition grants without also voting to close the schools and though I fought for this idea throughout this Special Session I know that if the people of North Carolina are of a mind to vote out their public schools, they wouldn't support them financially, or otherwise under any circumstances.

I, therefore, vote "Aye".

(Signed) E. K. Powe
Representative from Durham County

By Mr. Thomas J. White of Lenoir:

Statement of Thos. J. White, Representative from Lenoir County, in regard to his vote for the passage of House Bill No. 1, Extraordinary Session, 1956:

This marks the first time since I have been a member of the House of Representatives that I have made any explanatory statement as to my vote. I do so now for the record to the end that it may be recorded that in my opinion a constitutional amendment providing for placing the destiny of the public schools for the immediate future entirely in the hands of the General Assembly should have been submitted to the people instead of the amendment proposed in House Bill No. 1, which limits the power of the General Assembly to meet the exigencies of the times courageously and on its own responsibility. The constitutional amendment proposed by House Bill No. 1 is vulnerable to attack upon constitutional grounds; an amendment which simply places in the hands of the General Assembly the power to provide for the education of the children of the State by public or private means, or otherwise, would, in my opinion, be invulnerable to such attack.

Since the amendment proposed by House Bill No. 1, provides a choice between immediate integration and something less destructive to our public school system and to the peace of the State, and since the Governor could conceivably call the General Assembly into Extraordinary Session to submit a stronger amendment to the people at a later time, I vote for the passage of House Bill No. 1. In this connection, it is my considered opinion that the General Assembly of North Carolina owes a duty to the people of North Carolina to formally interpose the sovereignty of the State between its people and any dangerous usurpation of power by the Supreme Court of the United States; our State should cooperate actively with other states in every lawful way to obtain relief from oppressive abrogation of the rights of the states and the people.

(Signed) Thomas J. White
Representative from Lenoir
H. B. 1, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize education expense grants and to authorize local option to suspend operation of public schools.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole House are adopted by the House.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Edwards of Durham and Story—2.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading.

H. B. 1, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize education expense grants and to authorize local option to suspend operation of public schools.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker Moore, Representatives Anderson, Askew, Barnes, Bell, Bennett of Swain, Blankenship, Blue, Bost, Brantley, Bryant, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Clark, Coates, Combes, Craig, Crawford, Cummings, Davis, Doughton, Delamar, Dill, Edwards of Beaufort, Edwards of Greene, Etheridge, Everett, Falls of Cleveland, Falls of Gaston, Fisher, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gavin, Gentry, Gobble, Greene, Gregory, Hairston, Hargett, Harris of Stanly, Harriss of Rowan, Haworth, Henly, Hewlett, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Jenkins, Johnson of Currituck, Johnson of Duplin, Jones, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Kittrell, Lackey, Long, Love, McKnight, McShane, Murphy, O'Herron, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Pou, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Rodenbough, Rogers of Clay, Rogers of Haywood, Satterfield, Shomaker, Shreve, Speight, Stone, Sullivan, Taylor of Anson, Taylor of Warren,

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Edwards of Durham and Story—2.

H. R. 8, a joint resolution of condemnation and protest against oppressive usurpation of power by the Supreme Court of the United States, calling upon the several states of the Union and the Congress of the United States to bring to an end this tyrannical usurpation of power.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole House are adopted by the House.

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

H. B. 2, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a general election on September 8, 1956.

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

H. B. 3, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for education expense grants for children attending non-public schools.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole House are adopted by the House.

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

H. B. 4, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a local option to suspend operation of public schools.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole House are adopted by the House.

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

H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-166 relating to compulsory school attendance.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole House are adopted by the House.

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

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled An act to provide funds for education expense grants and for the administration of the education expense grant law.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 21, Chapter 115, of the General Statutes, relating to assignment and enrollment of pupils in public schools.

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

On motion of Mr. Falls of Cleveland the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Friday, July 27, 1956

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

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

On motion of Mr. Cummings, David Yarborough, son of Representative and Mrs. Yarborough of Cumberland County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Ernest Hicks, a former member of the House from Mecklenburg County.

On motion of Mr. Watkins, Stephen May Valentine, son of Representative and Mrs. Valentine of Nash County, is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Harriss of Rowan, Arthur Shannon McEntee, Jr., Joseph Freeman McEntee and Susan Ann McEntee of New Hanover County, are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Gregory, Kaye Ruth Coates, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Coates of Johnston County, is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Holmes, Carson Gregory, Jr., Joe Gregory and Frances Gregory, sons and daughter of Representative and Mrs. Gregory of Harnett County, are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.
On motion of Mr. Edwards of Beaufort, Zeno L. Edwards, III, William Wesley Minton, III, and Teressa Edwards of Beaufort County, are made honorary pages and pagette of the House.

On motion of Mr. Pou, Larry I. Moore, III, Craige Ramsey Moore, Grace Thompson Moore, Frances Holt Moore, and Meta King Moore, sons and daughters of Mr. Speaker Larry I. Moore, are made honorary pages and pagettes of the House of Representatives, respectively.

On motion of Mr. Taylor of Anson, Bryon Ramsey Hardison of Anson County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland, John T. Henley, Jr., Robert Ray Henley and Douglas Eugene Henley, sons of Representative and Mrs. Henley of Cumberland County, are made honorary pages of the House.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Marie Rowena Stultz of Forsyth County is made an honorary pagette of the House.

On motion of Mr. Stone, William S. Mitchell, Jr., of Forsyth County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland, David K. Darden of Cumberland County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Vogler, Danny Gosnell, Billie Gosnell and Bobby Gosnell of Phoenix, Arizona, are made honorary pages of the House.

On motion of Mr. Woodard, Frank Pittman and Fayetta Niff Pittman, son and daughter of Representative and Mrs. Pittman of Halifax County, are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth, Evelyn Haynes Moore of Forsyth County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Jones, James Barker Fountain, II, of Pitt County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Pou, John Clayton Hill, Betsy Hill and Marsha Rodman Hill of Annapolis, Maryland, grandchildren of Attorney General and Mrs. William Rodman, are made honorary page and pagettes, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

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

By Mr. Powell:

H. R. 16, a joint resolution expressing to Governor Luther H. Hodges the sincere appreciation of the General Assembly for his heroic and unparalleled leadership of the people of North Carolina during the present emergency.
On motion of Mr. Powell, the rules are suspended and the Resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Murphy:

H. R. 17, a joint resolution to provide for the printing of the Acts of the 1956 Extraordinary Session of the General Assembly for public distribution.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, the rules are suspended and the Resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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. R. 13, a Joint Resolution authorizing the printing of 10,000 copies of the explanations, testimony and arguments presented at public hearings of the General Assembly at the Extra Session of 1956 with respect to public school legislation.

Passed first reading and referred to Committee of the Whole House.


On motion of Mr. Bell, the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 15, a joint resolution relative to the printing of the Acts, Resolutions and Journals of the Extra Session of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Six.

On motion of Mr. Gregory, the rules are suspended and the Resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.
Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell, the House resolves itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the bills referred to The Committee of the Whole.

After consideration of matters before the Committee of the Whole House, and upon motion of Mr. Quinn, seconded by Mr. Powe, the Committee of the Whole House dissolves and the House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Moore.

Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, reports that the Committee of The Whole House having considered all bills and resolutions before it moves, seconded by Mr. Quinn, that the report of the Committee as follows, be adopted. The motion prevails.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

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

By Mr. Moore, for the Committee of the Whole House:

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the closing of state-owned and operated colleges for the Negro race in case students entitled to attend such colleges shall be admitted to state-owned and operated colleges maintained for the white race.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 13, a bill to be entitled An act requiring all Negro teachers and principals in the public schools of the State to take examinations prior to the opening of the 1956-57 school term under the supervision of the State Department of Public Instruction and providing that the certificates of such teachers be graded according to the results of such examinations; and requiring all teachers and principals of the State to take such examinations for the renewal of their certificates when the same expire.

With an unfavorable report.

H. R. 15, a joint resolution of concern relating to the assumption of undelegated power by the Supreme Court of the United States, calling upon the several states of the Union and the Congress of the United States to bring to an end this unauthorized assumption of power.

With an unfavorable report.

S. R. 13, a joint resolution authorizing the printing of 10,000 copies of the explanations, testimony and arguments presented at public hearings of the General Assembly at the Extra Session of 1956 with respect to public school legislation.
With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, the bill is placed on the Calendar.

On Motion of Mr. Falls of Cleveland, the House takes a recess until 2:15 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Moore.

On motion of Mr. Turner, seconded by Mr. Harris of Stanly, unanimous consent is given by the House for the following members to be recorded as voting "Aye" on the second and third readings on H. B. 1, entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article IX of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize education expense grants and to authorize local option to suspend operation of public schools":

Representatives Turner, Bennett of Yancey, Bridges, Burgess, Reynolds, Sawyer, Thomas, Floyd of Robeson, Williams of Yadkin and Maddrey.

CALENDAR

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

S. R. 13, a joint resolution authorizing the printing of 10,000 copies of the explanations, testimony and arguments presented at public hearings of the General Assembly at the Extra Session of 1956 with respect to public school legislation.

Mr. Blankenship moves, seconded by Mr. Bost, that the Resolution lie upon the table, which motion prevails.

STATEMENT BY MEMBERS

I hereby exercise my privilege to record and spread upon the Journal my dissent from and protest to the action of the House of Representatives in tabling Senate Resolution No. 13. The motion to table was by a viva voce vote, and I am unwilling to remain unrecorded on this vote.

The opposition to the Resolution as expressed in a brief debate was based on the idea that there were certain views presented before the Committee of the Whole House which should not be printed and distributed to the people of North Carolina. I do not share this view. It is my belief that all the testimony should be presented to the public; that it is concerned with extreme views on both sides, as well as moderate
views, and that the people are capable of analysing the evidence and reaching a proper conclusion.

(Signed) Thomas Turner
Byron Haworth
Clyde A. Shreve
J. M. Hunt, Jr.

HOUSE RESOLUTION

Messrs. White of Lenoir and Uzzell offer the following House Resolution:

A House Resolution authorizing the transcribing of the explanations, testimony and arguments presented at public hearings of the General Assembly at the Extra Session of 1956, with respect to public school legislation.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

Section 1. The Secretary of State is hereby directed to cause to be transcribed the explanations, testimony and arguments presented at public hearings of the General Assembly at the Extra Session of 1956 with respect to public school legislation, and to be included in the House Journal of the 1957 Session of the General Assembly as an appendix thereto.

Section 2. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption.

Mr. Turner offers the following amendment to the Resolution.

Amend House Resolution by deleting all of Section One after the last comma and inserting the following:

“And that three (3) copies be retained in his office as official public and permanent records.”

The amendment is adopted.

On motion of Mr. White of Lenoir, the House Resolution, as amended, is adopted.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wallace, 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. R. 1. A Joint Resolution informing his Excellency, the Governor, that the Extra Session of the General Assembly of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Six is ready to proceed with public business, and inviting him to address a Joint Extra Session of the General Assembly.

S. R. 3. A Joint Resolution to authorize and provide for the printing of the Governor's address to the General Assembly of the Extra Session of 1956.

H. R. 8. A Joint Resolution of condemnation and protest against oppressive usurpation of power by the Supreme Court of the United States, calling upon the several states of the Union and the Congress of the United States to bring to an end this tyrannical usurpation of power.

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H. B. 5. An Act to amend General Statutes 115-166 relating to compulsory school attendance.

H. B. 6. An Act to provide funds for education expense grants and for the administration of the education expense grant law.


SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
Friday, July 27, 1956

Mr. Speaker:

You are respectfully advised that the business of the Senate has been concluded and that Body will be ready to open the doors of the Senate
immediately upon receipt of information from your Honorable Body that you are ready to open your doors, that the gavels may fall simultaneously and adjournment may be declared sine die.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly,
Principal Clerk of the Senate

Pursuant to the information submitted above, the House of Representatives having completed the business before it, a message is ordered sent to the Senate informing that Honorable Body that the House stands ready for adjournment.

The doors of the House and the Senate are thrown open; the President of the Senate is perceived standing, ready to let fall the gavel, the hour for adjournment fixed by Joint Resolution and passed by the two Houses having arrived, the Speaker of the House of Representatives declares the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina, Extra Session of 1956, adjourned sine die.

LARRY I. MOORE, JR., Speaker
House of Representatives,
Extra Session 1956

ANNIE E. COOPER, Principal Clerk
House of Representatives,
Extra Session 1956
AMOUNTS PAID MEMBERS, OFFICERS, AND EMPLOYEES OF THE
NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
EXTRA SESSION, 1956

Membership

Larry I. Moore, Jr., Speaker ................................................... $ 100.00
119 Members @ $75.00 .................................................................. 8,925.00

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Pages

John Granville Alley, Chief ...................... 5  $ 32.50  $ 10.20
Theodore Joseph Collier ......................... 5  25.00  25.80
Thomas J. White, II ............................. 5  25.00  15.60
William Irvin Berryhill ......................... 5  25.00
Miss Sandra Sue Swindell ....................... 5  25.00  1.80
Anthony Eden Rand ................................ 5  25.00  1.20
John Raynor Woodard, Jr. ....................... 5  25.00  23.40
William W. Taylor, III ......................... 5  25.00  10.40

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Sergeant-at-Arms Department

C. Wayland Spruill, Sergeant-at-Arms ............ 5  $ 65.00  $ 22.80
Mrs. Pearl Liles ................................ 5  35.00
A. P. Hobbs ..................................... 5  35.00  22.80
K. B. Ewing ................................... 5  35.00  3.40
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Joint Warrant Office
(Auditor's Office)

Miss Jean Bason ................................ 15  $ 75.00

Joint Porter
(Enrolling Office)

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Departments                      | Per Diem and Mileage |
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Organization of the House        | $392.50              |
Speaker’s Office                 | 90.00                |
Principal Clerk’s Office         | 1,092.00  15.60      |
Engrossing Office               | 300.00  32.80        |
Pages                            | 207.50  88.40        |
Sergeant-at-Arms Department     | 688.00  94.00        |
Joint Warrant Clerk              | 75.00                |
Joint Porter                     | 35.00                |

$2,880.00  $230.80

INVENTORY OF OFFICE FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND OTHER PROPERTY

In Principal Clerk’s Office:
2 Flat top desks
1 Executive desk
1 Steel filing cabinet, four drawers
3 Typewriter desks (new)
1 Typist chair
1 Mahogany revolving chair
1 Rolltop desk (in rear lobby)
1 Oak revolving chair
3 Remington typewriters
1 Goose-neck lamp
1 Pencil sharpener
1 6 x 8 Steel Shaw Walker file
1 7 x 14 Cole Steel file
4 Bill files
1 Pair of scissors
1 7 x 14 Guild file
4 Desk pens and holders
4 Numbering machines
3 New collegiate dictionaries
Supply of rubber stamps, clip boards, wire letter trays, waste baskets, ink, ash trays and miscellaneous items of small office supplies.

In Journal Office:
4 Typist desks
4 Leather typist chairs
1 Small table
1 Large table
1 Costumer
1 Bowl and pitcher
Supply of miscellaneous items, including paper, carbon paper, clip boards, paper clips, weights, etc.
In Engrossing Office:
1 Large double pedestal desk
9 Small single pedestal desks
1 Metal revolving chair
3 Wooden revolving chairs
2 Straight chairs
5 Stapling machines

In Committee Clerk's Office:
13 desks
5 Typist desks
2 Tables
1 Bulletin board
10 Desk lamps
2 Costumers
1 Floor lamp
7 Waste baskets
1 Pencil sharpener
1 Desk pen and holder
1 Stapler
1 Pair of scissors

In Lobbies:
1 Desk lamp
1 Large table
1 Bookcase
2 Water coolers, complete
2 Paper cup dispensers
2 Revolving desk chairs (old)
50 Wastepaper baskets
4 Costumers
115 Brass cuspidors and rubber mats

In Speaker's Office:
1 Large executive desk (new)
1 Typist desk (new)
1 Leather arm chair
1 Leather typist chair
1 Set brass andirons and fender
1 4-way lamp
1 4-drawer steel file
BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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Be it remembered that the Constitution of the State of North Carolina fixes the date for the meeting of the General Assembly of North Carolina as being on the Wednesday after the first Monday in February, biennially, the date for this meeting being February 6, 1957.

This day, in compliance with the Constitution, the members-elect of the House of Representatives assemble in their Hall in the City of Raleigh and at twelve o'clock noon, in accordance with the statutes, are called to order by Honorable Thad Eure, Secretary of State.

The following prayer is offered by Mr. Holmes, Representative from Perquimans County:

"Dear Lord, we are grateful to Thee for Thy divine presence as we come together again in the service of our friends and neighbors.

"We pray that each of us may be aware that He is interested in all of the affairs of life—economic, social, political, as well as religious. We would likewise be acutely conscious that the basic laws of economic and social intercourse, as well as religious life, were divinely ordained by Thee from the foundation of the world, and that in every area given us to work, we may know that in our work we shall be happy or sad as we are able to know Thy will and then to do it. We pray our Father for humility, for patience, and for courage to discover Thy will and then to do it.

"We pray for a large measure of Thy grace and wisdom upon the leaders of this body as they chart for us the course throughout the forthcoming momentous days.

"These prayers we ask of Thee and for forgiveness of our sins in the Name of man's best friend, our Savior and Thy Son. Amen."

The roll is called and the following members-elect answer to their names, appear with proper certificates of election, take and subscribe to the following prescribed oath of office, which is administered by Associate Justice William B. Rodman of the Supreme Court of North Carolina.
OATH FOR MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SESSION 1957

"Do you, each for yourself, solemnly swear that you will support the Constitution of the United States; and do you solemnly and sincerely swear that you will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the government thereof; and that you will endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of your knowledge and ability; and do you further solemnly swear that you will faithfully discharge your duties as members of the House of Representatives of the State of North Carolina according to the best of your skill and ability and according to law, so help you, God?"

Oath administered February 6, 1957.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of February, 1957.
William B. Rodman (Signed)
Associate Justice of the
Supreme Court of North Carolina

MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE TAKING OATH

Alamance—George A. Long
Alexander—Harold Brinkley
Alleghany—J. K. Doughton
Anson—H. P. Taylor, Jr.
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Montgomery—J. Paul Wallace
Moore—H. Clifton Blue
Nash—Itimous T. Valentine, Jr.
New Hanover—Addison Hewlett, Jr.
The following affirmations are administered to Representative H. Smith Williams of Yadkin County:

"I, H. Smith Williams, do solemnly affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States; that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the government thereof; that I will endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of my knowledge and ability; that I will faithfully discharge my duties as a member of the House of Representatives of the
General Assembly of North Carolina according to the best of my skill and ability, according to law; so help me, God."

(Signed) H. Smith Williams

Subscribed and affirmed before me this 6th day of February, 1957

William B. Rodman (Signed)

Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina

"I, H. Smith Williams, do solemnly and sincerely declare and affirm that I will truly and faithfully demean myself as a peaceful citizen of North Carolina; that I will be subject to the powers and authorities that are or may be established for the good government thereof, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the State and Constitution of the United States, either by yielding an active or passive obedience thereto, and that I will not abet or join the enemies of the State, by any means, in any conspiracy whatever, against the State; that I will disclose and make known to the legislative, executive or judicial powers of the State all treasonable conspiracies which I shall know to be made or intended against the State."

(Signed) H. Smith Williams

Subscribed and affirmed before me this 6th day of February, 1957

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Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina

It appears that a quorum of all the members are present. The Secretary of State announces that the first order of business is the election of a Speaker, and declares that nominations are in order.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

For Speaker of the House, Mr. Uzzell of Rowan County, places in nomination the name of Honorable J. K. Doughton of Alleghany County, which is seconded by Messrs. Hunt, Jones of Pitt and Williams of Yadkin.

The Chair, having declared the nominations closed, asks that the roll of the House be called and the following members vote for Mr. Doughton.

Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dellinger, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Love, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman,

Mr. Doughton, having received all of the votes cast, the Chair announces the vote and declares Mr. Doughton duly elected Speaker of the House of Representatives. The Speaker, escorted to the Chair by Mrs. Rodenbough and Messrs. Askew and Gavin, takes and subscribes to the following oath of office administered by Associate Justice Carlisle W. Higgins of the Supreme Court of North Carolina.

"I, James Kemp Doughton, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and I do solemnly and sincerely swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the Government thereof; and that I will endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of said State not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of my knowledge and ability; and I do swear that I will well and truly execute the duties of the office of Speaker of the House of Representatives of the North Carolina General Assembly according to the best of my skill and ability, according to law; so help me, God."

Oath administered February 6, 1957
(Signed) James Kemp Doughton

Sworn to and subscribed before me this
6th day of February, 1957
Carlisle W. Higgins (Signed)
Associate Justice of the
Supreme Court of North Carolina

Mr. Speaker Doughton assumes the duties of the Chair and announces that nominations are in order for Principal Clerk of the House.

Mr. Whitley of Wake County places in nomination for Principal Clerk of the House, Mrs. Annie E. Cooper of Wake County, which is seconded by Mr. Bost of Cabarrus County.

The roll of the House is called and the following members vote for Mrs. Copper.

Mr. Speaker Doughton, Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dellinger, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy,

Mrs. Cooper having received all the votes cast is declared duly elected Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Speaker Doughton announces that nominations are in order for Reading Clerk of the House.

Mr. Venters places in nomination for Reading Clerk W. J. (Billy) Arthur, which is seconded by Mr. Umstead.

The roll of the House is called and the following members vote for Mr. Arthur.


Mr. Arthur having received all of the votes cast is declared duly elected Reading Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Speaker Doughton announces that nominations are in order for Sergeant-at-Arms of the House.

Mr. Wilson of Caswell places in nomination for Sergeant-at-Arms of the House Mr. Joseph H. Warren, which is seconded by Messrs. Murphy, Turner and Buchanan.

The roll of the House is called and the following members vote for Mr. Warren.

Mr. Warren having received all of the votes cast is declared duly elected Sergeant-at-Arms of the House.

Associate Justice Carlisle W. Higgins of the North Carolina Supreme Court duly administers the following oath of office to the Principal Clerk, Reading Clerk and Sergeant-at-Arms and they assume their respective offices.

OATH OF PRINCIPAL CLERK—READING CLERK AND SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

"Do you, Annie E. Cooper, W. J. (Billy) Arthur, and Joseph H. Warren, and each of you in your respective offices of Principal Clerk, Reading Clerk and Sergeant-at-Arms, of the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina, solemnly swear that you will support the Constitution of the United States?

"And do you and each of you solemnly and sincerely swear that you will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers which are or may be established for the government thereof; and will you endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of your knowledge and ability?

"And do you, respectively, further solemnly swear that you will well and truly execute the duties of the offices of Principal Clerk, Reading Clerk, and Sergeant-at-Arms, respectively, according to the best of your skill and ability according to law, so help you, God?"

Annie E. Cooper (Signed)  
Principal Clerk  
W. J. (Billy) Arthur (Signed)  
Reading Clerk  
Joseph H. Warren (Signed)  
Sergeant-at-Arms
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 6th day of February, 1957

Carlisle W. Higgins (Signed)
Associate Justice
Supreme Court of North Carolina

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the rules of the House of Representatives Session 1955 are adopted temporarily.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE

Mr. Speaker Doughton announces the appointment of the following Committee on Rules:

COMMITTEE ON RULES

Mr. Uzzell, Chairman; Messrs. Holmes and Womble of Wake, Vice Chairmen; Messrs. Blue, Bost, Buchanan, Davis, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gavin, Gobble, Hewlett, Jordan, Kerr, Philpott, Quinn, Shreve, Taylor, Thompson, Valentine, Vogler, White, Williams of Yadkin and Yarborough of Franklin.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
February 6, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives informing that Honorable Body that the Senate is organized and is now ready to proceed with the public business, and for your information advises that the following officers have been elected:

Claude Currie, President
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk
William Hugh Byrd, Reading Clerk
Herman Scott, Sergeant-at-Arms

Respectfully,
S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. R. 1, a joint resolution relative to the Inauguration of the Governor-Elect and other State Officials.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.
Rules suspended.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

February 6, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 1, entitled, "a joint resolution relative to the Inauguration of the Governor-Elect and other State Officials," the President has appointed the following committee on the part of the Senate: Senators Whitmire and Poyner.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above resolution the Speaker appoints a Committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Whitley, Powell and Craig and the Senate is so notified.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss:

H. R. 1, a joint resolution honoring the life, memory and achievements of James W. Rideoutte, a former member of the House of Representatives from Rowan County, and expressing sympathy upon his death.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Uzzell:

H. B. 2, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for subsistence and travel allowance for members and presiding officers of the General Assembly while engaged in legislative duties.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

The bill passes its second reading.

Mr. Kiser objects to the third reading of the bill.

Mr. Turner moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on its third reading, the motion prevails.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading.
The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Mr. Bost moves that the vote by which the bill passed its third reading be reconsidered, which motion fails.

And,

H. B. 3, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 120-33 relating to the compensation of the principal clerks of each house and the chief enrolling clerk of the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

On motion of Mr. Venters the House takes a recess until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House convenes pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

On motion of Mrs. Rodenbough, Joseph Neal Jr. of Stokes County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

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. 2, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the salaries of certain members of the Council of State and the Attorney General.

On motion of Mr. Falls the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 3, a bill to be entitled An act to provide retirement provisions for the Attorney General, such as are provided for Justice of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Court.

On motion of Mr. Falls the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.
Rules suspended.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 4, a joint resolution informing His Excellency, the Governor, that the General Assembly is organized and ready to proceed with public business.

On motion of Mr. Falls the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.
Passed first reading.
Rules suspended.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
SENATE CHAMBER
February 6, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 4, entitled, "a joint resolution informing His Excellency, the Governor, that the General Assembly is organized and ready to proceed with public business," the President has appointed the following committee on the part of the Senate: Senators Rose and Rutledge.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above resolution Mr. Doughton appoints the following Committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Gobble, Pittman and Whitehurst and the Senate is so notified.

On motion of Mr. Bost and pursuant to motion by Mr. Powell the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the late Honorable Thurmond Chatham, former Congressman from the Fifth District of North Carolina and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M. thereafter to sit in Joint Session at 12 o'clock noon at Memorial Auditorium for the purpose of the Inauguration of His Excellency, Governor Luther H. Hodges.

SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, February 7, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with and the same stands approved as written.
On motion of Mr. Falls the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable O. M. Mull, former Speaker of the House of Representatives from Cleveland County.

On motion of Mr. Floyd the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable G. P. Henderson, former member of the House from Robeson County.

On motion of Mr. Falls the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable H. J. Hatcher, former member of the House from Burke County.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Debra Crawford of Jackson County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

**REPORT OF THE RULES COMMITTEE**

*Mr. Speaker:*

The Committee on Rules begs leave to report to the House of Representatives of the General Assembly the following:

The Committee on Rules recommends the adoption of the rules of the House of Representatives of the 1955 Session of the General Assembly with the following amendments:

Amend House Rule No. 47 by providing for a new standing committee on State Government.

Amend House Rule No. 66 by adding on “State Government” in the appropriate place.

The Committee on Rules recommends the adoption of the 1955 Rules with the foregoing amendments as the permanent Rules of the House of Representatives of the 1957 Session of the General Assembly.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE R. UZZELL, Chairman Rules Committee

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the amendments are adopted.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the Rules of the House of 1955 are adopted as amended.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell, three thousand copies of the rules are ordered printed.

**RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**SESSION 1957**

Touching the Duties of Speaker

1. It shall be the duty of the Speaker to have the sessions of the House opened with prayer.

2. He shall take the chair every day at the hour fixed by the House on the preceding legislative day, shall immediately call the members to order, and, on appearance of a quorum, cause the Journal of the preceding day to be approved.
3. He shall preserve order and decorum, may speak to points of order in preference to other members, rising from his seat for that purpose, and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House by any member, on which appeal no member shall speak more than once, unless by leave of the House. A two-thirds vote of the members present shall be necessary to sustain any appeal from the ruling of the Chair.

4. He shall rise to put a question, but may state it sitting.

5. Questions shall be put in this form, namely, "Those in favor (as the question may be) will say 'Aye'," and after the affirmative voice has been expressed, "Those opposed will say, 'No'." Upon a call for a division the Speaker shall count; if required he shall appoint tellers.

6. The Speaker shall have a general direction of the hall. He shall have a right to name any member to perform the duties of the Chair, but substitution shall not extend beyond one day, except in case of sickness or by leave of the House.

7. All committees shall be appointed by the Speaker, unless otherwise specially ordered by the House.

8. In all elections the Speaker may vote. In all other cases he may exercise his right to vote, or he may reserve this right until there is a tie; but in no case shall he be allowed to vote twice on the same question.

9. All acts, addresses, and resolutions, and all warrants and subpoenas issued by order of the House shall be signed by the Speaker.

10. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the galleries or lobby, the Speaker or other presiding officer shall have power to order the same to be cleared.

11. No person except members and officers and clerks of the General Assembly, Judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts, State officers, former members of the General Assembly who are not registered under the provisions of Article 9 of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, and persons particularly invited by the Speaker shall be admitted within the hall of the House: Provided that no person except members and officers of the General Assembly shall be allowed on the floor of the House or in the lobby in the rear of the Speaker's desk, unless permitted by the Speaker of the House.

12. No motion to suspend the rules for the purpose of extending the courtesies of the floor, lobby or gallery shall be made during the consideration of the Public Calendar, except upon motion of the Speaker.

13. Reporters wishing to take down debates may be admitted by the Speaker, who shall assign such places to them on the floor or elsewhere, to effect this object, as shall not interfere with the convenience of the House.

14. Smoking shall not be allowed in the hall, lobbies, or the galleries while the House is in session: Provided, that smoking may be permitted in the lobby in the rear of the Speaker's desk.
ORDER OF BUSINESS OF THE DAY

15. After the approval of the Journal of the preceding day, which shall stand approved without objection, the House shall proceed to business in the following order, viz:

(1) The receiving of petitions, memorials, and papers addressed to the General Assembly or to the House.

(2) Reports of standing committees.

(3) Reports of select committees.

(4) Resolutions.

(5) Bills.

(6) The unfinished business of the preceding day.

(7) Bills, resolutions, petitions, memorials, messages, and other papers on the Calendar, in their exact numerical order, unless displaced by the orders of the day; but messages, and motions to elect officers shall always be in order.

No member shall rise from his seat to introduce any petition, resolution, or bill out of order unless he is permitted so to do by a suspension of the rules.

ON DECORUM IN DEBATE

16. When any member is about to speak in debate or deliver any matter to the House, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the Speaker.

17. When the Speaker shall call a member to order, the member shall sit down, as also he shall when called to order by another member, unless the Speaker decides the point of order in his favor. By leave of the House a member called to order may clear a matter of fact, or explain, but shall not proceed in debate so long as the decision stands but by permission of the House. Any member may appeal from the decision of the Chair, and if, upon appeal, the decision be in favor of the member called to order, he may proceed; if otherwise, he shall not, except by leave of the House; and if the case, in the judgment of the House, require it, he shall be liable to its censure.

18. No member shall speak until recognized by the Chair, and when two or more members rise at the same time the Speaker shall name the member to speak.

19. No member shall speak more than twice on the main question, nor longer than thirty minutes for the first speech and fifteen minutes for the second speech, unless allowed to do so by the affirmative vote of a majority of the members present; nor shall he speak more than once upon an amendment or motion to commit or postpone, and then not longer than ten minutes. But the House may, by consent of a majority, suspend the
operations of this rule during any debate on any particular question before
the House, or the Committee on Rules may bring in a special rule that
shall be applicable to the debate on any bill.

20. While the Speaker is putting any question, or addressing the House,
no person shall speak, stand up, walk out of or cross the House, nor when
a member is speaking, entertain private discourse, stand up, or pass
between him and the Chair.

21. No member shall vote on any question when he was not present when
the question was put by the Speaker, except by the consent of the House.
Upon a division and count of the House on any question, no member without
the bar shall be counted.

22. Every member who shall be in the hall of the House for the above
purpose when the question is put shall give his vote upon a call of the
ayes and noes, unless the House for special reasons shall excuse him, and
no application to be excused from voting or to explain a vote shall be
entertained unless made before the call of the roll. The hall of the House
shall include the lobbies and offices connected with the hall.

23. When a motion is made it shall be stated by the Speaker or, if
written, it shall be handed to the Chair and read aloud by the Speaker
or Clerk before debate. A motion to table or adjourn shall be seconded
before the motion is put by the Speaker to the vote of the House.

24. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the Speaker or any
two members request it.

25. After a motion is stated by the Speaker or read by the Clerk, it
shall be deemed to be in possession of the House, but may be withdrawn
before a decision or amendment, except in case of a motion to reconsider,
which motion, when made by a member, shall be deemed and taken to be
in possession of the House, and shall not be withdrawn without leave of
the House.

26. When a question is under debate no motion shall be received but to
adjourn, to lay on the table, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a day
certain, to commit or amend, which several motions shall have precedence
in the order in which they stand arranged; and no motion to lay on the
table, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a day certain, to commit or
amend, being decided, shall be again allowed at the same stage of the
bill or proposition.

27. A motion to adjourn or lay on the table shall be decided without
debate, and a motion to adjourn shall always be in order, except when the
House is voting or some member is speaking; but a motion to adjourn
shall not follow a motion to adjourn until debate or some other business
of the House has intervened.

28. In case of adjournment without any hour being named, the House
shall reconvene on the next legislative day at twelve o'clock noon.

29. When a question has been postponed indefinitely, the same shall
not be acted on again during the session, except upon a two-thirds vote.
30. Any member may call for a division of the question, when the same shall admit of it, which shall be determined by the Speaker.

31. When a motion has been once made and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall be in order for any member of the majority to move for the reconsideration thereof, on the same or succeeding day, unless it may have subsequently passed the Senate, and no motion to reconsider shall be taken from the table except by a two-thirds vote. But unless such vote has been taken by a call of the ayes and noes, any member may move to reconsider.

32. When the reading of a paper is called for, which has been read in the Houses, and the same is objected to by any member, it shall be determined by a vote of the House.

33. Petitions, memorials, and other papers addressed to the House shall be presented by the Speaker; a brief statement of the contents thereof may be verbally made by the introducer before reference to a committee, but shall not be debated or decided on the day of their first being read, unless the House shall direct otherwise.

34. When the ayes and noes are called for on any question, it shall be on motion before the question is put; and if seconded by one fifth of the members present, the question shall be decided by the ayes and noes; and in taking the ayes and noes, or on a call of the House, the names of the members will be taken alphabetically.

35. Decency of speech shall be observed and personal reflection carefully avoided.

36. Any member may arise at any time to speak to a question of personal privilege, and upon objection to him proceeding, the Speaker shall determine if the question is one of privilege.

37. Fifteen members, including the Speaker, shall be authorized to compel the attendance of absent members. A quorum shall consist of a majority of the qualified members of the House.

38. No member or officer of the House shall absent himself from the service of the House without leave, unless from sickness or inability.

39. Any member may excuse himself from serving on any committee if he is a member of two standing committees.

40. If any member shall be necessarily absent on temporary business of the House when a vote is taken upon any question, upon entering the House he shall be permitted, on request, to vote, provided that the result shall not be thereby affected.

41. No standing rule or order shall be rescinded or altered without one day's notice given on the motion thereof, and to sustain such motion two-thirds of the House shall be required.

42. The members of the House shall uncover their heads upon entering the House while it is in session, and shall continue so uncovered during their continuance in the hall, except Quakers.
43. A motion to reconsider shall be determined by a majority vote, except a motion to reconsider an indefinite postponement, or a motion to reconsider a motion tabling a motion to reconsider, which shall require a two-thirds vote.

44. After a bill has been tabled or has failed to pass on any of its readings, the contents of such bill or the principal provisions of its subject-matter shall not be embodied in any other measure. Upon the point of order being raised and sustained by the Chair, such measure shall be laid upon the table, and shall not be taken therefrom except by a vote of two-thirds of the elected membership of the House: Provided, no local bill shall be held by the Chair as embodying the provisions or being identical with any statewide measure which has been laid upon the table, or failed to pass any of its readings. No amendment or rider to a bill before the House shall be in order unless such rider or amendment is germane to the bill under consideration.

45. A motion to table an amendment sent up from the floor shall not be construed as a motion to table the principal bill or any other amendment which has been offered thereto, and if such motion is carried, only the amendment shall lie upon the table.

46. When a member desires to interrupt a member having the floor he shall first obtain recognition by the Chair and permission of the member occupying the floor, and when so recognized and such permission is obtained he may propound a question to the member occupying the floor, but he shall not propound a series of questions or interrogatories or otherwise interrupt the member having the floor; and the Speaker shall, without the point of order being raised, enforce this rule.

STANDING COMMITTEES

47. At the commencement of the session a standing committee shall be appointed by the Speaker on each of the following subjects, namely:

On Agriculture.
On Appropriations.
On Banks and Banking.
On Commercial Fisheries and Oyster Industry.
On Commission and Institutions for the Blind.
On Congressional Districts.
On Conservation and Development.
On Constitutional Amendments.
On Corporations.
On Counties, Cities and Towns.
On Courts and Judicial Districts.
On Drainage.
On Education.
On Elections and Election Laws.
On Engrossed Bills.
On Expenditures of the House.
On Federal and Interstate Cooperation.
On Finance.
On Health.
On Higher Education.
On Institutions for the Deaf.
On Insurance.
On the Journal.
On Judiciary No. 1.
On Judiciary No. 2.
On Justices of the Peace.
On Local Government.
On Manufacturers and Labor.
On Mental Institutions.
On Military Affairs.
On Penal Institutions.
On Propositions and Grievances.
On Public Buildings and Grounds.
On Public Utilities.
On Public Welfare.
On Roads and Highway Safety.
On Rules.
On Salaries and Fees.
On Senatorial Districts.
On State Government.
On Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.
On Veteran's Legislation.
On Wildlife Resources.

JOINT COMMITTEES

On Enrolled Bills.
On Library.
On Printing.
On Trustees of University.

The first member announced on each committee shall be chairman, and where the Speaker so desires he may designate one or more vice chairmen. In any joint meeting of the Senate and House committees, the House Committee may in its discretion reserve the right to vote separately.

48. Whenever the House shall decline or refuse to concur in amendments put by the Senate to a bill originating in the House, or shall refuse to adopt a substitute adopted by the Senate for a bill originating in the House, a conference committee shall be appointed upon motion made, consisting of the number named in the motion; and the bill under consideration shall thereupon go to and be considered by the joint conferees on the part of the House and Senate. In considering matters in difference between the House and Senate committed to the conferees only such matters as are in difference between the two houses shall be considered by the conferees, and the conference report shall deal only with such matters. The conference report shall not be amended. Except as herein set out, the rules of the House of Representatives of Congress shall govern the appointment, conduct, and reports of the conferees.
49. After passage of a motion to form a Committee of the Whole House, the Speaker shall appoint a chairman to preside in committee, and the Speaker shall leave the Chair. A Committee of the Whole House shall not be formed if there be objection by any member except by suspension of the rules.

50. Upon bills submitted to a Committee of the Whole House, the bill shall be first read throughout by the Clerk, and then again read and debated by sections, leaving the preamble to be last considered. The body of the bill shall not be defaced or interlined, but all amendments, noting the page and line, shall be duly entered by the Clerk on a separate paper as the same shall be agreed to by the committee, and so reported to the House. After report, the bill shall again be subject to be debated and amended by sections before a question on its passage be taken.

51. The rules of procedure in the House shall be observed in a Committee of the Whole House, so far as they may be applicable, except the rule limiting the time of speaking and the previous question.

52. In a Committee of the Whole House a motion that the committee rise shall always be in order, except when a member is speaking, and shall be decided without debate.

53. Every bill shall be introduced in regular order of business unless introduced under suspension of the rules, or on the report of a committee. Each bill not introduced on the report of a committee shall immediately upon its introduction be referred by the Speaker to such committee as he deems appropriate.

53½. Standing committees and subcommittees of standing committees shall be furnished with suitable meeting places. Standing committees and subcommittees thereof shall permit other members of the General Assembly, the press, and the general public to attend all sessions of said committees or subcommittees: Provided, however, that the chairman or other presiding officer shall have general direction of the meeting place of the committee or subcommittee and, in case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct therein, or if the peace, good order, and proper conduct of the legislative business is hindered by any individual or individuals, such chairman or presiding officer shall have power to exclude from the session any individual or individuals so hindering the legislative business or, if necessary, to order the meeting place cleared of all persons not members of the committee or subcommittee. Provided further, that upon the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of any standing committee or subcommittee executive sessions may be held, but in no event shall final action be taken in executive sessions.

54. All bills and resolutions shall be reported from the committee to which referred, with such recommendations as the committee may desire to make.

55. Every bill shall receive three readings in the House previous to its passage, and the Speaker shall give notice at each whether it be its first, second, or third reading.
56. Any member introducing a bill or resolution shall briefly endorse thereon the substance of the same.

57. When a bill has been introduced and referred to a committee, if after ten days the committee has failed to report thereon, then the author of the bill may, after three days' public notice given in the House, on motion supported by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting, recall the same from the committee to the floor of the House for consideration and such action thereon as a majority of the members present may direct.

58. The Clerk of the House shall keep a separate calendar of the public, local, and private bills, and shall number them in the order in which they are introduced, and all bills shall be disposed of in the order they stand upon the Calendar; but the Committee on Rules may at any time arrange the order of precedence in which bills may be considered. No bill shall be twice read on the same day without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members.

59. All resolutions which may grant money out of the Treasury, or such as shall be of public nature, shall be treated in all respects in a similar manner with public bills.

60. The Clerk of the House shall be deemed to continue in office until another is appointed.

61. On the point of no quorum being raised, the doors shall be closed and there shall be a call of the House, and upon a call of the House the names of the members shall be called over by the Clerk and the absentees noted, after which the name of the absentees shall again be called over. Those for whom no excuse or sufficient excuses are made may, by order of those present, if fifteen in number, be taken into custody as they appear, or may be sent for and taken into custody wherever to be found by special messenger appointed for that purpose.

PREVIOUS QUESTION

62. The previous question shall be as follows: "Shall the main question be now put?" and, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debate. If this question shall be decided in the affirmative, the "main question" shall be on the passage of the bill, resolution, or other matter under consideration; but when amendments are pending, the question shall be taken upon such amendments, in inverse order, without further debate or amendment. If such question be decided in the negative, the main question shall be considered as remaining under debate: Provided, that no one shall move the previous question except the member submitting the report on the bill or other matter under consideration, and the member introducing the bill or other matter under consideration, or the member in charge of the measure, who shall be designated by the chairman of the committee reporting the same to the House at the time the bill or other matter under consideration is reported to the House or taken up for consideration.
When a motion for the previous question is made, and pending the second thereto by a majority, debate shall cease; but if any member obtains the floor, he may move to lay the matter under consideration on the table, or move an adjournment, and when both or either of these motions are pending the question shall stand:

(1) Previous question.

(2) To adjourn.

(3) To lay on the table.

And then upon the main question, or amendments, or the motion to postpone indefinitely, postpone to a day certain, to commit, or amend, in the order of their precedence, until the main question is reached or disposed of; but after the previous question has been called by a majority, no motion, or amendment, or debate shall be in order.

All motions below the motions to lay on the table must be made prior to a motion for the previous question; but, pending and not after the second therefor, by the majority of the House, a motion to adjourn or lay on the table, or both, are in order. This constitutes the precedence of the motions to adjourn and lay on the table over other motions, in Rule 25.

Motions stand as follows in order of precedence in Rule 26:

Previous question.
Adjourn.
Lay on the table.
Postpone definitely.
To commit or amend.

When the previous question is called, all motions below it fall, unless made prior to the call, and all motions above it fall after its second by a majority required. Pending the second, the motions to adjourn and lay on the table are in order, but not after a second. When in order and every motion is before the House, the question stands as follows:

Previous question.
Adjourn.
Lay on the table.
Postpone indefinitely.
Postpone definitely.
To commit.
Amendment to amendment.
Amendment.
Substitute.
Bill.

The previous question covers all other motions when seconded by a majority of the House, and proceeds by regular graduation to the main question, without debate, amendment, or motion, until such question is reached or disposed of.

63. All committees, other than the Committee on Appropriations, when favorably reporting any bill which carries an appropriation from the
State, shall indicate same in the report, and said bill shall be referred to the Committee on Appropriations for a further report before being acted upon by the House. All committees, other than the Committee on Finance, when favorably reporting any bill which in any way or manner raises revenue or levies a tax or authorizes the issue of bonds or notes, whether public, public-local, or private, shall indicate same in the report, and said bill shall be referred to the Committee on Finance for a further report before being acted upon by the House.

64. The Principal Clerk and the Sergeant-at-Arms may appoint, with the approval of the Speaker, such assistants as may be necessary to the efficient discharge of the duties of their various offices, and one or more of whom may be assigned by the Speaker from the Principal Clerk's office to the office of the Attorney-General for the purpose of drafting bills.

65. The Speaker may appoint a Clerk to the Speaker, a Chaplain of the House, and he may also appoint ten pages to wait upon the sessions of the House, and when the pressure of business may require, he may appoint five additional pages.

66. The Chairman of each of the following committees: Agriculture, Appropriations, Banks and Banking, Conservation and Development, Constitutional Amendments, Corporations, Counties, Cities and Towns, Courts and Judicial Districts, Education, Elections and Election Laws, Employment Security, Finance, Health, Higher Education, Insurance, Judiciary No. 1, Judiciary No. 2, Local Government, Manufacturers and Labor, Mental Institutions, Military Affairs, Penal Institutions, Proposions and Grievances, Public Utilities, Public Welfare, Roads and Highway Safety, Rules, Salaries and Fees, Senatorial Districts, State Government, Veterans Legislation, and Wildlife Resources may each appoint a clerk to the said Committee. The Leader of the minority party may be assigned a committee clerk with the approval of the Speaker, and whenever he deems advisable he may assign a clerk to act for two or more committees. All Committee Clerks heretofore provided for are to be appointed by and with the approval of the Speaker. With the exception of the clerks appointed to the Appropriations and Finance Committee, the clerks to all the other above named committees, when not on duty with their specific committee shall report to and be under the supervision of the Principal Clerk of the House for assignment to special duty with other committees and to serve the convenience of the members of the House.

67. The chairman of all committees shall notify, or cause to be notified, the first named introducer on such bills as are set for hearing before their respective committees, the date, time and place of such hearing.

68. That no clerk, laborer, or other person employed or appointed under Rules 64, 65, and 66 hereof shall receive during such employment, appointment, or service any compensation from any department of the State Government, or from any other source, and there shall not be voted, paid or awarded any additional pay, bonus or gratuity to any of them, but said persons shall receive only the pay for such duties and services as now provided by law. When the House is not in session the pages shall be under the supervision of the Principal Clerk.
69. The chairman and five other members of any committee shall constitute a quorum of said committee for the transaction of business.

70. The Committee on the Journal shall examine daily the Journal of the House before the hour of convening, and report after the opening of the House whether or not the proceedings of the previous day have been correctly recorded.

71. When a bill shall be reported by a committee with a recommendation that it be not passed, but accompanied by a minority report, the question before the House shall be "The adoption of the minority report," and if failing to be adopted by a majority vote, the bill be placed upon the unfavorable calendar. Such minority report shall be signed by at least one-fourth of the members of the Committee who were present and voting when the bill was considered in Committee. In the event there is an unfavorable report with no minority report accompanying it, the bill shall be placed upon the unfavorable calendar. To take a bill from the unfavorable calendar, a two-thirds vote shall be necessary.

72. A bill from the unfavorable calendar shall not be debatable, but the movant may make a brief and concise statement of the reasons for the motion before making the motion, taking not more than five minutes.

73. Whenever a public bill is introduced seven carbon copies thereof shall accompany the bill, and any bill submitted without the required number of copies shall be immediately returned to the introducer. The Clerk shall stamp the copies with the number stamped upon the original bill. Such copies shall be daily delivered to the joint committee hereafter provided for. The Clerk shall deliver the carbon copies of the bill designated to be printed, as hereinafter provided for, to the public printer and cause four hundred copies thereof to be printed. On the morning following the delivery of the printed copies, the Chief Clerk shall cause the chief page to have one copy thereof put upon the desk of each member and shall retain the other printed copies in his office. A sufficient number of the printed copies for the use of the committee to which the bill is referred shall be by the chief page delivered to the chairman or clerk of that committee. If the bill is passed, the remaining copies shall be by the chief page delivered to the Principal Clerk of the Senate for the use of the Senate. The cost of printing shall be paid from the contingent fund of the House of Representatives. The Chairman of the Rules Committee of the House and the Chairman of the Rules Committee of the Senate shall appoint a subcommittee consisting of two members of the House and two members of the Senate from the body of the House and Senate, and such chairmen shall notify the Principal Clerk of the House and the Senate who has been so appointed. Such subcommittee shall meet daily and examine the carbon copies of the public bills introduced and determine which of such bills shall be printed and which shall not, and stamp the copies accordingly. Such subcommittees shall serve for one week unless for good cause the chairman of the respective rules committees shall determine otherwise. If the member introducing a public bill, which the committee shall determine should not be printed, so desires, he may appear before the committee at the next meeting thereof with reference thereto.
Whenever any resolution or bill is introduced a carbon copy thereof shall be attached thereto, and the Principal Clerk shall cause said carbon copy to be numbered as the original resolution or bill is numbered, and shall cause the same to be available at all times to the member introducing the same. In case the resolution or bill is a public resolution or bill, an additional carbon copy shall also be attached thereto for the use of the public printer, under the provisions of Rule 66.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

February 7, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 1, entitled "a joint resolution relative to the Inauguration of the Governor-Elect and other State Officials," the Senate will be ready to sit in Joint Session with your Honorable Body at the hour of Twelve O'clock, Noon, in the Memorial Auditorium in the City of Raleigh for the purpose of inauguration of the Governor of North Carolina.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Uzzell, 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. R. 1. A Joint Resolution relative to the Inauguration of the Governor-Elect and other State Officials.

S. R. 4. A Joint Resolution informing His Excellency, the Governor, that the General Assembly is organized and ready to proceed with public business.

S. B. 2. An Act fixing the salaries of certain members of the Council of State and the Attorney General.

S. B. 3. An Act to provide retirement provisions for the Attorney General, such as are now provided for Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Court.

On motion of Mr. Venters and motion previously adopted, the House takes a recess until 12 o'clock noon to reconvene in Joint Session in the War Memorial Auditorium for the inaugural ceremonies of the Governor and other elected State Officials and upon dissolution of the Joint Session, the House stands adjourned to meet tomorrow at 9 o'clock A. M.
At the War Memorial Auditorium at the hour of noon, the Joint Assembly is called to order by Senator Currie, President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

The Inaugural Committees, previously appointed by the House and Senate, escort the Governor-Elect and other State Officials elect to the platform.

Senator Currie presents Senator James M. Poyner of Wake County, Chairman of the Inaugural Committee.

Mr. Norman Cordon leads the assemblage in singing the National Anthem.

The Invocation is offered by the Reverend Howard P. Powell of the Edenton Street Methodist Church of Raleigh.

Senator Poyner presents Honorable Charles F. Gold, duly elected Commissioner of Insurance, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice William B. Rodman.

Senator Poyner presents the Honorable Frank Crane, duly elected Commissioner of Labor, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice Carlisle W. Higgins.

Senator Poyner presents the Honorable L. Y. Ballentine, duly elected Commissioner of Agriculture, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice William H. Bobbitt.

Senator Poyner presents the Honorable George W. Patton, duly elected Attorney General, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice R. Hunt Parker.

Senator Poyner presents the Honorable Charles F. Carroll, duly elected Commissioner of Education, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice William B. Rodman.

Senator Poyner presents the Honorable Edwin Gill, duly elected State Treasurer, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice Carlisle W. Higgins.

Senator Poyner presents the Honorable Henry L. Bridges, duly elected State Auditor, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice William H. Bobbitt.

Senator Poyner presents the Honorable Thad Eure, duly elected Secretary of State, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice R. Hunt Parker.

Senator Poyner presents the Honorable Luther H. Barnhardt, duly elected Lieutenant Governor, who takes his oath of office administered by Associate Justice Emery B. Denny.

Lieutenant Governor Barnhardt presents His Excellency, Governor Luther H. Hodges, who takes his oath of office administered by Chief Justice J. Wallace Winborne.

Governor Hodges then delivers his Inaugural Address.
INAGURAL ADDRESS
OF
GOVERNOR LUTHER H. HODGES
BEFORE
JOINT SESSION OF THE 1957 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
RALEIGH MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1957

Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, Members of the General Assembly, Ladies and Gentlemen:

Once every four years the people of North Carolina select by ballot a Chief Executive to administer the affairs of their state government. Once every four years there is held this solemn and impressive ceremony of inauguration for the new Governor and other elected state officials who have been given the responsibility of office. It is a moving experience to find myself as the man chosen to take the oath of office as Governor.

As the ninety-second individual to serve as Governor of North Carolina, I am aware that no greater honor can be given to any citizen of our State. I should like to express my profound appreciation to the thousands of people in every walk of life, and from every section of our State, who have given me their support and expressed their confidence in me and in what I have been trying to do to help our State and our economy move forward. The people of North Carolina have been very generous to me. To the members of the several General Assemblies with which I have been privileged to work, I wish to express my gratitude for a cooperative and constructive approach to the problems facing state government and to express my appreciation for the assistance which has been given me in so many ways.

And, may I now say to the members of this General Assembly that I am looking forward eagerly to working with you. You come as I do, directly from a mandate of the people, and we will together do our best to help this State as it faces great problems and great opportunities.

I fear that too few people really understand the responsibilities of the General Assembly of North Carolina. There is often much unfair and unwarranted criticism of the General Assembly because of this lack of understanding. We have been fortunate over the years to have men of great ability, dedication and patriotism to serve and lead the affairs of our legislative bodies. I have often pointed to this outstanding record of service on the part of our legislators because I know from firsthand experience that this is true. I am proud to be associated with you!

We have about 75,000 people employed by the State to serve our departments and agencies, including our great public schools. These employees, their supervisors and our agency and department heads have demonstrated high character, loyalty, ability and a willingness to improve not only the job at hand, but the work of the State as a whole. I wish to express sincere appreciation for the work of our state employees, and to thank them for their cooperation and for their assistance to me.
I should like also to express my appreciation to many good friends and associates who have cheerfully given their cooperation, their talents, and their unselfish assistance, and my deepest thanks go to my office staff and to my family, for their understanding, their patience, and their unfailing devotion during these past two years.

In January four years ago, my predecessor, Governor William Bradley Umstead of Durham, stood on this stage and delivered his inaugural address. Little did we who were present realize what momentous events were about to happen. Following his sudden illness which occurred two days after he stood here, Governor Umstead rallied and demonstrated great courage and determination in carrying on the duties of his office, and in seeking and winning the support of the 1953 General Assembly for his legislative program. The State rejoiced when Governor Umstead returned to his office after more than four months in bed and plunged into the arduous full-time responsibilities of the Governorship. He served with distinction and to the fullest of his strength and abilities until his sudden and untimely death on November 7, 1954. It was my duty and responsibility to take the oath of office formally on November 9, and to carry forward the work of the Umstead administration. Today, I pay tribute to Governor Umstead, his integrity, his courage, and his devotion to North Carolina.

I am acutely aware of the outstanding and dedicated service rendered by my predecessors in this office for the past half century. The men and their achievements are well known to all—Umstead—mental hospitals and schools; Scott—rural roads and capital improvements; Cherry—sound administration and conservation of war-time gains and revenues; Broughton—war-time leader and promoter of good hospitals; Hoey—orator and spokesman for good government; Ehringhaus—courageous leadership in the face of a national economic crisis; Gardner—able administrator who brought about numerous reforms in our state government; McLean—sound fiscal control; Morrison—the first state-wide road system; Bickett—eloquent World War I leader; Craig—advocate of good schools, mental care; Kitchen—aggressive defender of the people’s rights; Glenn—staunch conservative; and the great Aycock—evangel of the public schools. Think of these men and you think of leaders who have given the history of North Carolina “a forward thrust, and sense of direction, and infusion of important knowledge,” not to mention ideas, programs, deeds and accomplishments beyond immediate recall. Each of these men represented principles and causes followed by thousands of North Carolinians devoted to the welfare and future of the State.

This is the first time in modern times that inauguration ceremonies have been held in February instead of January. Following the amendment of the Constitution in the September 8, 1956, election changing the date for the convening of the General Assembly, it was my responsibility to decide whether or not to be inaugurated in January or February. I decided to continue the custom of having the Governor take the oath of office in the presence of the Joint Session of the General Assembly.

The inaugural address of a Governor has traditionally been the time when he outlined in some detail his legislative program for the State.
Although I respect this tradition I should like to take a somewhat different approach in that my remarks today will present a broad look at North Carolina, our government, our people, our heritage and our future. Subject to the approval of the General Assembly, I should like to present my legislative program in the form of a Biennial Message to a Joint Session of the General Assembly on next Monday night.

Let us look now at North Carolina. The history of North Carolina and its settlement reaches back through the misty corridors of time to 1524, when the first of various French, Spanish and English explorers touched this region. The first English Colony in the new world was founded on Roanoke Island in 1585, and Ralph Lane of Surry, England, served as the first Governor of that Colony, which failed. William Drummond of Virginia, as the first Chief Executive under the Proprietors began a period of colonial government which reached from 1663 to 1728. Richard Everard served as the first Governor under the Crown in 1728, and Josiah Martin became the last Governor under this arrangement in 1775. There was a brief period in which leadership was carried by the presidents of the Provincial Council beginning with Cornelius Harnett in 1775 and ending with Willie Jones in 1776. Then began the election of Governors by the Legislature, with Richard Caswell serving as the first Governor under that system. This era ended with the term of R. D. Speight, Jr., in 1836. E. B. Dudley became the first Governor elected by vote of the people in December 1836 and since that time 35 different men have held this office until today. Governor Daniel G. Fowle of Wake was the last Governor before Governor Umstead to die in office. Governor Fowle succumbed in 1893 and was succeeded by Thomas M. Holt of Alamance, the Lieutenant Governor, who did not seek election as Governor.

In its beginnings, North Carolina was one of the thirteen colonies strung out along the Atlantic Coast of a mighty and unconquered continent. She was settled by hardy, industrious and independent English, Scotch Irish and German settlers looking for land, freedom and opportunity. Hardship and adversity were every-day problems of existence. In April, 1776, when growing differences between the American Colonies and the British Crown had reached serious proportions, the Fourth Provincial Congress of North Carolina met at Halifax and unanimously adopted the famous Halifax Resolves. Thus, North Carolina struck out in favor of independence from Great Britain when the Colonies to the north of us were not yet ready to move. This resolute action on the part of our Colonial Convention had a profound effect upon the Continental Congress then in session at Philadelphia. We have always been very proud of our forefathers for this bold and daring act in a time of desperate danger and uncertainty. It has taken men with such courage, determination and vision to make North Carolina the great state it is today.

In November 1789, North Carolina became the 12th state to join the Union and thereby link its fortunes and future with a new Republic—the United States of America.

The years that followed were unsettled, and progress in North Carolina was slow for several decades until the adoption of several important Con-
stitutional Amendments in 1835, which marked a real awakening and stirring among our people. The University of North Carolina, which had opened in 1795, was a leader in this awakening through the process of educating the young men of the State and in furnishing enlightened leadership for our counties and State.

North Carolina's participation in the war for Southern independence was a great period of crisis, sacrifices and patriotism to a cause which was lost. We supplied more than 125 thousand men to the Southern armies and supported the Confederacy with all our resources until April 1865, when the end came. Then followed the dark and uncertain Reconstruction period and a time of bitter political turmoil. By the end of the 19th century, North Carolina was beginning to recover from the effects of the war and showed signs of looking ahead for a better and more prosperous century to come.

Since the beginning of the twentieth century North Carolina has made more progress than in all her previous history. Stimulated by the broad and far-reaching educational program launched by Governor Charles B. Aycock, the State since 1900 has never turned back in its forward march. During this period our population has more than doubled, and in 1950, North Carolina ranked tenth in the nation. In agriculture and industry, we have been a leader in the South for many years. This progress has been made in spite of serious handicaps and reflects credit upon our people and our state government.

We have not hesitated to invest in schools, roads, hospitals, and health centers, port terminals and institutions of higher learning. The record is most impressive. We were the first southern state to establish a tax-supported system of public schools, and we pioneered in the construction of a system of hard-surfaced roads. In public health, North Carolina had the first county in the United States to inaugurate full-time county health work, and North Carolina was the first state to manufacture and distribute free typhoid vaccine. We were one of the first states to launch a public welfare program, as authorized by our Constitution of 1868, and as early as 1917 provided a public welfare program for every county. We also were early leaders in farm and county agent work and in soil conservation.

In public education we have moved forward vigorously. At first the State aided public elementary and high schools and later during the depression of the 1930's assumed responsibility for the basic support of a nine-month school term of eleven grades. Later a twelfth grade was added. We have seen total school enrollment increased to a million students with high school enrollment alone nearly a quarter of a million. Our program of consolidated rural schools, served by more than 7000 school buses, was an early, constructive and far-reaching effort by North Carolina to bring public education to every section of every county. And much of our comparative economic progress is due to our progress in education.

We have also done well in higher education. North Carolina now ranks seventh in the nation in the number of institutions of higher learning, and we have two members of the Association of American Universities, the University of North Carolina and Duke University. This Association
comprises a total of only 37 distinguished institutions, and it is a tribute to higher education in North Carolina that Carolina and Duke are members. Both institutions have built up great research libraries that together contain more than two million volumes. At North Carolina State College, we have one of the great land-grant institutions of the nation, where teaching, research and extension in science and technology have made great contributions to the agricultural and industrial growth of the State. Our other state-supported colleges are well-known and integral parts of our higher educational system. There are many fine private institutions, such as beautiful new Wake Forest College at Winston-Salem, highly respected Davidson College, and many, many others.

We have advanced in other fields as well. The North Carolina Symphony Orchestra, the first such organization in America to receive direct state aid, has won a national reputation for the quality of its music and its tremendous education work with the school children of the State. We have one of the finest programs of public library service in the nation. The Grass Roots Opera is an example of efforts to stimulate and encourage an understanding appreciation of this great form of art. The Morehead Planetarium at Chapel Hill makes a significant contribution to our education. Interest and activity in the field of history and in the preservation of historical antiquities, including the famous Governor Tyron Palace, have been very good. Tar Heels have pioneered in the production of outdoor historical symphonic dramas, such as "The Lost Colony," "Unto These Hills" and others; indeed to such an extent that the idea of staging these beautiful and moving dramas has spread to many other states. From an area that had been described as barren literary ground a few decades ago, North Carolina has become an oasis of literary production, with poets and novelists and other writers in every section of the State. One of the most significant cultural achievements in recent years was the establishment of the great new State Museum of Art which opened in 1956. To me, this is an example of the desire of our people to acquaint themselves and their children with the riches of life itself.

Our State is beautiful from our mountains to our seacoast. It has scenery, climate, and it is a friendly State.

One could go on and on, but praise is not enough. It is clear that we today are the inheritors of a splendid tradition of greatness. Yet, it is not enough to inherit greatness. We must be worthy of it!

In looking back across half a century, we are deeply stirred by the courage, the self-sacrifice, the spiritual faith, and the extraordinary vision of our people. While we have been blessed with great leadership, we have also had great followers. In fact, sometimes it seems that the people themselves are the leaders, and that our Governors and Legislators are important only as they understand and interpret the spirit of a great people.

Today, as in times past, North Carolina stands at the crossroads. We have made progress, but so have others. We must not stand still. Great decisions are in the offing; great choices must be made, great problems are demanding solution. At such a time, we, who, under the dispensation of
Providence, hold for a little while the destiny of North Carolina in our hands, must take strength from the past; for the greatness of history is made manifest in the actions of the living. Do we today have the faith and the vision of our forefathers? Are we equal, as they were, to the demands of the hour? I am bold enough to answer for all North Carolinians and say that I am confident that we are!

The future, with all its problems, challenges and opportunities, lies ahead of us. We must build upon the solid foundation of progress which is ours. All of us must—with proper regard to our individual responsibilities in our counties and localities—try to think of the State and its welfare. Careful planning, hard work, persistence and unselfishness must be ours, if we successfully achieve our goal!

It is only natural to expect that any plans to meet the demands of the future may run head-on into well-established and accepted policies and practices which were designed to answer the needs of the past. Suggestions or criticisms on government organization or reorganization, our economy or other major parts of our life are not always welcomed because these suggestions usually mean a change from what has been done in the past. This is a very human reaction and is easily understood. Constructive criticism, from any quarter, should not disturb us, however, because this is a sign of maturity within our State. We should be glad that North Carolina, while fully appreciating our past and our many blessings and resources, can still evaluate our shortcomings and, furthermore, can have the courage to speak out on matters which should be corrected. I agree with this point of view. Life itself is a vibrant and ever-changing process. To move forward intelligently, we must plan and work at our major goals and objectives. To do otherwise would result in aimless drifting in a competitive society which has no mercy on such dilatory actions.

Sir James Jeans once said:

“As inhabitants of the earth, we are living at the very beginning of time. We have come into being in the fresh glory of dawn, and a day of almost unthinkable length stretches before us with unimaginable opportunities for accomplishment. Our descendants of far off ages, looking down the long vista of time from the other end, will see our present age as the misty morning of the world’s history; our contemporaries of today will appear as dim historic figures (working) . . . to make a world worthy for mankind to live in.”

It is with the realization of such limitless opportunities before us, that I assume the office of Governor of North Carolina. Surely God has been good to us and has given to each of us a responsibility and an opportunity to work for our own welfare, the welfare of our children and the welfare of generations yet unborn. It is my purpose to dedicate myself in the spirit of unselfish service to help in the unfinished task of building a better, greater and more beautiful North Carolina. It shall be my purpose to do everything possible to raise the standard of living for the people of this good State. I am not satisfied with where we are. At the end of my four-year term, I may not be satisfied with the progress we have
made, but I shall be pleased and gratified with any forward movement accomplished with zeal and courage. I shall give the State my best!

My motivation to serve our people has grown from love, affection and a sense of duty for North Carolina. I hope you will understand a personal reference which comes from a grateful heart. More than forty years ago I was working as a mill hand in Rockingham County, with my only assets being my youth, good health, and a stubborn determination to move ahead in life. I had been born across the line in Virginia, and my home in North Carolina is still within eight miles of where I was born. My father was a tenant tobacco farmer who found in 1899, the year after my birth, that he could not make it any longer on the farm, that he must find work to support his wife and children, so we moved over the line into North Carolina to a mill town where the ninth child was born.

My father, as did some of my brothers and sisters, worked in the mills sixty to seventy hours a week for about ten cents an hour. The pay was about the same when I went to work years later, as I was next to the youngest of nine. I was in the seventh grade before I ever entered a school building owned by the state or local government. My early school was a transformed mill house owned by the company. However, these were my beginnings and I am grateful for them and the opportunities offered to me by my family, teachers, friends, and the State of North Carolina. I had the privilege of attending the University of North Carolina, where I found that you could make friends regardless of your station in life—yes, even those of us who were working our way through college. For all the opportunities I have had, I am eternally grateful and I can never repay this State for what it has done for me.

Through the years, I have tried in my own way to serve my community and my state in many different capacities, just as tens of thousands of others have done. It is my honest belief that part of the genius of this great state is the wonderful service rendered without hope of personal reward, with humility and dedication, by good citizens who want to help their state, county, or community. I recall a statement made many years ago that went something like this: “Rome’s citizens did not love her because she was great. Rome was great because her citizens loved her.” That is the spirit I like best, the spirit which moves men to serve their communities and state rather than solely themselves, and the spirit I believe which is prevalent in our state. If we keep this spirit, if we nourish it, if we practice it, nothing can stop us.

May I say to our four and one-third million people of North Carolina that we have a great heritage, a great present and a great future. If we take our heritage and couple it with the opportunities of the present, a great future is assured. Our strength is within ourselves—as a people of a strong state. I am filled with pride when I think of the overwhelming love of our people for their state. Most of us are descendants of those hardy early settlers and our family roots are deep in the rich soil of this fair land. We have cherished the independence of thought and action typical of our forefathers. The importance of morality in thought and action should never be overlooked. From all of these qualities have come strong
people, strong leaders and respected leadership among the states of the nation.

We are a moderate, but progressive people. Since our earliest days, our citizens have faced many tough and serious problems without panic or extremes. There is a characteristic stability about our people and our approach which is most important. This stability and moderation have enabled us to deal with even the most controversial of issues with calmness, resolve and understanding.

As we look ahead in North Carolina, let us do it with enthusiasm and optimism, recognizing our problems and opportunities. Let's face up to these problems with a clear mind, a clean heart, and willing hands. Let's be inspired by the love of our state and what she has done for us and our children, and what she yet holds out for us and those who will come after us.

May the Good Lord lead and bless each of us!

On motion of Mr. Whitley of Wake the Joint Session dissolves.

The House, pursuant to motion heretofore adopted, stands adjourned to meet tomorrow at 9 o'clock A. M.

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THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Friday, February 8, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with and the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Vogler, Frank M. Snepp, III, son of Representative and Mrs. Frank M. Snepp of Mecklenburg County, is made an honorary page of the House.

Mr. Vogler of Mecklenburg County is granted a leave of absence for the week beginning February 11th.

Mr. Harriss of Rowan is granted a leave of absence from Friday, February 8th through Wednesday, February 13th.

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. 5, a joint resolution inviting His Excellency, the Governor, to address a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives at
eight-thirty o'clock P. M., February 11, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Seven.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

Friday, February 8, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 5, entitled "a joint resolution inviting His Excellency, the Governor, to address a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives at eight-thirty o'clock P. M., February 11, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Seven," the President has appointed the following committee on the part of the Senate: Senators Graves and Copeland.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above resolution the Speaker appoints as a Committee on the part of the House Messrs. Blue, Hargett and Williams of Yadkin and the Senate is so notified.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Dellinger:

H. B. 4, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 7 of Article I of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to authorize the General Assembly to appropriate the sum of one million dollars to the first person, firm or corporation who or which brings in the first successful oil well in the State.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:00 o'clock A. M.
FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, February 9, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, Chaplain of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Doughton the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Dellinger the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8:00 o'clock P. M.

FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday Night, February 11, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the reading of the Journal of Saturday is dispensed with and without objection the same stands approved as written.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials and employees of New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 579 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the salaries of the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Womble of Wake and Whitley:
H. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City Council of the City of Raleigh to pay a city employee's contribution to Social Security Taxes under certain conditions.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Whitley, Womble of Wake and Harris of Wake:

H. B. 8, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate and fix the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of the Town of Zebulon.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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. 6, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1929 relating to the appointment and authority of assistant and deputy clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of High Point.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
Monday Night, February 11, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled "a joint resolution inviting His Excellency, the Governor, to address a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives at eight-thirty o'clock, P. M., February 11, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Seven," the Senate stands ready to repair to the Hall of the House there to sit in Joint Session with your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk
Pursuant to resolution heretofore adopted, the Sergeant-at-Arms announces the approach of the Senate and that Body, preceded by its officers, comes into the Hall of the House and are assigned seats, President Barnhardt at the right of Mr. Speaker Doughton, the purpose of the Joint Session being to hear the biennial message of His Excellency, Luther H. Hodges.

The Joint Assembly is called to order by President Barnhardt.

The Joint Committee of the Senate and House come into the Hall of the House, acting as escort to Governor Hodges.

Senator Graves presents Governor Hodges to President Barnhardt and Mr. Speaker Doughton; Governor Hodges is then presented to the Joint Assembly by President Barnhardt.

His Excellency, Governor Hodges makes the following address to the Joint Session:

BIENNIAL MESSAGE
OF
GOVERNOR LUTHER H. HODGES
TO THE
NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, and Members of the General Assembly:

In the Inaugural Address last Thursday, I refrained from discussing in specific terms those things we believe should be included in the State's program for the coming biennium. This was done because I believe a Governor's recommendations to the General Assembly can be better presented on an occasion and in a message designed solely for that purpose.

Separating the Inaugural Address and the Biennial Message is a departure from tradition, but it is one which seems to me to be justified and one of which I hope you approve. The form of this message tonight will also be a slight departure from tradition in that the spoken portion will not include a comprehensive discussion of the recommended budget appropriations, although I would like at this point to mention some of the total figures with which you will be dealing.

General Fund revenues for the biennium are expected to exceed the 1955 estimates by $47½ million. These unanticipated funds, when added to amounts which have been saved from appropriations made by the 1955 General Assembly, will at the end of the present fiscal year provide the State's General Fund an estimated credit balance of $59,871,113.

The existence of a substantial credit balance and business conditions which justify reasonably optimistic revenue predictions enable the State to accomplish many things which otherwise would have been impossible. These things include maintenance of essential state services, with full
allowance for expected growths in population, school enrollment, etc.;
salary raises for teachers and other state employees; an adequate capital
improvements program and the revision of our revenue structure as recom-
manded by the Tax Study Commission. Total appropriations recommended
for General Fund agencies, not counting capital improvements, amount to
$500,678,543, as compared with total General Fund appropriations for
1955-57 of $417,492,613, an increase of 20%. Appropriations for recom-
manded capital improvements for the coming biennium amount to $42,-
541,474.

It is my sincere conviction that by proportioning the available funds in
amounts which allow us to accomplish all of these things, rather than
having to leave some undone because of devoting a larger amount to any
particular program, our State will move forward toward an expanding
and balanced economy while maintaining government services at the level
expected by its people.

A budget summary will be handed to each of you in a separate printed
pamphlet and complete details will, of course, appear in the budget
document itself. I have here a copy of the budget summary and the
budget itself, which are herewith by reference made a part of this message.
message.

Before discussing specific recommendations for a biennial program, I
would like to call to your attention a few highly significant statistics
which furnish us as background a thumbnail, but accurate, description
of the State’s economic structure. I feel that such a description will be
helpful inasmuch as one of the major items of the program we shall
recommend is the revision of our tax laws—a revision which has as one
of its principal purposes the correction of certain deficiencies and im-
balances in our State’s economy.

The most disturbing statistics in connection with the State’s economy
have to do with our per capita income. We stand 44th among the states
and far below the national figure. This has been our situation for several
decades, and it clearly reveals that something is not as it should be,
because North Carolinians are as resourceful and as energetic as any
other people in the United States, and given a chance, we can do as good
a job as any other people in the United States.

Another disturbing statistic in connection with our State has to do
with our population growth and the make-up of our population. Although
North Carolina is one of the minority of the forty-eight states that
doubled their population during the 50 years between 1900 and 1950,
our rate of growth between 1950 and 1955 was not up to the growth of
the Nation and was exceeded by both Virginia and South Carolina.
During this period between 1950 and 1955, our population increase was
6.9%, and the increase for the nation was 9.0%. Virginia’s increase was
7.8% and South Carolina’s was 9.0%.

Looking at the areas of growth and nongrowth within our State, we
find variances as between different sections of the State, which are also
cause for serious concern. Although fifteen counties in North Carolina
had a population increase of more than 20% in the decade between 1940 and 1950, twenty-two counties had a decrease in population during the same period, and nineteen others had an increase of less than 5%. The counties having population decreases or having very small increases are in the eastern and far-western parts of our State. Those few eastern counties which show large increases in population contain large military installations, whose growth since 1940 has naturally been great.

Examining briefly the age groups of our population, we find high ratios of the non-income-producing age groups with a corresponding small ratio of the age groups who do produce income. According to the latest census, 41.3% of North Carolina's population is under twenty years of age. The corresponding figure for the United States as a whole is only 33.9%. The median age in our State is 25 years as compared with a median age of 30.2 years for the entire country.

This high proportion of young people means not only that we have relatively fewer income producers, but also that the cost of providing public education is a relatively greater burden on the income producers we have than is the case in most all other states. I hasten to add that educating our youth is a burden our people have repeatedly shown themselves more than willing to bear, and our concern is not to lessen the burden, but to find more resources with which to do a better job of education. It is our further concern that too often our young people, having received their education, are having to leave our State in search of the jobs for which they have been prepared and to which they are entitled.

Another significant fact in connection with age group ratios of our population has to do with the increasing proportion of older people. In 1900, persons sixty-five years of age and above constituted 3.5% of our population, but in 1950, this figure was 5.5%. We can note with particular concern that of the twenty-two counties in North Carolina that lost population between 1940 and 1950, twenty had higher than average percentages of older people and also higher than average percentages of older people requiring public assistance. A high ratio of older people requiring public assistance accompanied by a loss in population is, I am told, almost always attributable to a serious lack of economic opportunities.

Other disturbing statistics appear in connection with our farms. It can be safely said that one of the largest contributors to our low per capita income is the fact that our small farmers are not getting their part of the total income. Many other states, in which agriculture is of comparable importance, have a better per capita income than we do. Our problem is that our farms are small and too little outside employment is available for the persons living on those farms. We have the smallest farms in the Nation, and with the increasing mechanization in agriculture these farms grow more and more uneconomical every year that passes, since the small acreage will not justify the capital investment necessary for mechanization. Our farm agencies must continue to work on this problem.
The per capita income of those persons in North Carolina dependent on farming alone for their income is around $500 per year, whereas, the per capita income of those dependent on sources other than agriculture is something over $1600 per year. A particularly interesting figure is one which has to do with the 41% of farm operators in the State who supplement their income with work off the farm. Of this 41% who have outside work, well over one-half have an income from their outside work which exceeds their total farm income. This fact offers great encouragement if we can find ways to make more jobs outside agriculture available to small farmers. With our fine secondary road system making it possible for industrial plants to draw workers from areas up to forty miles from the plant itself, there are great possibilities here. Surely, if there is any possible way in which our small farmers can remain on the farm and still make incomes adequate for themselves and their families, we ought to try to find it. It is my purpose to do everything I can along these lines.

Ladies and gentlemen of the General Assembly, it is my conviction that North Carolinians prefer to have the facts, and our willingness to examine ourselves in the bright light of self-criticism and analysis is, as our own Walter Hines Page once said, a mark of the maturity of our State. The few statistics I have mentioned present a disturbing picture of the economic situation in North Carolina as of today. It is a situation which must give all of us serious concern. It is also one which forces this question upon us: How are we going to provide the jobs which our people must have if our State is to move forward?

We already know that opportunities for making adequate incomes solely in agriculture are available for fewer and fewer people. The number of persons needed in the farm economy reduces every year. A recent report published by the Bureau of Census tells us that unless there is a net migration from the farms, there are for the United States as a whole 135 rural males for every 100 needed for replacement in the 25-69 age groups. In North Carolina, the replacement ratio in this age group is 192 compared with the 135 for the Nation. That is the highest in the United States except for South Carolina. It is in the coastal plain counties that such surpluses are highest.

Returning to the question of how to provide jobs that our people must have, I can see only one answer. We must develop more industry, both manufacturing and agricultural. We must create more industry locally financed, and we must bring in more industry from outside. We must encourage in every reasonable way the expansion of industry which is already here. As I shall discuss further in a few minutes, it should also be remembered that if we are to prosper as a state, our agricultural economy must prosper, and methods to improve things in this field must be a definite part of our over-all efforts to strengthen our economy.

Our industrial growth has fallen behind the rate of growth in the other Southeastern States, and behind the rate of growth in the Nation as a whole. Thus, in spite of the fact that many new plants have recently begun operation here and many older plants have expanded, we are falling behind relatively speaking. It is, therefore, necessary that we
remove insofar as possible whatever roadblocks now exist to our further industrial development.

The 1955 General Assembly was aware that a roadblock to our industrial development might be found in our tax structure and adopted legislation which authorized creation of the Commission to Study the Revenue Structure of the State. This legislation specifically directed a detailed study of the impact of state and local taxes on industry and specifically alluded to the possibility that the allocation formula under the income and franchise taxes is excessively harsh and inflexible.

Shortly following the adjournment of the 1955 General Assembly, the tax Study Commission, as it has come to be known, was created. Its members labored nearly two years in their study and in the preparation of their report. I would like to take this opportunity to express again publicly the State's deep appreciation for the patriotic service of the members of the Tax Study Commission. I particularly call to your attention the fact that despite the widely varying economic viewpoints among the members of the Commission, their report is unanimous.

The Commission's Report confirmed the misgivings expressed by the 1955 General Assembly with respect to the detrimental effect of our present tax structure on industrial development. We shall not take the time tonight to go into any detail concerning the recommendations contained in the Commission's Report, since all of you have received copies and I am sure have studied them. As we progress into this session of the 1957 General Assembly, I know that you will be constantly referring to them. I would, however, like to make a few observations and comments concerning these recommendations.

It should be kept in mind that these recommendations are comprehensive, and although there has been a great deal of discussion concerning the effect upon businesses with multi-state operations, there are many other significant aspects to the Report.

I have been highly gratified with the general response to the tax proposals and to learn that in general they are receiving widespread approval among our people. Even some of those who will have some slight tax increases are speaking out in support of the program. Several groups of citizens representing particular economic interests whose tax bills will go up as a result of adjustments have contacted me and expressed their approval of what we are trying to do. They have stated that, in their opinion, the resulting stimulation of business and industrial activity would provide an over-all good for the State which would more than compensate for whatever temporary loss might be felt. Instances such as this do my heart good, and I realize more than ever what wonderful people we have in our great State. With that sort of attitude North Carolina is bound to move ahead.

Naturally, there have been objections to the proposals here and there. Some have claimed that it is a "give-away" program for big business. In my opinion, criticism such as this probably grows out of a misunderstanding of what is in the Commission's recommendations. In the first
place, it is not a “give-away” program in any sense. Industrial operations, whether they be large or small, will continue to be taxed by the State at the same rate they have been taxed heretofore. Our corporate income tax rate is now 6%, which is as high an effective rate as there is in the country. It is not proposed that this rate be lowered. It is recommended, however, that we remove certain unfair aspects from our system of taxation on industry, in order to bring us in line with the approach used by the great majority of other states.

I have never, and still do not, approve of “give-away” programs for industry. The industry we would attract with such programs is not the kind of industry we want. Good industry, and the kind we want in North Carolina, is willing to assume its fair share of the tax burden. All that the recommendations of the Tax Study Commission are seeking to do is to make our taxing of industry fair. What fairness is there in North Carolina taxing that portion of a corporation’s income which is earned in another state, as we now do in many cases, under our present tax laws?

I also call to your attention the fact that many, many citizens of small and moderate incomes are directly benefitted by these tax proposals. For instance, a home owner, and there are many in North Carolina, who sells his home and receives for it an inflated price will no longer have to consider that inflated price as income if he reinvests his money in a home within a year from the sale of the old. Under present law, he must pay income tax on any gain received, even though he immediately has to buy another house at an inflated price and has no real gain. Furthermore, it is recommended that all citizens be allowed to use what is referred to as the “standard deduction” on their income tax forms, rather than to have to list individually all deductions such as contributions to charity, interest on mortgages, etc. Under present state law, only those persons whose income is received solely from salaries or commissions are allowed to do this, which means that taxpayers such as small farmers and small businessmen are now denied the privilege. Well over 100,000 citizens will be favorably affected by this single recommendation.

It is to be kept in mind that what we are seeking in this tax program is another tool in our efforts to raise the per capita income of North Carolinians—which is but another way of saying that we are trying to raise the standard of living of North Carolinians—all North Carolinians. My travels have taken me the length and breadth of this great State in this effort, and the specific purpose of every program we have undertaken in connection with our economy—including the establishment of the Business Development Corporation, the Research Triangle, and, in recent weeks, the State Nuclear Energy Advisory Committee, has been toward that end.

The only way to raise a per capita income figure significantly in a state such as ours is to raise the income of the great bulk of our people, which is made up of persons with low and average incomes. Increasing higher bracket incomes will not do the job. For example, it is estimated that if we were to increase by 10% the income of every North Carolinian
who makes $10,000 a year, or more, the per capita income figure, which is now $1236, would not be increased by more than $10. If, on the other hand, we were to raise the incomes of all persons earning $5,000 per year or less—these include the persons making one, two, or three thousand dollars a year—if we were to raise these incomes by 10%, the per capita income figure would go up at least $250, which, based on this year's figures, would put us 34th instead of 44th. Naturally, we are not against persons with high incomes enjoying continued or increased prosperity, but the program I want for our good State is one which is dependent on increasing the low and moderate incomes.

There seems to be considerable concern over the proposals of the Tax Commission that additional revenue-raising powers be authorized for local governments. I am advised that the Tax Commission made these proposals, which do not affect state revenues, in recognition of the fact that our cities and counties are continually hard-pressed for revenues to meet their essential local services. This is going to be increasingly true as more and more people settle in and around our cities, and unless some leeway is provided and means are established for taxation, you may expect demands for more drastic action on the part of municipal governments, demands in the form of such things as local sales taxes, or other such undesirable measures. Already in some of the other states there are city sales taxes and various city consumer levies.

We could discuss other features of the recommended tax revisions, but you will have ample opportunity for this sort of thing during the coming weeks.

May I say to you in frankness and sincerity that now is about the only time in our modern history when these far-reaching tax changes and adjustments could be made. Our revenues this present biennium have far exceeded our estimates, and we are happy that the country's economy has made it possible. The general outlook for the next biennium is comparatively good, although none of us should expect these recommended tax changes to result in any immediate inrush of industries. A basic change in the nature of an economy is a long-term process and does not take place overnight, no matter what tax changes are made.

The concluding thought I would like to leave with you with respect to the tax portion of the program I am recommending is simply this: The proposed revisions in our revenue laws were formulated together, and the effect of each change was considered in the light of conditions which would exist with all other changes. There has been no attempt to show favoritism to any group. Rather, the desire has been to remove inequities wherever they were found. The approach has been one looking to the over-all good of all our people, and although there may be differences of opinion as to details, I want you to know that that is the spirit with which the recommendations are submitted to you.

AGRICULTURE:

When we speak of improving the economy of North Carolina, it seems to me unrealistic if we do not recognize that while we are making every
effort to accelerate our industrial development we must at the same time place equal emphasis on improvement in the agricultural segment of our economy. The goals being sought by both kinds of activities are the same, and such over-all improvement as we are able to accomplish must, as I have previously said, find industry and agriculture going down the road together side by side and hand in hand.

North Carolina is still predominantly an agricultural state. We still have twice the national average in number of people on the farm. In many ways this is good, but in some ways it is not good, as it keeps down the income of our people and makes more hazardous their ability to improve their incomes. However, as already mentioned, the fact that many small farmers are able in certain sections of the State to secure adequate income through off-the-farm jobs offers great possibilities for improving this situation and making it possible for them to remain on the farms.

Looking at the over-all picture in agriculture, without singling out the problems of the small farms, we can see definite progress. We are making progress in diversification. Our cattle and dairy businesses are growing. Poultry now brings to the State the second largest amount of money of any of our farm commodities.

Government agencies, both State and Federal, having to do with agricultural problems, are cooperating to improve our farm production through diversification of crops and in many other ways. I want to commend all of them for the great service they have rendered. They have made life for our rural people much more enjoyable, and they are pointing the way to a more comfortable future, yet they have been practical and realistic enough to point out the dangers which we are facing with the decrease in our tobacco economy. They and others are giving more attention to marketing, packaging, and selling. Particular mention may be made of the work of three state agencies, the School of Agriculture at State College, the Department of Agriculture, and the Department of Conservation and Development, which have all worked together to bring greater industrial and agricultural development to this State. Each of the three has specifically had a hand in bringing in from the outside a specific industry in the form of a factory or processing plant, or research farm.

Let's interest ourselves, as representatives of the people from the 100 counties of this State, in the problem of development of all segments of our economy. You, as the elected leaders in your counties, can help a great deal by discussing these matters with representatives of our state agencies. I have urged them in turn to counsel and advise with you. Let us bring forward together the resources of both agriculture and industry to the end that our State and all of its people will have better incomes, better homes, better schools, and all the other good things of life.

PUBLIC EDUCATION:

We turn now to consideration of the needs of our public schools. Public education is, in my opinion, of more fundamental importance to the long-
range and well-rounded development of our State than any other state governmental program. The story of the growth of our schools through increased enrollment, and of the shortage of qualified teachers is one with which you are all familiar, and I shall not dwell on it here. This good State, since the turn of the century, has shown an almost paramount interest in public school education. We have, during the last twenty-five years supported our public schools at state level in a generous manner commensurate with the State's resources. We should continue to do so. We should provide a good minimum on an equal basis for all children in our 100 counties. For this next biennium the recommended amount for the nine-months school term is $286,000,000, as compared with $247,000,000 for the present biennium. We should increase appropriations through the years to maintain this good minimum for the continually increasing school population and should raise salaries for our 35,000 teachers as we raise salaries for our 41,000 other school and state employees.

School leaders and school teachers should, even as you and I should, constantly reappraise their jobs and the system under which they work. The people are increasingly asking such questions as, "Are we really preparing our children to enter college or to enter an occupation where they are best suited?" "Why shouldn't we have our school plants open 12 months a year and put teachers on a respectable year-round basis?" "What of more and better teaching in science and mathematics?" "What of teacher shortage and teacher helpers, and what of rewarding on the basis of ability?" "How do we finance further buildings?" etc. Not just school people, but all of us, at all levels and in whatever position, must help to answer these pressing questions.

We must have a long-time goal of state leadership and support supplemented by funds from local sources to build the kind of school system we ought to have. I appointed sometime ago a state-wide Citizens Committee for Better Schools, not for an official report to a legislative body, but to work throughout the communities of North Carolina, arousing the total public interest in their public school education. I believe we will see worthwhile results from this group of fine citizens and thousands of others of like mind.

We need more vocational and technical education, particularly on the industrial side, to meet our changing economy. I am glad to say that the State Board of Education is working on this at the public school level, and that the Board of Higher Education is recommending the establishment of technical institutes and the strengthening of the one now in existence. This Board has also proposed, and the Advisory Budget Commission and I have approved for your consideration, the creation of a loan fund to be available to young people of college age and qualification who want to go into public school teaching and need financial assistance to secure the necessary college education.

One concluding thought with respect to the public schools has to do with possible action by the Federal Congress. In the event that while you are in session Federal funds for school construction are made available to the States, we will make appropriate recommendations to you. If
Congressional action should come after you have adjourned, it is possible a Special Session may have to be called to take care of this important problem.

**HIGHER EDUCATION:**

Moving into the field of higher education, we find definite reasons for encouragement and at the same time many challenging problems. The Board of Higher Education, although barely underway in its activities, is beginning to provide the much needed coordination among the State's institutions of higher learning. This Board's review of institutional budgets prior to consideration by the Advisory Budget Commission has been of great help to us.

We are recommending appropriations for the operation of our colleges and universities which are, in our opinion, adequate, and of course salary increases for college personnel will be included. We have also included recommendations for several new buildings for institutions.

One of the most significant developments in the area of finance for our colleges is to be found in the construction of certain kinds of capital improvements on a self-liquidating basis. This type of financing will require the establishment of a Revolving Fund to finance the construction of the buildings with provision made for receipts from the use of the buildings to be paid back into the fund. The Budget Bureau is looking into expanded use of this technique and we have included in our recommendations to you several capital improvements to be constructed on this basis.

Another significant possibility in this area has to do with the use of closed circuit television for instructional purposes. The television operations at the Consolidated University are already doing a fine job of providing courses by regular television for which college credit may be received. This is a commendable program being carried on by WUNC-TV.

We are not yet far enough along in the closed circuit aspect of television to know where we want to go or how far, but the Board of Higher Education is making some preliminary evaluations, and we are recommending that you authorize a contingent appropriation from the Contingency and Emergency Fund to finance an experimental installation, in the event that the Board believes such an installation worthwhile. Expenditure of this appropriation would be subject to the approval of the Advisory Budget Commission, as well as the Governor and the Council of State. This is a long-range project and one which, if feasible, could provide great savings to the State over the years, and be a partial answer to shortages of teachers in the public schools and colleges.

We also believe there are great possibilities in the future development of community colleges. As suggested by the Board of Higher Education, it is recommended that the State bear approximately 1/2 of the college grade instructional costs of students at the community colleges in Charlotte, Asheville, and Wilmington, and that the State provide funds on a matching basis for capital improvements at these colleges.
All in all, there are many reasons to be encouraged over developments and possibilities in higher education, and I am confident that we can look forward to a fruitful biennium in our institutions of higher learning.

HIGHWAYS AND HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION:

In considering the needs of a growing and progressive State, highways and highway administration are of major importance. The dramatic development in this field since I last discussed highways with you has been the enactment and the beginning of the Federal highway program with respect to the interstate highway system. The release of tremendous amounts of money from Washington to be spent in highway construction brings many problems as well as many benefits.

You will remember that we did not accept the recommendation for a highway bond issue and kept state highway expenditures on a pay-as-we-go basis. This was done at least partially in order to await the effects on state highway financing which would be brought about by the Federal highway program. In my opinion, the decision was a wise one. With highway revenues exceeding estimates and the availability of large sums of Federal money, it is obvious that for the time being at least the State could not intelligently spend more money for highways even if it had it. Competition among the states and among private engineering firms has made it very difficult to secure and retain sufficient competent engineering personnel to do all that we can finance under present conditions. There just are not enough trained personnel to go around. We hope in the very near future to install a training program in the Highway Department by which personnel underneath the level of professional engineering can be trained in the details of highway construction, which will permit one professional engineer, with the help of these trainees, to do the work of several professional engineers. And we hope greater use will be made of modern accounting and electronic equipment to save engineering talent.

The total amount of Federal highway funds to come to North Carolina for the year ending June 30, 1957, is $49,992,474. The amount for the coming biennium is $136,149,992. The total budget of the Highway Commission, including Federal funds for the coming biennium is $380,961,467. Proper expenditure of such tremendous amounts of money will require top efficiency and careful planning.

We have done a good job in North Carolina in building our highways. The need has been so great, the demand so strong, and the pressures so personal that we have, however, allowed the Highway Department to be built up almost as an independent empire. Without being critical of the present administration of highways or any previous administration, it is my sincere belief that it is time to reappraise and reorganize the Highway Department.

A distinguished Study Commission, created by the 1955 General Assembly, has for the past two years been studying possible ways of reorganization of the Highway Commission. I would like to take this opportunity to express the State's deep appreciation to the members of this Study Commission for their excellent and unselfish work in the public
interest. The Report of this Commission has been submitted to you. I support it enthusiastically. In its adoption you will effectively place the largest spending agency of the state government in the same category, and under the same budget controls, as are our schools and other important agencies of the state government. The Highway Department will have a modern accounting structure and its organization will be so constituted that it will do a more effective job. The Highway Commission will be a policy-making body just as are other boards of the state government. The Director should be a career man, just as are the heads of most other departments. The building of our roads, especially the primary and interstate system, will be on a state-wide basis, rather than having the authority delegated to individuals in various parts of the State. A policy board, rather than individuals, should control the expending of these large sums of money.

More attention, rather than less, will be given the secondary or rural roads. The County Commissioners, who are the elected officials, charged with the management of county affairs, will be consulted, even though the final decision must rest with the Highway Department. In the new organization, methods will be devised to see that members of the Commission and the Commission itself will be available to citizens and groups. Further, it is the plan to have a top man in the Highway Department management whose exclusive interest and duties have to do with rural roads. He will keep in constant touch with county and other local officials as well as the public. We have a wonderful secondary road system, and we want to make it an even better one. We can do this by setting up standards by which our rural roads will be built and not have them built on the basis of who knows whom.

I assure you my one and only interest in the Highway Department is to see that the people as a whole are served, and that North Carolina gets the most needed roads for her money. I strongly urge the adoption of the recommendations submitted by the Highway Study Commission.

PRISON SEPARATION:

A matter closely related to highway administration is the recommended separation of the prison system from the State Highway Commission. As you know, this is a subject which has been before the people of our State for several years, and there is much public interest in it. At the suggestion of the Commission on Reorganization of State Government, which reported to the 1955 General Assembly, a special Committee was created by the General Assembly to determine the feasibility of separation. The Committee, composed of the Chairman of the State Highway Commission, Chairman of the Prison Advisory Council, and the Director of Prisons, reported several weeks ago that separation is feasible and can take place by July 1 of this year. I shall not attempt to discuss the details of the Report here. I would like to mention, however, that this Report reveals much room for improvement in the way we handle short-term prisoners, and we plan, through the increased use of probation and parole techniques, to take steps to help remedy this situation.
As a matter of logic, there is no basis for continuing the prison system under the Highway Commission. Some persons have felt that to separate the prison system from the Highway Commission would place too great a burden on the General Fund. However, with provisions for the continued hiring of prisoners on contract by the Highway Commission, and with other programs being developed for the employment of prisoners—programs such as forest rehabilitation, prison industries, and farming, the financial cost to the General Fund will not be great, comparatively speaking. And I am hopeful that an independent prison system can, in the long run, be made reasonably self-sustaining.

Prison support is a burden which should be shared by the State as a whole, and the continued diversion of highway revenue to take care of a legitimate expense of the general government ought to stop as soon as reasonably practical.

The recommended budget includes appropriations to accomplish separation. Bills will be introduced for your consideration which further implement this recommendation, including a bill to set up an independent Prison Department, a state use law, and others. All of these measures I strongly recommend that you adopt.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE:

Closely related to the subject of prisons and prisoners are several other matters which deserve your attention. The problem of what to do with juvenile delinquents who have been sentenced to correctional institutions, but for whom there is no room, is one needing serious consideration—and, there are other problems having to do with youthful offenders. The Youth Service Commission has submitted a report recommending the creation of a state-supported system of domestic relations courts. This may well be a long-range need of North Carolina, and I hope you will give the report your careful study.

Excessive and uneven workloads and problems of conflicting interests facing our “part-time” superior court solicitors should be dealt with. We cannot expect efficient law enforcement if the State’s lawyers are forced to handle the State’s cases while trying to augment inadequate salaries by carrying on private law practice. During the time you are here, these and other problems of a similar nature will be placed before you, accompanied by recommendations for improvement, and I urge your careful attention to the proposals offered.

So far as I am aware, no substantial changes are otherwise being proposed in our court system at this time, and I think this fortunate, since a comprehensive study along these lines is now being made by a distinguished Committee of the North Carolina Bar Association, looking toward presentation of recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

HIGHWAY SAFETY:

Speaking in the general area of improvements in the administration of justice, and of better law enforcement, I hope you will deem it advisable to provide our Department of Motor Vehicles with the safety program
being recommended by the Commissioner. The Department's proposals have been prepared in a booklet, and this material is deserving of your serious study. I also commend to you the proposals which will be submitted with respect to driver education. It is inconceivable to me that our State will continue to tolerate conditions on our highways which result in over 1,000 deaths every year, not to mention the thousands of personal injuries, many of a crippling nature, and the tremendous property damage.

We have made some progress in lowering the death rate in relation to the number of miles being traveled and the number of motor vehicles registered, but with a 40% increase in motor travel miles in North Carolina since 1950, we must redouble our efforts and place every reasonable and practicable method of better traffic law enforcement in the hands of our officials. I approve of the major proposals submitted by the Department of Motor Vehicles, and I hope you will adopt them.

REORGANIZATION OF STATE GOVERNMENT:

We have spoken of reorganization of the State Highway Commission and separation of the prisons. There are several other matters in the nature of governmental reorganization with which you will be concerned. North Carolina seems to have adopted a policy of gradual and continual reorganization in its state government, which was begun by the Reorganization Commission created in 1953 and continued by the Commission created in 1955. In my opinion, this is a sound approach to the subject and results in better considered and more workable proposals being submitted to you.

The Reorganization Commission has done an excellent job in the areas with which it concerned itself, and I would like to express the State's appreciation to its members for their fine work. Their studies have resulted in ten separate reports, all of which have been forwarded to you. Time does not permit even the listing of the Commission's recommendations, but I believe they will impress you. and I hope you will give all of them your close attention, especially those which coordinate and cut down present and future duplication and expense, and especially those which will reduce the number of persons with whom the Governor must deal directly. The Chief Executive of an organization as large as our state government has become—expending biennially around a billion dollars—needs to be as free from details of direct day-to-day administration as is reasonably possible. Yet he must have a practical means of keeping himself constantly informed as to how the various fiscal and other service agencies are functioning. In my opinion, the creation of a Department of Administration as recommended by the Reorganization Commission, in which several service agencies can be consolidated, will be a great aid to future Chief Executives, as well as to me, and I strongly recommend that you authorize the establishment of this Department. I also hope that you will again authorize for the next biennium a Reorganization Study Commission to continue the gradual and intelligent approach to modernizing our state government.
There are three other matters of future reorganization, one perhaps more properly called rearrangement, I would like to speak briefly to you about tonight. We have in our capitol buildings one of the most beautiful small capitols in America. It is an architectural gem, which should never be changed. It simply does not, however, and cannot take care of the needs of this State, or of your needs as law-makers: We have done too little long-range planning for all our state building needs, including the Capitol. No one is to blame for this. When we could purchase land and build, we had no money. When we had money, we thought of other places to spend it.

I will not take time to tell you of the lack of space in many offices, including my own, or the inefficiency of our present inadequate setup. You will set it each day while you are here. We need a modern structure, ample room, including press galleries, and all that the present day demands. I, therefore, recommend that you authorize or appoint a Capitol Building Commission to think seriously on the problem of planning and financing a capitol office and legislative building of which we can be proud and which will serve the needs of a growing State.

Another matter concerning future reorganization has to do with our State Constitution. North Carolinians are basically traditional and conservative, yet, we have stood out in the South and in the Nation with respect to new ideas of government and public service. Our State Constitution is old and outmoded. It needs revision and redoing. It should be modernized to meet the needs of our people. I, therefore, recommend that you authorize a Commission to submit recommendations for constitutional changes to the next General Assembly.

And speaking of our Constitution, I would like to mention the third of these items, namely, the reapportionment of the General Assembly, which is required by our Constitution, following each census. As you know, nothing has been done in this respect since the census of 1950. There has been furnished to each of you a report of a Commission of distinguished North Carolinians, recommending a plan of reapportionment. I would like to express the State's appreciation to these fine citizens for their work and to say that I think you will like the plan that they have recommended. In the event that you do not, however, you still have the responsibility of reapportionment.

NATURAL RESOURCES:

North Carolina is blessed with many natural resources which need developing and conserving. Our forests, which constitute 64% of our total land area, are potentially a great asset, and I appeal to commercial and private interests to reforest and use our trees as crops. The state nurseries are producing seedlings at the rate of 50 million a year, which is an increase of 569% since 1950. We hope that in two or three years we will be producing annually 100 million seedlings. Our mineral resources are being discovered and new ones identified. For the first time since 1875, our State will have soon a state-wide geological survey which will aid the State and its citizens in the exploration and development of mineral resources.
We are blessed in North Carolina with 49.15 inches of rainfall annually for the State as a whole, which is sufficient for our needs if we properly conserve it through better soil conservation, impoundments, etc. We must plan wisely and work cooperatively on our water problems, for our State’s future development in agriculture and industry will be affected by our handling of this great resource.

HURRICANE REHABILITATION:

As you know, the State has been visited by several destructive hurricanes during the last few years. Our people suffered losses upwards of $300,000,000 from these storms in 1954 and 1955. Providence spared us in the season just passed.

Whether we have future hurricanes or not, and chances are that we will, we must do some courageous planning and work to preserve our shore lines, our coastal farms, our beaches, our inland streams, and other resources. Short-range planning and legislation must include such things as stabilization of our beaches through construction and replanting, clearing of cattle and stock off of our shore land, rehabilitation of damaged farm land, mosquito control, and other cooperative endeavors of all kinds. A report has been given you by the Mosquito Control Study Commission, which will give you an idea of the magnitude of just one aspect of this task.

For the future, we must continue to think and plan on a long-range basis, with our Congressional delegation, the United States Corps of Engineers, and with officials of the counties and towns affected, with respect to matters of erosion, stabilization of inlets, impoundment of water, flood control, proper drainage, and similar matters. This sort of activity may well require the use of present drainage districts or the creation of other types of districts for rehabilitation purposes.

Proper planning and action in this area should permit us to open up great acreage for forestry and farm use, and for the great industrial development that must come. These things will run into money. It will take tens of millions of dollars, most of which, of course, must come from the Federal Government, but the state and local governments must also make substantial contributions.

We have people working on these things full-time, and we are recommending that you authorize the creation of a Planning Division in the Department of Conservation and Development to work with cities and towns in planning their development and rehabilitation, and with Federal agencies. The creation of this Division will also permit cities and towns in North Carolina to receive special Federal funds set up for these purposes. Legislation will be introduced implementing these suggestions, and I hope you will give it your favorable consideration.

MINIMUM WAGE:

In the State’s program to raise its per capita income, we should have a minimum wage. One of the essentials of prosperity is widespread purchasing power in the hands of the people. A minimum wage will help provide this by raising the level of our very low income earners, something we badly need to do.
WELFARE, HEALTH, AND HOSPITALS:

Although we are making plans and looking ahead with optimism to the growth and prosperity of our State, we must always keep in mind that many of our citizens, because of reasons beyond their control, are in need and will be unable to participate like the rest of us in whatever progress we enjoy. These needy people include our citizens who are too old, too young, too disabled, or too ill to work, and are without private means of financial aid. Our State is rightfully committed to providing essential financial aid for these unfortunate members of our society.

North Carolina has an excellent record with regard to the administration of its public welfare program, its public health program, and its hospital program. Increasingly, our welfare activities are being geared to help individuals attain self-care and self-support. Such services are constructive and help to strengthen the social fabric of our State. The welfare officials are, however, prevented by gaps in basic legislation from developing properly certain policies that are needed to improve administration. I urge careful consideration of certain proposals which will be presented to you for legislation to correct these situations, and I hope such legislation will include methods to help control welfare payments to mothers of illegitimate children.

Our public health services continue to be outstanding. The State Board of Health will seek your approval of a much needed re-write, or codification, of all public health laws along the same lines as was accomplished during the 1955 session, in connection with the public school laws.

The hospital program in North Carolina is progressing on all fronts. Many hospitals are being built throughout the State, and the work of our tuberculosis and mental hospitals is meeting remarkable success. The number of tubercular patients in our hospitals is decreasing slightly, and the mental hospitals’ waiting list is being reduced, thanks to the capable and devoted work of outstanding board members and to the use of modern techniques, such as tranquilizing drugs, etc. Budget recommendations include provisions for mental training schools at Goldsboro and Butner, and I urge that you continue to give our health and hospital programs the support they need and deserve.

ABSENTEE BALLOT AND LIQUOR:

We now come to the perennial subjects of the absentee ballot and the liquor referendum, and I shall repeat the recommendations made in my Biennial Message to you in 1955, which were that the civilian absentee ballot provisions for the General Elections be abolished, as has been done for the primary elections, and that you submit the liquor question to a vote of the people.

SEGREGATION:

I would like now to make a few brief remarks about a matter which has given, and continues to give, all of us a great deal of serious concern. This is the problem which resulted from the segregation decisions of the United States Supreme Court in 1954 and 1955. Thanks to the dedicated
work of the two Pearsall Committees during this period and the wisdom of the General Assembly in 1955, and the Special Session in 1956, North Carolina has to date dealt well with this problem. We have been fortunate in being spared the lawlessness and violence which have taken place elsewhere, and I would like to commend all of our citizens for their calmness and wisdom.

I am informed that the Advisory Committee on Education has under consideration the question of whether it will recommend any changes in some of the school laws, but that decision on this will probably await disposition of several legal actions now pending in this and other states. In the meantime, I would like to recommend to you that we strengthen the registration laws applicable to various pressure and propaganda groups, and legislation will be introduced along these lines.

CONCLUSION:

The program I have submitted to you tonight is one of many facets and of far-reaching consequences. These are things which after careful study, deliberation, and discussion, I believe are necessary for the people you and I represent, and for the State we are sworn to serve. I have great confidence in your ability as representatives of the people to promptly consider and dispose of the business before you form a viewpoint of what is best for the State over the long pull. And I have faith that your final judgment will be for the best interest of our beloved North Carolina.

In closing this rather lengthy message—but the State's program is large and most important—I would like to describe for you a vision of what I believe can be the North Carolina of the future.

I see a land of thriving industry of many kinds—manufacturing, agricultural, research; with plants distributed throughout the State—East, West, North and South, set well apart on our countrysides, and in well-planned towns and medium sized cities, drawing their workers from all the surrounding areas, without the slum conditions, the polluted air, the unmanageable congestion, and the other unwanted characteristics of the present typical American industrial center. This is a land where all workers are land owners and home owners, rather than modern-day cliff dwellers cramped in gloomy rented flats and furnished rooms; a land with prospering farms producing many different crops and no longer dependent for their existence on a one-or-two-crop market. I see in every community well-constructed, modernly equipped and modernly run schools, staffed by adequately trained and adequately paid teachers, supported by an enthusiastic people who demand nothing less than the best for all children. This is a land where all citizens have sufficient economic opportunity, spare time, and education to enjoy the best there is in life through private pursuits supplemented by public cultural and recreational facilities. And in this land, looking out over all else, there are the towers of colleges and universities—for it is an enlightened land, and the spires of many churches—for it is a moral land.

This is the vision, the North Carolina dream. And it is not an unattainable thing. We have a great heritage, with past leaders who have shown
us what courage and faith and hard work can do. We have the people, and the natural resources to turn this dream into eventual reality, if we but work and continue to have courage and faith in our own abilities. You and I, in the all too few years remaining to any of us, can do no more than lead our State a little of the way, but if we do this, and hand over to those who come after us the courage and the faith which were handed to us, then, God willing, this vision of North Carolina will become her destiny.

Thank you and good night.

After the Governor's address, on motion of Senator Currie the Joint Assembly dissolves, the Senate repairs to its Chambers and the House resumes consideration of its business.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the vote by which S. B. 6, entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1929 relating to the appointment and authority of Assistant and Deputy Clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of High Point" passed its third reading is reconsidered and the bill placed on the Calendar.

Mr. Love is granted a leave of absence for February 11 and 12.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Ed O'Herron, a former member of the House from Mecklenburg County.

On motion of Mr. Woodard the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable R. E. Brantley, a former member of the House from Polk County.

On motion of Mr. Kiser the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock Noon.

SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives
Tuesday, February 12, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Umstead the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable John McLaughlin, a former member of the House from Iredell County.

Mr. Uzzell offers the following House Resolution:
HOUSE RESOLUTION

Requesting instruction on Legislative Parliamentary Procedure for the benefit of all interested members.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

Section 1. That the Honorable Thad Eure, Secretary of State, be and he is hereby respectfully requested to conduct a class of instruction on legislative parliamentary procedure, for the benefit of all interested members, in the Hall of the House for a twenty minute period each day prior to the convening hour, beginning tomorrow morning and ceasing at his pleasure.

Sec. 2. That this Resolution shall be effective from and after its adoption.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the Resolution is adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Uzzell:

H. R. 9, a joint resolution to authorize and provide for the printing of the Governor's biennial and inaugural messages to the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 10, a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for capital improvements of State Institutions, Departments, and Agencies and construction of buildings and permanent improvements for the State.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

And,

H. B. 11, a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for the maintenance of the State's Departments, Bureaus, Institutions and Agencies and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement “The Revenue Act”, being Subchapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.
Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Everett, Love and Dr. Phelps:

H. B. 13, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate to the State Board of Education from the general fund of the State Treasury such amounts as are necessary to provide during each year of the 1957-59 biennium a twenty per cent increase in salaries for public school employees.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Kiser:

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled An act to create a sinking fund for the purpose of retiring the principal and interest of all bonds issued pursuant to the State Permanent Improvement Bond Act of 1953, and to provide funds therefor by transferring thereto sufficient moneys from the General Fund surplus.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled An act to create a sinking fund for the purpose of retiring the principal and interest of all bonds issued pursuant to the State Mental Institutions Bond Act of 1953, and to provide funds therefor by transferring thereto sufficient moneys from the General Fund surplus.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

CALENDAR

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

S. B. 6, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1929 relating to the appointment and authority of Assistant and Deputy Clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of High Point.

Mr. Shreve offers an amendment which is adopted.

The bill passes its third reading as amended and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

On motion of Mr. Dellinger the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, February 13, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the reading of the Journal of yester-
day is dispensed with and without objection the same stands approved as
written.

The Speaker extends the courtesies of the floor to the Honorable Sherron
Harris of Stanly County, a former member of the House of Representatives.

Leave of absence is granted Mr. Buchanan for Thursday and Friday,
February 14 and 15, on account of a business emergency.

Mr. Dellinger is granted an indefinite leave of absence due to illness.

Mr. Martin of Clay County is granted a leave of absence for Thursday
and Friday, February 14 and 15, 1957.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Everett:

H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Wildlife Resources
Commission to fix open season on doe deer.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Rowan County and
any incorporated city or town therein, to acquire properties suitable for
use by any one or a combination of the following: (a) any industry for
manufacturing, processing, or assembling any agricultural or manufac-
tured product and (b) any commercial enterprise in storing, warehousing,
distributing or selling products of agriculture, mining and industry; to
authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to
lease such properties subject to certain specified requirements; to authorize
Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to finance the
acquisition of such properties by the issuance of revenue bonds payable
solely out of the revenues from the leasing of such properties and to secure
such bonds by pledges of such revenues and leases and by mortgages on
such properties; to provide that all such bonds shall be negotiable instru-
ments; to authorize the refunding of any such bonds; to provide for
remedies in the event of default respecting any bonds issued under the
act; to exempt from taxation the revenue from the lease of said properties,
and the principal and interest of said bonds; to prohibit any municipality
from making contributions to the cost of any such properties and from
furnishing land therefor; to provide that such bonds and any agreements
made in connection therewith shall not constitute an indebtedness of a
municipality or a pecuniary liability of any kind; to provide that such
bonds shall be legal investments for savings banks and insurance com-
panies organized under the laws of this State; to provide the purposes
for which the proceeds from the sale of such bonds may be used; to provide
that no notice to or consent or approval by any governmental body or
public officer shall be a prerequisite to the issuance of such bonds or the
securing thereof.
Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by Justices of the Peace in Rowan County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Satterfield, Vann and Clark:

H. B. 19, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for tax rebates on motor fuels used on a farm for farming purposes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-35(4) so as to make it mandatory that the Person County Board of Education make rules and regulations as to extra curricular activities in the public schools under its supervision.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 67-13 so as to relieve the County Commissioners of Person County and the County of Person from the duties imposed thereby as to damages caused by dogs in the County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Whitley and Yarborough of Franklin.

H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the National Guard and to amend General Statutes 20-80 relating to license plates of the National Guard.

Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation for members of the Jackson County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Mr. Speaker Doughton announces the appointments of the following Committees:

APPROPRIATIONS—Representative Venters, Chairman, Representatives Clark, Hewlett, Hunt and Taylor, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Combs, Crawford of Buncombe, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Robeson, Gobble, Gregory,
Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Henley, Hicks, Hill, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kerr, Leake, Love, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, Parker, Phelps, Quinn, Rodenbough, Ross, Shreve, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Umstead, Valentine, Vann, Whitehurst, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Wooten and Yarborough of Franklin.


On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, February 14, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Quinn the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Ray Lackey, a former member of the House of Representatives from Alexander County.

On motion of Mr. Britt the courtesies of the floor are extended Doctor Dewey H. Bridger, Sr., a former member of the House from Bladen County.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Harry Morris and Thomas Dale Hire of Forsyth County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Arthur Goodman, a former member of the House from Mecklenburg County.

After discussion, Mr. Womble of Wake moves that the House members come under the Social Security Tax Law regarding compensation during the 1957 Session of the General Assembly, the motion prevails.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Thomas and Coates:

H. B. 24, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Selma to convey to the Selma American Legion Post No. 141 certain lands located at the corner of Webb and Waddell streets in the Town of Selma.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities, and Towns.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 151-7 relating to the powers and duties of township constables.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 7 of Chapter 124 of the Session Laws of 1945 so as to change the time required for the appointment of a registrar and poll holders to serve in connection with primaries for the nomination of candidates for municipal offices in the Town of Jacksonville.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 27, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cumberland County to advance Alcoholic Beverage Control Funds to the Cape Fear Valley Hospital Maintenance Funds.

On motion of Mr. Henley the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Combs, Hewlett, Bowman, O'Neal, Phelps, Holmes, Etheridge, Griggs, Burgess, and Everett:


Referred to Committee on Finance.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Shreve, 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. R. 1. A Joint Resolution honoring the life, memory and achievements of James W. Rideoutte, a former member of the House of Representatives from Rowan County, and expressing sympathy upon his death.

S. R. 5. A Joint Resolution inviting His Excellency, The Governor, to address a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives at 8:30 o'clock, P. M., February 11, 1957.

H. R. 9. A Joint Resolution to authorize and provide for the printing of the Governor's Biennial and Inaugural messages to the General Assembly.

S. B. 6. An Act to amend Chapter 170 of the Private Laws of 1929 relating to the appointment and authority of assistant and deputy clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of High Point.

H. B. 7. An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Raleigh to pay a city employee's contribution to Social Security taxes under certain conditions.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M.

NINTH DAY

House of Representatives
Friday, February 15, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the reading of the Journal of yesterday is dispensed with and without objection, the same stands approved as written.

Introduction of Bills and Resolutions

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

By Messrs. Stone and Gobble:

H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-335 relating to the punishment for public drunkenness in Forsyth County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Leake:

H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled An act appointing members of the Madison County Board of Education and fixing their terms of office.
Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Coates and Thomas of Johnston:

H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 425 of the Private Laws of 1907, as amended, the same being the Charter of the Town of Pine Level, in Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 52 of Chapter 219, Private Laws of 1911 so as to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Smithfield.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. White, Delamar, Yarborough of Franklin, Womble of Wake, Kemp, Hunt, Snepp, Bell, Love, Floyd of Robeson, Shreve, Holmes, Talton, Gaither, Wooten, Hardy, Harris of Wake, Turner, Everett, Powell, Wilson of Union, McCrary, Jones of Ashe, Clark, Woodard of Wilson, Coates, Harriss of Rowan, Murphy, Pittman, Stone, Umstead, Bowman, Arledge, Crawford of Swain and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the fees for the office of the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 35, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Lenoir County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Gobble and Stone:

H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the charter of the City of Winston-Salem by defining the corporate limits of the City to include the areas annexed prior to January 1, 1957; fixing the boundary lines of the eight wards of the city.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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. 13, a joint resolution honoring the life and memory of Thurmond Chatham who served his State and Nation with honor, devotion and distinction.

On motion of Mr. Gobble, seconded by Representatives Rodenbough, Powell, Fowler, Whitley, Stone, White and Mr. Speaker Doughton, the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

OATH OF MEMBER

"I, J. A. Speight, solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States; and do solemnly and sincerely swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the government thereof; and that I will endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of my knowledge and ability; and do further solemnly swear that I will faithfully discharge my duties as a member of the House of Representatives of the State of North Carolina according to the best of my skill and ability and according to law, so help me, God."

(Signed) J. A. Speight

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 14th day of February, 1957.
R. Hunt Parker (Signed)
Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Mr. Speaker Doughton announces the following Committee Appointments:


APPROPRIATIONS—Representative Venters, Chairman, Representatives Clark, Hewlett, Hunt and Taylor, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, By-
rum, Carpenter, Childers, Combs, Crawford of Buncombe, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Robeson, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Henley, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Hicks, Hill, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kerr, Leake, Love, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, Parker, Phelps, Quinn, Rodenbough, Ross, Shreve, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Umstead, Valentine, Vann, Whitehurst, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Wooten and Yarborough of Franklin.


COMMERCIAL FISHERIES AND OYSTER INDUSTRY—Representative Vann, Chairman, Representatives Bell and Combs, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Askew, Bowman, Burgess, Byrum, Delamar, Etheridge, Griggs, Hewlett, Jones of Pitt, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Ross, Speight, Whitehurst, Williams of Pasquotank and Yarborough of Cumberland.

COMMISSIONS AND INSTITUTIONS FOR THE BLIND—Representative Gobble, Chairman, Representative Floyd of Columbus, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Brinkley, Britt, Childers, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Griggs, Harriss of Wake, Houk, Kiser, Martin, Powell, Rodenbough, Thomas of Johnston and Wilson of Caswell.

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS—Representative Powell, Chairman, Representative Coates, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Buchanan, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Combs, Floyd of Columbus, Harriss of Rowan, Hughes, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Long, Parker, Satterfield, Speight, Vogler, Watkins, Williams of Pasquotank and Zollicoffer.

CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT—Representative Hunt, Chairman, Representatives Etheridge, Love and Yarborough of Franklin, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Britt, Burgess, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Craig, Ferebee, Gaither, Griggs, Harriss of Wake, Hewlett, Hill, Jones of Ashe, Kemp, Murphy, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Randall, Speight, Stone, Taylor, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Valentine, Wallace, White, Whitehurst, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Yarborough of Cumberland.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS—Representative Kerr, Chairman, Representative Dill, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Bost, Brock, Bynum, Clark, Dellinger, Floyd of Robeson, Gavin, Hewlett, Holmes, Jordan, Long, Powe, Taylor, Turner, Uzzell, Womble of Forsyth and Yarborough of Franklin.
CORPORATIONS—Representative Shreve, Chairman, Representatives Bost and Floyd of Robeson, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Buchanan, Bynum, Gavin, Harris of Wake, Holmes, Philpott, Powe, Satterfield, Simpson, Snepp, Taylor, Thompson, Uzzell, Valentine, Venters, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Wooten and Zollicoffer.

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS—Representative Holmes, Chairman, Representatives Houk and Stone, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Davis, Delinger, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gregory, Holcombe, Hostetler, Hughes, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kennedy, Leake, Lloyd, Phelps, Pittman, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Ross, Shreve, Thompson, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Wall, Wicker, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Wake and Woodard of Northampton.

COURTS AND JUDICIAL DISTRICTS—Representative Craig, Chairman, Representative Powe, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Brock, Buchanan, Childers, Dill, Falls, Floyd of Robeson, Hewlett, Holmes, Hostetler, Lloyd, Long, Ross, Simpson, Snepp, Thompson, Valentine, Venters, White, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, Womble of Wake and Zollicoffer.

DRAINAGE—Representative Etheridge, Chairman, Representatives Askew and Burgess, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Bell, Bowman, Britt, Byrum, Combs, Delamar, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Holmes, O’Neal, Phelps, Ross, Speight, Wall, Williams of Pasquotank, Woodard of Northampton and Wooten.


EMPLOYMENT SECURITY—Representative White, Chairman, Representative Watkins, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Arledge, Brinkley, Carpenter, Crawford of Buncombe, Everett, Gaither, Griggs, Holcombe, Johnson, Martin, McCrary, Philpott, Powell, Quinn, Reynolds, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Vann, Whitehurst, Wilson of Union, Womble of Wake and Zollicoffer.
ENGROSSED BILLS—Representative Askew, Chairman, Representative Wall, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Britt, Burleson, Combs, Fowler, Kemp, Kennedy, Lloyd and Parker.

EXPENDITURES OF THE HOUSE—Representative Speight, Chairman, Representative Gregory, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Dill, Gavin, Hewlett, Ross and Turner.

FEDERAL AND INTERSTATE COOPERATION—Representative Wilson of Union, Chairman, Representative Houk, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Crawford of Swain, Hill, Hughes, Love, Parker, Simpson, White, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Womble of Wake and Woodard of Wilson.


HEALTH—Representative Woodard of Northampton, Chairman, Representatives Phelps and Satterfield, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Bell, Blue, Brinkley, Britt, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Floyd of Columbus, Gaither, Henley, Hill, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Powell, Randell, Rodenbough, Simpson, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Umstead, Wilson of Caswell and Woodard of Wilson.

HIGHER EDUCATION—Representative Womble of Forsyth, Chairman, Representatives Long and Uzzell, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Brock, Buchanan, Craig, Eggers, Ferebee, Harris of Wake, Hicks, Hill, Kerr, Murphy, Parker, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Taylor, Turner, Umstead, Vann, Whitley, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wooten and Yarborough of Cumberland.

INSTITUTIONS FOR THE DEAF—Representative Fowler, Chairman, Representative Wilson of Caswell, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Brinkley, Britt, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Falls, Gobble, Houk, Randall, Reynolds, Simpson, Speight, Thomas of Stanly, Valentine, Wall, Watkins and Wilson of Union.

INSURANCE—Representative Gregory, Chairman, Representatives Blue and Everett, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Bell, Byrum, Davis, Dellinger, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hill, Holcombe, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Pitt, McKnight, Murphy, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Thompson, Umstead, Valentine, Vann, Whitley, Womble of Forsyth, Woodard of Wilson and Yarborough of Franklin.

THE JOURNAL—Representative Stone, Chairman, Representative Wall, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Brinkley, Carpenter, Crawford of Swain, Hargett, Henley, Whitley and Williams of Pasquotank.
JUDICIARY NO. 1—Representative Bost, Chairman, Representatives Valentine and Wilson of Union, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Brock, Bynum, Childers, Craig, Dellinger, Floyd of Robeson, Harris of Wake, Houk, Jordan, Leake, Long, Ross, Shreve, Simpson, Taylor, Venters, White, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth and Womble of Wake.

JUDICIARY NO. 2—Representative Hewlett, Chairman, Representatives Thompson and Uzzell, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Bowman, Buchanan, Clark, Crawford of Buncombe, Davis, Dill, Falls, Gavin, Holmes, Hostetler, Kerr, Lloyd, Powe, Satterfield, Snepp, Turner, Wooten, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE—Representative Wicker, Chairman, Representative Watkins, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Britt, Carpenter, Craig, Crawford of Swain, Everett, Hughes, Shreve, Wall and White.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT—Representative Turner, Chairman, Representatives Bell and Davis, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Britt, Bynum, Childers, Crawford of Buncombe, Delamar, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Hill, Johnson, Jordan, Kennedy, Martin, Powell, Speight, Thomas of Stanly, Vogler, Wooten and Zollicoffer.

MANUFACTURERS AND LABOR—Representative Wallace, Chairman, Representatives Powell and Quinn, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Brock, Burleson, Davis, Dill, Falls, Ferebee, Fowler, Gobble, Gregory, Hicks, Holmes, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, McCrary, McKnight, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Vann, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton and Yarborough of Cumberland.


MILITARY AFFAIRS—Representative Floyd of Columbus, Chairman, Representative Powe, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Arledge, Bell, Delamar, Everett, Ferebee, Fowler, Gavin, Hill, Quinn, Turner, Valentine, Whitley, Wilson of Caswell and Yarborough of Franklin.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS—Representative Blue, Chairman, Representatives Vogler and Wallace, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Bowman, Brock, Burleson, Childers, Craig, Crawford of Swain, Eggers, Etheridge, Gaither, Gregory, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Hicks, Holcombe, Hostetler, Kemp, Kerr, McKnight, Powe, Speight, Talton, Turner, Wall, Watkins and Wooten.

PROPOSITIONS AND GRIEVANCES—Representative Quinn, Chairman, Representative Buchanan, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Bowman, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Craig, Gaither, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Harriss of Rowan, Henley, Phelps, Pittman, Snepp, Umstead, White, Womble of Wake and Woodard of Wilson.
PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS—Representative Vogler, Chairman, Representative Whitley, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Henley, Hill, Hostetler, Kerr, Kiser, Talton, Umstead, Wicker, Yarborough of Cumberland and Zollicoffer.

PUBLIC UTILITIES—Representative Long, Chairman, Representatives Harriss of Rowan and Hicks, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Bell, Blue, Bost, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Clark, Davis, Etheridge, Ferebee, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Griggs, Harris of Wake, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, O'Neal, Philpott, Randall, Snepp, Speight, Taylor, Thompson, Wallace, Watkins, White, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Wilson, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer.

PUBLIC WELFARE—Representative Kiser, Chairman, Representatives Shreve and Vann, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue,Britt,Brock,Buchanan,Burgess,Byrum,Crawford of Buncombe, Dill, Eggers, Everett, Fowler, Henley, Holcombe, Kennedy, Leake, Love, McKnight, Parker, Pittman, Powell, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Speight, Talton, Vogler, Williams of Yadkin, Woodard of Wilson and Yarborough of Cumberland.

ROADS AND HIGHWAY SAFETY—Representative Philpott, Chairman, Representatives Holmes and White, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Bell, Bost, Bowman, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Coates, Craig, Davis, Eggers, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hill, Leake, Long, Love, Murphy, O'Neal, Pittman, Powell, Ross, Simpson, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer.

RULES—Representative Uzzell, Chairman, Representatives Holmes and Womble of Wake, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Blue, Bost, Buchanan, Davis, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gavin, Gobble, Hewlett, Jordan, Kerr, Philpott, Quinn, Shreve, Taylor, Thompson, Valentine, Vogler, White, Williams of Yadkin and Yarborough of Franklin.

SALARIES AND FEES—Representative Thomas of Johnston, Chairman, Representative Watkins, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Anderson, Bowman, Brinkley, Everett, Floyd of Columbus, Gregory, Harriss of Rowan, Holcombe, Johnson, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kennedy, Martin, Phelps, Snepp, Wallace and Wicker.

SENATORIAL DISTRICTS—Representative Floyd of Robeson, Chairman, Representative Thompson, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Askew, Blue, Byrum, Craig, Ferebee, Gobble, Gregory, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Henley, Hicks, Holmes, Johnson, Leake, Martin, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Shreve, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Wilson of Union, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland and Yarborough of Franklin.

STATE GOVERNMENT—Representative Clark, Chairman, Representatives Kerr and Philpott, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Bost, Brock,
Bynum, Craig, Davis, Falls, Ferebee, Gavin, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Jones of Pitt, Kiser, Long, Murphy, Pittman, Powell, Taylor, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Vann, Venters, Wallace, Whitley, Womble of Forsyth, Woodard of Northampton and Yarborough of Franklin.

TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT—Representative Womble of Wake, Chairman, Representative Ross, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Coates, Eggers, Hardy, Hicks, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Martin, Parker, Poe, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Stone, Thomas of Johnston, Wall, Wilson of Caswell and Yarborough of Franklin.

VETERAN'S LEGISLATION—Representative Whitehurst, Chairman, Representative Coates, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Carpenter, Childers, Dill, Hewlett, Hughes, Kennedy, Lloyd, Martin, Satterfield, Stone, Thompson, Wicker, Williams of Yadkin and Zollicoffer.

WILDLIFE RESOURCES—Representative Hargett, Chairman, Representatives Buchanan and Wicker, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Britt, Burgess, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Craig, Davis, Everett, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gregory, Griggs, Henley, Houk, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Lloyd, Martin, O'Neal, Satterfield, Speight, Stone, Turner, Wall, White, Williams of Yadkin, Woodard of Northampton and Yarborough of Franklin.

ENROLLED BILLS (JOINT)—Representative Dellinger, Chairman, Representative Satterfield, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Crawford of Buncombe, Hardy, Hughes, Martin, McCravy, Reynolds and Wicker.

LIBRARY (JOINT)—Representative Rodenbough, Chairman, Representative Hargett, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Anderson, Burgess, Carpenter, Dill, Eggers, Gobble, Hardy, Kiser, Long, O'Neal, Parker, Reynolds, Ross, Satterfield, Speight, Stone, Williams of Pasquotank and Wilson of Caswell.

PRINTING (JOINT)—Representative Satterfield, Chairman, Representative Everett, Vice-Chairman, Representatives Blue, Henley, Holcombe, McKnight, Parker and Thomas of Johnston.

TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY (JOINT)—Representative Coates, Chairman, Representatives Rodenbough and Taylor, Vice-Chairmen, Representatives Blue, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Childers, Clark, Dill, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hill, Jordan, Kiser, McKnight, Murphy, Pittman, Ross, Shreve, Simpson, Stone, Thompson, Umstead, Valentine, Venters, Vogler, Wall, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson and Zollicoffer.

On motion of Mr. Gobble and pursuant to Senate Resolution 13, heretofore passed by the House, the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the late Honorable Thurmond Chatham, former member of the United States Congress from the Fifth District and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock to take up local legislation only, thereupon to adjourn to meet Monday Night at 8 o'clock P. M.
TENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, February 16, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Harris of Wake reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Parker the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8:00 o'clock P. M.

ELEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday Night, February 18, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct and without objection, the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Womble of Forsyth, being a member-elect from Forsyth County and due to business urgency having to be absent heretofore, comes before the Dias and Mr. Speaker Doughton and is administered his oath of office by the Speaker as follows:

OATH OF MEMBER

I, William F. Womble, solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States; and do solemnly and sincerely swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the government thereof; and that I will endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of my knowledge and ability; and do further solemnly swear that I will faithfully discharge my duties as a member of the House of Representatives of the State of North Carolina according to the best of my skill and ability and according to law, so help me, God.

(S) Wm. F. Womble
Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 18th day of February, 1957.
(S) J. K. Doughton
Speaker of the 1957 Session of the General Assembly.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 37, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the presiding judge to enter discretionary orders respecting a driver's license in lieu of action by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock Noon.

TWELFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, February 19, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Vann is granted a leave of absence for today, February 19, 1957.

Mr. Gavin is granted a leave of absence for tomorrow, February 20, 1957.

The following resolution is offered by Mr. Uzzell and he moves the adoption of same.

HOUSE RESOLUTION
RELATING TO TEACHER SALARIES

WHEREAS, the procurement and holding of teachers in the public schools of North Carolina is the greatest emergency confronting this General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, teacher salaries in North Carolina are vastly inferior to the national average, and are now lower than several southern states, thus resulting in the exodus of many teachers and the failure of many trained teachers to teach in the public school system of North Carolina; and
WHEREAS, the preservation and continued development of our public school system is essential to the progress and growth of our State.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

Section 1. That the Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives be, and said Committee is hereby directed to provide in the Biennial Appropriations Bill a sum sufficient to grant a minimum increase of fifteen per cent in the salaries of public school teachers.

Sec. 2. That this resolution shall be effective from and after its adoption.

Mr. Kerr moves that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Appropriations. On this motion Mr. Turner calls for the "Ayes" and "Noes".

Mr. Kiser moves that the resolution lie upon the table. On this motion Mr. Uzzell calls for the "Ayes" and "Noes", the call is sustained.

The question recurs to the substitute motion offered by Mr. Kiser.

The roll of the House Members is called and the resolution is tabled by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker Doughton, Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Britt, Bynum, Byrum, Clark, Coates, Craig, Falls, Ferebee, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Harris of Wake, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, McCrory, Mc Knight, Murphy, Parker, Philpott, Pittman, Quinn, Snepp, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Umstead, Valentine, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Williams of Pasquotank, Wombe of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—58.


INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Philpott, Falls and Holmes:

H. B. 38, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 136 of the General Statutes relating to the State Highway and Public Works Commission.
Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. Murphy:

H. B. 39, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Pender County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said county.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Love, Phelps and Everett:

H. B. 40, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for an increase in the salaries and wages of state employees because of the inflationary increase in consumer goods, services, necessities, and other living requirements of state employees and to fix the terms, conditions, and amount of said salary increase.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Turner:

H. B. 41, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 105 of the General Statutes so as to authorize individuals to deduct federal income tax for state income tax purposes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the terms of the Superior Court for Chatham County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Bird Sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Cameron in Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

The following House Resolution is offered by Mr. Everett:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

**A HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO INCREASE OF SALARIES OF TEACHERS AND ALL OTHER EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE**

WHEREAS, all public school and state employees are in need of adequate salaries, and

WHEREAS, it is the urgent need of these public school and state employees that we should consider, now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:
Section 1. That the Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives consider salary increases for both public school employees and all other employees of the State of North Carolina as their first order of business.

Sec. 2. That this resolution shall be effective from and after its adoption.

The resolution is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns in sympathy with the Honorable R. L. Harris, former speaker of the House, in the loss of his son-in-law, the late Keddar Brown, who lost his life in the Wilmington fire tragedy which also resulted in the serious injury to the daughter of Mr. Harris, and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

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THIRTEENTH DAY

House of Representatives
Wednesday, February 20, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Umstead the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Jack LeGrand, a former member of the House from New Hanover County and now a resident of Orange County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, John Michael Eason of Franklin County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Harriss of Rowan, Thomas David and Richard Thurston, are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell, Patricia Layne Stephenson and William Taylor Stephenson of Rowan County are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Patricia Elaine Johnson of Forsyth County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Columbus, the twin sons born yesterday, February 19, 1957, of Representative and Mrs. J. Shelton Wicker of Lee County, are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Harriss of Rowan for Thursday, February 21 and Friday, February 22, should his business detain him for that day.
A leave of absence is granted Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland for Thursday, February 21st.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Gaither:

H. R. 44, a joint resolution honoring the life and memory of Ralph Rudolph Fisher who served with distinction in the North Carolina House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Gaither the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 45, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 101-5 relating to change of name orders.

Referred to Committee on Health.

And,

H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled An act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126-1 relating to employees of the Hospitals Board of Control.

Referred to Committee on Health.

And,

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

Referred to Committee on Health.

And,

H. B. 48, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting, rearranging, renumbering, and amending the Public Health Laws of the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Health.

By Mr. Love:

H. B. 49, a bill to be entitled An act to establish minimum wages in North Carolina, fixing the minimum at one dollar per hour.

Referred to Committee on Manufacturers and Labor.
By Mr. Childers:

H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Mount Holly in Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 51, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Dallas in Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 52, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing boards of county commissioners to provide for the use of facsimile signature machines or stamps in connection with the signing of warrants or orders.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Craig, Crawford of Buncombe and Jordan:

H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the trial of cases in the Superior Court of Buncombe County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Craig:

H. B. 54, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 239 of the Public Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to jurors for the Superior and General County Courts of Buncombe County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 55, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Sylva to provide for the nomination of candidates for the offices of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners by party primaries, to provide for terms of office of four years for such officers and to fix their compensation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $20,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, notwithstanding any limitation of debt in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McKnight:
H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Town of Mooresville to accept deeds for real estate in payment of taxes and special assessments due thereon in lieu of foreclosure of the tax lien or special assessment lien, and to resell such property.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 58, a bill to be entitled An act to validate proceedings relating to street and sidewalk improvements in the Town of Mooresville in Iredell County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

On motion of Mr. Blue the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

FOURTEENTH DAY

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been read, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Bynum of Richmond County, the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable James W. Hayes, former member of the House of Representatives from Richmond County.

On motion of Mr. Powell, Glenn Samuel Shelton and Steve Michael Shelton of Rockingham County are made honorary pages of the House.

Leaves of absence are granted the following members for Friday, February 22, 1957: Messrs. Childers, Womble of Forsyth and Wilson of Caswell.

An indefinite leave of absence is granted Mr. Love, due to illness.

Mr. Davis of Rutherford County is granted a leave of absence for today, Friday and Monday, February 21, 22 and 25, due to illness.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Clark, Kerr, Kiser and Murphy:
H. B. 59, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for more efficient and economical procedures for the acquisition, management, and disposition of real property by the State and by the agencies and institutions of the State.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and City Commissioners of the City of Kings Mountain, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 61, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the Public Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to the filing of candidates for town commissioners and school trustees in the City of Kings Mountain in Cleveland County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Hunt, Shreve and Kemp:

H. B. 62, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina so as to create a Legislative Reapportionment Commission.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

And,

H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina so as to alter the method of apportionment of Senators and Representatives.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Woodard of Wilson:

H. B. 64, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Wilson so as to provide for the election of municipal officials, and to fix their term of office.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Wilson the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 105-327(5) so as to change the time of meeting of the County Board of Equalization and Review of Beaufort County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Messrs. Craig, Jordan and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-399 making it unlawful to place trash, refuse etc. within 150 yards of hard-surfaced highways, by removing Buncombe from the list of counties excepted from the provisions of said act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Gavin:

H. B. 67, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the election of members of the Board of Education of Asheboro City Administrative Unit.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Askew:

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the rate of taxation in the Town of Gatesville in Gates County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Clark, Kerr, Kiser, Murphy, Pittman and Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 69, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Department of Administration.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. Kiser, Clark, Kerr and Murphy:

H. B. 70, a bill to be entitled An act increasing the membership of the Advisory Budget Commission from six to seven, requiring one of the Governor's appointees to have legislative experience, and fixing the terms of members.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the State Highway and Public Works Commission to designate a speed limit maximum up to sixty miles an hour for certain vehicles on certain highways.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Messrs. Kerr, Clark, Kiser, Murphy, Pittman and Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 72, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Division of General Services, and abolishing the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds and the office of Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. Hewlett:
H. B. 73, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 398 of the Public Laws of North Carolina of 1909, as amended, relating to the Recorder's Court of New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of New Hanover to convey to the City of Wilmington the reversionary or other interest that such County has in the Legion Stadium.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Parker:

H. B. 75, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for staggered terms of office of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 76, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the action of the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County in fixing the compensation of certain county officials.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 77, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County to fix fees charged by county officers and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of said county to fix the number of salaried county employees and the compensation of county officials and employees.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Johnson:

H. B. 78, a bill to be entitled An act adding Duplin to the list of counties to which Article 35A, Chapter 105 of the General Statutes, relating to the listing of automobiles for taxes is applicable.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Jones of Pitt and Wooten:

H. B. 79, a bill to be entitled An act giving police officers of the Town of Winterville authority to make arrests and to serve all processes of the courts within an area of two miles outside the corporate limits; and fixing the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of said Town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitley:
H. B. 80, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crimes of felony racing and misdemeanor racing and to provide punishment therefor.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

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. 37, a bill to be entitled An act to fill a vacancy on the Board of Education of Northampton County.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 13. A Joint Resolution honoring the life and memory of Thurmond Chatham who served his state and nation with honor, devotion and distinction.

H. B. 3. An Act to amend General Statutes 120-33 relating to the compensation of the Principal Clerks of each House and the Chief Enrolling Clerk of the General Assembly.

H. B. 27. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cumberland County to advance Alcoholic Beverage Control Funds to the Cape Fear Valley Hospital Maintenance Funds.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o’clock A. M.

FIFTEENTH DAY

House of Representatives
Friday, February 22, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. White of Lenoir, William L. Daws, Jr., and Harold Clinton Daws of Lenoir County are made honorary pages of the House.

Leave of absence is granted Mr. Bell for Monday night and Tuesday of next week.

Leaves of absence are granted Messrs. Valentine and Dill for Monday night, February 25, 1957.

Leaves of absence are granted Messrs. Wall and McCrary for today, February 22, 1957.

**REPORT 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. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials and employees of New Hanover County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 52 of Chapter 219, Private Laws of 1911 so as to fix the compensation of the Members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Smithfield.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the fees for the office of the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 35, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Lenoir County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 60, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and City Commissioners of the City of Kings Mountain, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 30, a bill to be entitled An act appointing members of the Madison County Board of Education and fixing their terms of office.

With a favorable report.
On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on its immediate passage.

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. Fowler:

H. B. 81, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Surry County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Blue, Fowler, Wilson of Union, Gregory, Shreve, Floyd of Robeson, Satterfield, Vann, Vogler, Powe, Johnson, Hill, Coates, Reynolds, Thomas of Johnston, and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 82, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate sufficient funds to provide for proper increases for the salaries of public school personnel.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 83, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection (m1) of Section 105-169 of the General Statutes relative to the sales tax on farm machinery and accessories.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 84, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 105-422 so as to make the provisions of General Statutes 105-422 applicable to Hoke County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Shreve:

H. B. 85, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-230 of the General Statutes relative to the method of notifying corporations of suspensions of articles of incorporation.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

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. 10, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10A, Chapter 158, of the General Statutes, being the County Capital Reserve Act of 1943, applicable only to Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 17, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Selma to convey to the Selma American Legion Post No. 141 certain lands located at the corner of Webb and Waddell streets in the Town of Selma.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 18, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 245 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the nomination and election of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Pender County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 19, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 546 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the nomination of members of the Board of Education of Pender County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 20, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 450 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the prohibition of taking game from the public highways in Pender County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

S. B. 26, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Asheville to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $1,200,000 for airports and landing fields, within or without the limits of said city and in either Buncombe County or Henderson County or both said counties, notwithstanding any limitation of debt or maturities in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow at which time only local legislation will be considered and upon adjournment tomorrow will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

SIXTEENTH DAY

House of Representatives
Saturday, February 23, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, appointed by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Harris of Wake reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 32, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 52 of Chapter 219 Private Laws of 1911 so as to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Smithfield.

H. B. 5, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials and employees of New Hanover County.

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

H. B. 34, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the fees for the office of the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County.

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 amend Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Lenoir County.

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 fix the compensation of the Mayor and City Commissioners of the City of Kings Mountain, North Carolina.

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

On motion of Mr. Holmes the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8:00 o'clock P. M.

SEVENTEENTH DAY

House of Representatives
Monday Night, February 25, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Everett, David Boyd and Alvin Everett of Martin County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable William T. McShane, a former member of the House from Henderson County.

On motion of Mr. Falls the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable C. C. Horne, a former member of the House from Cleveland County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Harriss of Rowan and Uzzell:

H. B. 86, a bill to be entitled An act relative to the tenure of office of the members of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Granite Quarry, fixing dates for general and primary municipal elections, time and procedure for filing notice of intention of becoming a candidate, time of registration period and providing for the Board of Aldermen to elect one of its members mayor and one mayor pro tempore.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the bill placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. Everett:

H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 117, Public-Local Laws of 1927 so as to fix certain fees of Justices of the Peace of Martin County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 398 of the Public Laws of 1909 relating to the sessions of the Recorder's Court of New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Johnson:

H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 114, 1951 Session Laws, so as to provide for the salary of an additional Deputy Sheriff in Duplin County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Gregory:
H. B. 90, a bill to be entitled An act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Angier in Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Delamar:

H. B. 91, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 538 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the statute of limitation on tax liens as applied to Pamlico County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Pamlico County Board of Education to convey to the Florence Camp of the Woodmen of the World certain lands known as the Florence White School lot so long as the same shall be used for community purposes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 93, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the codification and printing of the Machinery Act, the same being Chapter 310 of the Public Laws of 1939, as amended.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

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. 2, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for subsistence and travel allowance for members and presiding officers of the General Assembly while engaged in legislative duties.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

Mr. Uzzell moves that the House concur in the Senate amendment.

Mr. Kiser offers a substitute motion that action in concurring in the Senate amendment be delayed until Wednesday, February 27, 1957, which motion fails of adoption.

The question now recurs to the motion made by Mr. Uzzell that the House do concur in the Senate amendment.

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

S. B. 58, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Johnston County to purchase or lease suitable real property in said County and construct thereon a livestock arena and other buildings suitable for the promotion and sale of agricultural products and all forms of livestock.
On motion of Mr. Coates the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Fowler the House adjourns in honor of the memory of Larry Adams of Surry County, who lost his life when his school was destroyed by fire on February 22, 1957, and in honor of the heroic efforts of the School Principal, Mr. A. P. Phillips and the teacher, Mrs. William Beasley who risked their lives in trying to rescue all the children and especially Larry Adams, and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

EIGHTEENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, February 26, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Clark the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Kemp B. Nixon, a former member of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Ray Odell and Paul Rominger, Herbert Gray Ashburn, John W. Collins, II, and Bonnie Sue Collins are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Crawford of Buncombe due to illness in his family.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. White of Lenoir for Wednesday and Thursday, February 27 and 28.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Talton for Wednesday, February 27.

REPORT 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. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.
H. B. 26, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 7 of Chapter 124 of the Session Laws of 1945 so as to change the time required for the appointment of a registrar and poll holders to serve in connection with primaries for the nomination of candidates for municipal offices in the Town of Jacksonville.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Venters the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

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

By Mr. Hewlet, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-335 relating to the punishment for public drunkenness in Forsyth County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Town of Mooresville to accept deeds for real estate in payment of taxes and special assessments due thereon in lieu of foreclosure of the tax lien or special assessment lien, and to resell such property.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 76, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the action of the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County in fixing the compensation of certain county officials.

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. Murphy:

H. B. 94, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 245 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the nomination and election of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Pender County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 95, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 546 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the nomination of members of the Board of Education of Pender County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Wilson of Caswell and Gregory:
H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 20-218 so as to provide for school activity buses a speed limit of forty-five miles per hour.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Wilson of Caswell, by request:

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled An act to require the undertakers and/or funeral directors of North Carolina to enter on the back of all death certificates the full names and addresses of all children, dead or living, of the deceased, and the full names and addresses of all brothers and sisters, dead or living, of the deceased.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Yarborough of Cumberland and Henley:

H. B. 98, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Chapters 242, 491 and 579, Session Laws of 1955, relating to Cumberland County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Hicks:

H. R. 99, a joint resolution concerning the death of and honoring the memory of Miss Julia M. Alexander.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Randall:

H. B. 100, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to appoint two new deputy sheriffs.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 101, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint a member of the Board of Water Commissioners of the City of Hendersonville.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Henderson County Public Library

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

CALENDAR

And,

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

H. B. 86, a bill to be entitled An act relative to the tenure of office of the members of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Granite Quarry, fixing dates for general and primary municipal elections, time and procedure for filing notice of intention of becoming a candidate, time of registration period and providing for the Board of Aldermen to elect one of its members mayor and one mayor pro tempore.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. R. 44. A Joint Resolution honoring the life and memory of Ralph Rudolph Fisher who served with distinction in the North Carolina House of Representatives.

S. B. 37. An Act to fill a vacancy on the Board of Education of Northampton County.

H. B. 2. An Act to provide for subsistence and travel allowance for members and presiding officers of the General Assembly while engaged in legislative duties.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the House adjourns in memory of the late Julia M. Alexander, the second lady in North Carolina to serve her county in the North Carolina General Assembly, and will meet tomorrow at 12 o’clock noon.

NINETEENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, February 27, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.
Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Leave of absence is granted Mr. Womble of Forsyth for Thursday and Friday, February 28 and March 1.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, Elizabeth Ross, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Ross of Beaufort County, is made an honorary Pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Sherrill Caredwyn and Cathryn Charlene Phelps of Buncombe County, granddaughters of Representative and Mrs. Phelps of Washington County are made honorary Pagettes of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, Katherine Cooper Beal and William Foy Beal, grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cooper of Wake County are made honorary Pagettes of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Childers, the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable J. B. Garland of Gaston County, a former member of the House.

On motion of Mr. Vogler, H. R. 99 entitled, "a joint resolution concerning the death of and honoring the memory of Miss Julia M. Alexander" is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the vote by which the resolution passed its third reading is reconsidered.

Mr. Vogler offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The resolution passes its third reading, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.

REPORT 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. Craig, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the trial of cases in the Superior Court of Buncombe County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 54, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 239 of the Public Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to jurors for the Superior and General County Courts of Buncombe County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.
H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $20,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, notwithstanding any limitation of debt in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 26, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Asheville to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $1,200,000 for airports and landing fields, within or without the limits of said City and in either Buncombe County or Henderson County or both said counties, notwithstanding any limitation of debt or maturities in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Womble of Wake, Harris of Wake, Whitley and White:

H. B. 103, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-166 relating to the Law Enforcement Officers' Benefit and Retirement Fund, so as to exempt benefits thereunder from levy, garnishment, and taxation in the same manner and to the same extent as benefits under other retirement systems.

Referred to Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

And,

H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes so as to permit social security coverage of State employees who are members of the Law Enforcement Officers' Benefit and Retirement Fund.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

By Messrs. Dill and Valentine:

H. B. 105, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the City of Rocky Mount to cancel taxes aggregating $100.00 or less levied upon properties for the year 1945 and years prior thereto.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount, and to authorize the City of Rocky Mount to sell at private sale real and personal property that is not needed for municipal purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Childers:

H. B. 107, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 537 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to a supplementary pension fund for firemen in the City of Gastonia, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 946 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to a supplementary pension fund for policemen in the City of Gastonia, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 109, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an open season on foxes in Warren County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-213, Subsection (a) relating to the membership of the State Sream Sanitation Committee.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Messrs. Wilson of Union, Buchanan, Blue, Fowler, Whitehurst, Jones of Pitt, Wall and Hardy:

H. B. 111, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that farmer license plates be issued on a quarterly fee basis applicable to other vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Wilson of Union:

H. B. 112, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 641 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Charter of the City of Monroe and to extend the corporate limits of said City.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 113, a bill to be entitled An act to include Union County within the provisions of General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment for public drunkenness.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to modify the kennel tax provided for in the dog warden law.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 115, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-30 so as to provide for the disposition of the county dog damage fund at the end of each fiscal year.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Jones of Pitt, Love, Holmes, Gregory, Vann, Hardy, Talton, Hunt, Everett, Powell, Jones of Ashe, Wilson of Caswell, Phelps and Henley:

H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Uzzell, Buchanan, White and Craig:

H. B. 117, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-44 and General Statutes 7-45 fixing the compensation of the solicitors of the various solicitorial districts of North Carolina and providing that solicitors shall not be permitted to engage in the private practice of law while serving as such solicitors.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

And,

H. B. 118, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-40 and General Statutes 7-68 so as to create an additional solicitorial district and designating the counties constituting each district.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 119, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a law library in Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 120, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 344, Session Laws of 1953 so as to change the boundary lines of wards three and four in the Town of Jacksonville.

On motion of Mr. Venters the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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 bill, which is read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 12, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 1-407 relating to the bond requirement by commissioners selling land for reinvestment and commissioners selling land in which an infant or incompetent has an interest.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 29, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-335 relating to the punishment for public drunkenness in Forsyth County.

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

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Town of Mooresville to accept deeds for real estate in payment of taxes and special assessments due thereon in lieu of foreclosure of the tax lien or special assessment lien, and to resell such property.

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

H. B. 76, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the action of the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County in fixing the compensation of certain county officials.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 58. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Johnston County to purchase or lease suitable real property in said County and construct thereon a livestock arena and other buildings suitable for the promotion and sale of agricultural products and all forms of livestock.

H. B. 26. An Act amending Section 7 of Chapter 124 of the Session Laws of 1945 so as to change the time required for the appointment of a registrar and poll holders to serve in connection with primaries for the nomination of candidates for municipal offices in the Town of Jacksonville.

H. B. 98. An Act repealing Chapters 242, 491 and 579, Session Laws of 1955, relating to Cumberland County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.
On motion of Mr. Fowler, the House adjourns in honor of the memory of Mrs. William Beasley, a school teacher in the Surry County Schools, who gave her life in her heroic efforts to save the life of her pupils when the school was destroyed by fire on February 22, 1957, and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock Noon.

TWENTIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, February 28, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Stone, James Delmas Grimsley and Linda Gail Lanning, both of Forsyth County, are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

REPORT 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. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns:

H. B. 8, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate and fix the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of the Town of Zebulon.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by Justices of the Peace in Rowan County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation for members of the Jackson County Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 24, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Selma to convey to the Selma American Legion Post No. 141 certain lands located at the corner of Webb and Waddell Streets in the Town of Selma.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 425 of the Private Laws of 1907, as amended, the same being the Charter of the Town of Pine Level, in Johnston County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by defining the corporate limits of the City to include the areas annexed prior to January 1, 1957; fixing the boundary lines of the eight wards of the City.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Gobble the bill is placed on today's Calendar for its second reading roll call.

H. B. 55, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Sylva to provide for the nomination of candidates for the offices of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners by party primaries, to provide for terms of office of four years for such officers and to fix their compensation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 105-327 (5) so as to change the time of meeting of the County Board of Equalization and Review of Beaufort County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 74, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of New Hanover to convey to the City of Wilmington the reversionary of other interest that such county has in the Legion Stadium.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 75, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for staggered terms of office of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 88, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 398 of the Public Laws of 1909 relating to the sessions of the Recorder's Court of New Hanover County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 579 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the salaries of the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 77, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County to fix fees charged by county officers and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of said county to
fix the number of salaried county employees and the compensation of county officials and employees.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 117, Public-Local Laws of 1927 so as to fix certain fees of Justices of the Peace of Martin County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 114, 1951 Session Laws, so as to provide for the salary of an additional Deputy Sheriff in Duplin County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance:

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to acquire properties suitable for use by any one or a combination of the following: (a) any industry for manufacturing, processing, or assembling any agricultural or manufactured product and (b) any commercial enterprise in storing, warehousing, distributing or selling products of agriculture, mining and industry; to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to lease such properties subject to certain specified requirements; to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to finance the acquisition of such properties by the issuance of revenue bonds payable solely out of the revenues from the leasing of such properties and to secure such bonds by pledges of such revenues and leases and by mortgages on such properties; to provide that all such bonds shall be negotiable instruments; to authorize the refunding of any such bonds; to provide for remedies in the event of default respecting any bonds issued under the act; to exempt from taxation the revenue from the lease of said properties, and the principal and interest of said bonds; to prohibit any municipality from making contributions to the cost of any such properties and from furnishing land therefor; to provide that such bonds and any agreements made in connection therewith shall not constitute an indebtedness of a municipality or a pecuniary liability of any kind; to provide that such bonds shall be legal investments for savings banks and insurance companies organized under the laws of this state; to provide the purposes for which the proceeds from the sale of such bonds may be used; to provide that no notice to or consent or approval by any governmental body or public officer shall be a prerequisite to the issuance of such bonds or the securing thereof.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Falls the Committee Amendment is adopted.

H. B. 39, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Pender County by the State of North Carolina a prorata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said county.

With a favorable report.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Johnson:

H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Duplin County to fix the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of said County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Hope Mills, in Cumberland County, so as to reduce the number of Commissioners from five to three and to fix the term of office of the Mayor and Commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the planning, designation, establishment, use, regulation, alteration, improvement, maintenance, and vacation of controlled-access facilities; the acquisition of lands required therefor; the restriction of intersections and control of approaches; the establishment of local service or frontage roads; the prohibition of certain acts thereon; and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

And,

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 125, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-183 relating to duties and powers of law enforcement officers.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Jones of Ashe:

H. B. 126, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the filing and recording of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Ashe County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 127, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Ashe County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 128, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsections (b) and (c) of General Statutes 97-2 so as to permit Deputy Sheriffs in Ashe County to receive the benefits of the Workmen's Compensation.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Talton:

H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the listing of dogs and a kennel tax in Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Holly Ridge in Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 131, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 423, Session Laws of 1955, by fixing the time for holding municipal elections in the Town of Webster and extending the term of office of the present town officials.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 132, a bill to be entitled An act to redefine certain carriers within the meaning of the Motor Vehicle Law.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

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. 64, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Wilson so as to provide for the election of municipal officials, and to fix their term of office.

Returned for concurrence in Senate Amendment.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Wilson 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. 36, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by defining the corporate limits of the City to include the areas annexed prior to January 1, 1957; fixing the boundary lines of the eight wards of the City.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $20,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, notwithstanding any limitation of debt in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Love, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snapp, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valen-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 26, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Asheville to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $1,200,000 for airports and landing fields, within or without the limits of said City and in either Buncombe County or Henderson County or both said Counties, notwithstanding any limitation of debt or maturities in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 53, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the trial of cases in the Superior Court of Buncombe County.

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 239 of the Public Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to jurors for the Superior and General County Courts of Buncombe County.

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

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11 o'clock A. M.
TWENTY-FIRST DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Friday, March 1, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, William Jennings Winston of Franklin County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Childers the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Harley Gaston, a former member of the House from Gaston County.

Leave of absence is granted Mr. Crawford of Swain for today, March 1, 1957.

Leave of absence is granted Mr. Carpenter of Catawba County for Monday, March 4, 1957.

Leave of absence is granted Mr. Kerr of Warren County for Monday, March 4, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, David McLeod and Ann Chavasse, granddaughter of Representative Thomas of Johnston County, are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the rate of taxation in the Town of Gatesville in Gates County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 78, a bill to be entitled An act adding Duplin County to the list of counties to which Article 35A, Chapter 105 of the General Statutes, relating to the listing of automobiles for taxes is applicable.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled An act to require the undertakers and/or funeral directors of North Carolina to enter on the back of all death cer-
tificates the full names and addresses of all children, dead or living, of the deceased, and the full names and addresses of all brothers and sisters, dead or living, of the deceased.

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. Childers:**

H. B. 133, a bill to be entitled An act to ratify and validate the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Gaston County in constructing the Gaston County Agricultural Center.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

**By Mr. Turner:**

H. B. 134, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 4, Article V, of the Constitution of North Carolina to provide for the application of surplus tax revenues to the payment of the state debt, or the establishment of a reserve for permanent improvements.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

**By Mr. Uzzell:**

H. B. 135, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of property owned by certain charitable organizations in Rowan County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

**By Mr. Whitehurst:**

H. B. 136, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Craven County to increase the salaries of officers and employees of said county.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

**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, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-12 and General Statutes 163-20 relating to the compensating of members of county boards of elections, registrars, and judges of elections.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

S. B. 35, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of a Civil Service Board for the rural police system of Gaston County.
On motion of Mr. Childers the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 57, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Davidson in Mecklenburg County to prescribe the method of filing notice of candidacy for municipal office.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 36, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by defining the corporate limits of the city to include the areas annexed prior to January 1, 1957; fixing the boundary lines of the eight wards of the city.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 56, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $20,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, notwithstanding any limitation of debt in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 26, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Asheville to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $1,200,000 for airports and landing fields, within or without the limits of said city and in either Buncombe County or Henderson County or both said counties, notwithstanding any limitation of debt or maturities in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to acquire properties suitable for use by any one or a combination of the following: (a) any industry for manufacturing, processing, or assembling any agricultural or manufactured product and (b) any commercial enterprise in storing, warehousing, dis-
tributing or selling products of agriculture, mining and industry; to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to lease such properties subject to certain specified requirements; to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to finance the acquisition of such properties by the issuance of revenue bonds payable solely out of the revenues from the leasing of such properties and to secure such bonds by pledges of such revenues and leases and by mortgages on such properties; to provide that all such bonds shall be negotiable instruments; to authorize the refunding of any such bonds; to provide for remedies in the event of default respecting any bonds issued under the act; to exempt from taxation the revenue from the lease of said properties, and the principal and interest of said bonds; to prohibit any municipality from making contributions to the cost of any such properties and from furnishing land therefor; to provide that such bonds and any agreements made in connection therewith shall not constitute an indebtedness of a municipality or a pecuniary liability of any kind; to provide that such bonds shall be legal investments for savings banks and insurance companies organized under the laws of this state; to provide the purposes for which the proceeds from the sale of such bonds may be used; to provide that no notice to or consent or approval by any governmental body or public officer shall be a prerequisite to the issuance of such bonds or the securing thereof.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 6, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 579 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the salaries of the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 8, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate and fix the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of the Town of Zebulon. Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by justices of the peace in Rowan County.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell an amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 23, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation for members of the Jackson County Board of Education.

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 authorizing the Town of Selma to convey to the Selma American Legion Post No. 141 certain lands located at the corner of Webb and Waddell Streets in the Town of Selma.

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

H. B. 31, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 425 of the Private Laws of 1907, as amended, the same being the Charter of the Town of Pine Level in Johnston County.

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 amending the Charter of the Town of Sylva to provide for the nomination of candidates for the offices of mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners by party primaries, to provide for terms of office of four years for such officers and to fix their compensation.

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 amending General Statutes 105-327(5) so as to change the time of meeting of the County Board of Equalization and Review of Beaufort County.

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 authorize the County of New Hanover to convey to the City of Wilmington the reversionary or other interest that such county has in the Legion Stadium.

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 provide for staggered terms of office of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County.

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

H. B. 77, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County to fix fees charged by county officers and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of said county to fix the number of salaried county employees and the compensation of county officials and employees.

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 398 of the Public Laws of 1909 relating to the sessions of the Recorder's Court of New Hanover County.

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

H. B. 89, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 114, 1951 Session Laws, so as to provide for the salary of an additional deputy sheriff in Duplin County.

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

H. B. 39, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Pender County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said county.

Passes its second reading and remains on the Calendar.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 30. An Act appointing members of the Madison County Board of Education and fixing their terms of office.

H. B. 64. An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Wilson so as to provide for the election of municipal officials, and to fix their terms of office.

H. B. 86. An Act relative to the tenure of office of the members of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Granite Quarry, fixing dates for general and primary municipal elections, time and procedure for filing notice of intention of becoming a candidate, time of registration period and providing for the Board of Aldermen to elect one of its members Mayor and one Mayor Pro Tempore.
On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time only local legislation will be considered and upon adjournment Saturday will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, March 2, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Harris reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock P. M.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday Night, March 4, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of the Wake County delegation, Larry, Ronald, Mark and Joy Blackley, all of Wake County, are made honorary Pages and Pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 18, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by Justices of the Peace in Rowan County.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Gregory, Hostetler and Woodard of Wilson:

H. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance agents.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 138, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt members of the armed forces of the United States and members of the United States Merchant Marines from the payment of poll taxes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Clark, Kerr, Kiser and Murphy:

H. B. 139, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Building Code Council and authorizing it to adopt, amend, and interpret a state building code and hear appeals from agencies enforcing the code.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

And,

H. B. 140, a bill to be entitled An act creating an Interdepartmental Building Regulation Committee to coordinate the activities of state agencies in the field of building regulation.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

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. 23, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the County of Gaston to expend certain surplus debt service funds for public library purposes, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 24, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Winterville in Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 34, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Roxboro to establish a Special Reserve Fund.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 50, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the election of members of the Board of Education of Asheboro City Administrative Unit.

Referred to Committee on Education.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to acquire properties suitable for use by any one or a combination of the following: (a) any industry for manufacturing, processing, or assembling any agricultural or manufactured product and (b) any commercial enterprise in storing, warehousing, distributing or selling products of agriculture, mining and industry; to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to lease such properties subject to certain specified requirements; to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to finance the acquisition of such properties by the issuance of revenue bonds payable solely out of the revenues from the leasing of such properties and to secure such bonds by pledges of such revenues and leases and by mortgages on such properties; to provide that all such bonds shall be negotiable instruments; to authorize the refunding of any such bonds; to provide for remedies in the event of default respecting any bonds issued under the act; to exempt from taxation the revenue from the lease of said properties, and the principal and interest of said bonds; to prohibit any municipality from making contributions to the cost of any such properties and from furnishing land therefor; to provide that such bonds and any agreements made in connection therewith shall not constitute an indebtedness of a municipality or a pecuniary liability of any kind; to provide that such bonds shall be legal investments for savings banks and insurance companies organized under the laws of this state; to provide the purposes for which the proceeds from the sale of such bonds may be used; to provide that no notice to or consent or approval by any governmental body or public officer shall be a prerequisite to the issuance of such bonds or the securing thereof.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the rate of taxation in the Town of Gatesville in Gates County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 87, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 117, Public-Local Laws of 1927 so as to fix certain fees of Justices of the Peace of Martin County.

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

H. B. 39, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Pender County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said County.

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

H. B. 78, a bill to be entitled An act adding Duplin to the list of counties to which Article 35A, Chapter 105 of the General Statutes, relating to the listing of automobiles for taxes is applicable.

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

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled An act to require the undertakers and/or funeral directors of North Carolina to enter on the back of all death certificates the full names and addresses of all children, dead or living, of the deceased, and the full names and addresses of all brothers and sisters, dead or living, of the deceased.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.
Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock Noon.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, March 5, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Fowler the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Henry Dobson, a former member of the House from Surry County.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 17, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to acquire properties suitable for use by any one or a combination of the following: (a) any industry for manufacturing, processing, or assembling any agricultural or manufactured product and (b) any commercial enterprise in storing, warehousing, distributing or selling products of agriculture, mining and industry; to authorize Rowan County and any other incorporated city or town therein, to lease such properties subject to certain specified requirements; to authorize Rowan County and any incorporated city or town therein, to finance the acquisition of such properties by the issuance of revenue bonds payable solely out of the revenues from the leasing of such properties and to secure such bonds by pledges of such revenues and leases and by mortgages on such properties; to provide that all such bonds shall be negotiable instruments; to authorize the refunding of any such bonds; to provide for remedies in the event of default respecting any bonds issued under the act; to exempt from taxation the revenue from the lease of said properties, and the principal and interest of said bonds; to prohibit any municipality from making contributions to the cost of any such properties and from
furnishing land therefor; to provide that such bonds and any agreements made in connection therewith shall not constitute an indebtedness of a municipality or a pecuniary liability of any kind; to provide that such bonds shall be legal investments for savings banks and insurance companies organized under the laws of this state; to provide the purposes for which the proceeds from the sale of such bonds may be used; to provide that no notice to or consent or approval by any governmental body or public officer shall be a prerequisite to the issuance of such bonds or the securing thereof.

H. B. 97, a bill to be entitled An act to require the undertakers and/or funeral directors of North Carolina to enter on the back of all death certificates the full names and addresses of all children, dead or living, of the deceased, and the full names and addresses of all brothers and sisters, dead or living, of the deceased.

REPORT 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. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-399 making it unlawful to place trash, refuse etc. within 150 yards of hard-surfaced highways, by removing Buncombe from the list of counties excepted from the provisions of said act.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 113, a bill to be entitled An act to include Union County within the provisions of General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment for public drunkenness.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 133, a bill to be entitled An act to ratify and validate the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Gaston County in constructing the Gaston County Agricultural Center.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

H. B. 93, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the codification and printing of the Machinery Act, the same being Chapter 310 of the Public Laws of 1939, as amended.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 128, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsections (b) and (c) of General Statutes 97-2 so as to permit deputy sheriffs in Ashe County to receive the benefits of the Workmen's Compensation.

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. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 141, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint certain members of the boards of education of the respective counties of North Carolina and to fix their terms of office.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Philpott and Holmes:

H. B. 142, a bill to be entitled An act to make certain amendments in the Uniform Driver's License Law.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

And,

H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that the entering and acceptance of a plea of nolo contendere shall constitute a conviction within the meaning of the Uniform Driver's License Act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 144, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1903 to provide for the payment of members of the Board of Town Commissioners of the Town of Raeford.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Representatives Yarborough of Cumberland, Umstead, Floyd of Robeson, Henley, Gregory, Woodard of Northampton, McCrery, Reynolds, Jones of Ashe, Rodenbough, Bowman, Floyd of Columbus, Vogler, Hicks and Fowler:

H. B. 145, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-149 so as to provide a $2,000 income tax exemption for widows having net taxable incomes not to exceed $4,000.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Murphy:

H. B. 146, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-410 so as to permit farmers in Pender County to use firecrackers to protect crops against bird and animal damage.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 147, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of New Bern so as to redivide such city into five wards.
Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 148, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of New Bern relating to the election of the Board of Aldermen.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 149, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Craven County to increase the salaries of officers and employees of said County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Holcombe:

H. B. 150, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-180 so as to fix the compensation of the jailer of Yancey County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 151, a bill to be entitled An act regulating the making of bonds in criminal cases in Yancey County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-25 so as to provide that police officers of the Town of Burnsville need not necessarily be qualified voters therein.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Garland in Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Clark:

H. B. 154, a bill to be entitled An act to modify the definition of the word “Chauffeur” in the Uniform Driver’s License Act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 68, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the rate of taxation in the Town of Gatesville in Gates County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

Mr. Wicker, 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. 26. An Act authorizing the City of Asheville to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $1,200,000 for airports and landing fields, within or without the limits of said City and in either Buncombe County or Henderson County or both said Counties, notwithstanding any limitation of debt or maturities in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

S. B. 35. An Act to provide for the establishment of a civil service board for the rural police system of Gaston County.

H. B. 5. An Act to fix the salaries of certain officials and employees of New Hanover County.

H. B. 32. An Act amending Section 52 of Chapter 219, Private Laws of 1911 so as to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Smithfield.

H. B. 34. An Act to prescribe the fees for the office of the Register of Deeds of Lenoir County.

H. B. 35. An Act to amend Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Lenoir County.

On motion of Mrs. Rodenbough the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable David Henderson, a former member of the House from Mecklenburg County.

On motion of Mr. Randall the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Fred S. Royster, a former member of the House from Henderson County.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Spencer Mullican, a former member of the House from Forsyth County.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Watkins for Thursday, March 7, 1957.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Eggers for Thursday and Friday, March 7 and 8.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Gary Alton Bryson and David Bryson of Jackson County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

REPORT 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. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-35(4) so as to make it mandatory that the Person County Board of Education make rules and regulations as to extra curricular activities in the public schools under its supervision.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. R. 50, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the election of members of the Board of Education of Asheboro City Administrative Unit.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 95, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 546 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the nomination of members of the Board of Education of Pender County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 141, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint certain members of the Boards of Education of the respective counties of North Carolina and to fix their terms of office.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance agents.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the listing of dogs and a kennel tax in Wayne County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Falls a committee amendment is adopted.

S. B. 23, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the County of Gaston to expend certain surplus Debt Service Funds for public library purposes, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 34, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Roxboro to establish a Special Reserve Fund.

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. Venters:

H. B. 155, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Towns of Swansboro and Richlands in Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Hargett:

H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Sheriff, Clerk of the Superior Court, and Register of Deeds of Jones County each to appoint a deputy.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
And,

H. B. 157, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Board of Equalization and Review of Jones County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Hicks, Love, Snepp, and Vogler:

H. B. 158, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 348 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the Auditor and the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Mecklenburg County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 159, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the Town of Dover to sell the present City Hall and the site or lot on which the said City Hall is now located.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Brock:

H. B. 160, a bill to be entitled An act to make Article 36 of Subchapter IX of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes, relating to the establishment of County Criminal Courts, applicable to all the counties of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Messrs. Jones and Wooten:

H. B. 161, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Coroner of Pitt County, by amending Chapter 548 of the Session Laws of 1951, as amended by Chapter 495 of the Session Laws of 1955.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County shall determine the fees to be charged by constables in Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Crawford of Swain:

H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled An act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian reservations in Swain County to list and pay personal property taxes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Britt:

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taking of catfish by the use of electrical devices in the commercial fishing waters of the Cape Fear River.
Referred to Committee on Commercial Fisheries.

By Dr. Phelps:

H. B. 165, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Councilmen and Mayor of the Town of Plymouth.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 93, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the codification and printing of the Machinery Act, the same being Chapter 310 of the Public Laws of 1939, as amended.

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

H. B. 113, a bill to be entitled An act to include Union County within the provisions of General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment for public drunkenness.

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

H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled An act to ratify and validate the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Gaston County in constructing the Gaston County Agricultural Center.

On motion of Mr. Childers the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-399 making it unlawful to place trash, refuse, etc., within 150 yards of hard-surfaced highways, by removing Buncombe from the list of counties excepted from the provisions of said Act.

Mr. Kiser offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 128, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsections (b) and (c) of General Statutes 97-2 so as to permit deputy sheriffs in Ashe County to receive the benefits of the Workmen's Compensation.

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

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland the House adjourns in honor of the Honorable John W. Umstead of Orange County, who has done so much to further education and welfare in North Carolina, and will meet tomorrow at 11:30 o'clock A. M.
TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives
Thursday, March 7, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by Representative Holmes of Perquimans County.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable C. W. Clayton, member of the House of Delegates of the State of Virginia.

Mr. Floyd of Robeson is granted a leave of absence for Friday, March 8th.

Mr. Kerr is granted a leave of absence for today, March 7th.

Mr. Woodard of Wilson is granted a leave of absence for Friday, March 8th.

On motion of Mr. Pittman, Frank Branch, Ollie Overton, Wes Rothrock and Phil McPhail, all of Halifax County, are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Stone, the following boys and girls of Forsyth County are made honorary pages and pagettes, respectively, of the House of Representatives: Robert C. Mitchell, Ronald Gray Burton, Harvey Arthur Lupton, Jr., George S. Scarlett, IV, Mary Audrey Mitchell and Romaine Scarlett.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 66, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-399 making it unlawful to place trash, refuse, etc., within 150 yards of hard-surfaced highways, by removing Buncombe from the list of counties excepted from provisions of said act. (Also removes Scotland.)

H. B. 133, a bill to be entitled An act to ratify and validate the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Gaston County in constructing the Gaston County Agricultural Center.

REPORT 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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Pamlico County Board of Education to convey to the Florence Camp of the Woodmen of the World certain lands known as the Florence White School Lot so long as the same shall be used for community purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 125, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-183 relating to duties and powers of law enforcement officers.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 151, a bill to be entitled An act regulating the making of bonds in criminal cases in Yancey County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Duplin County to fix the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of said County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 149, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Craven County to increase the salaries of officers and employees of said County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 150, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-180 so as to fix the compensation of the jailer of Yancey County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 161, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the coroner of Pitt County, by amending Chapter 548 of the Session Laws of 1951, as amended by Chapter 495 of the Session Laws of 1955.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County shall determine the fees to be charged by constables in Pitt County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 165, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the councilmen and mayor of the Town of Plymouth.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 24, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Winterville in Pitt County.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.
H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled An act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Cameron in Moore County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 90, a bill to be entitled An act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Angier in Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 20, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 450 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the prohibition of taking game from the public highways in Pender County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 67-13 so as to relieve the County Commissioners of Person County and the County of Person from the duties imposed thereby as to damages caused by dogs in the County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 61, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the Public Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to the filing of candidates for town commissioners and school trustees in the City of Kings Mountain in Cleveland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 91, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 538 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the Statute of Limitations on tax liens as applied to Pamlico County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 105, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the City of Rocky Mount to cancel taxes aggregating $100.00 or less levied upon properties for the year 1945 and years prior thereto.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount, and to authorize the City of Rocky Mount to sell at private sale real and personal property that is not needed for municipal purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Hope Mills, in Cumberland County, so as to reduce the number of Commissioners from five to three and to fix the term of office of the Mayor and Commissioners.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 126, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the filing and recording of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Ashe County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 127, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Ashe County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 135, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of property owned by certain charitable organizations in Rowan County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Sheriff, Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Jones County each to appoint a deputy.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 157, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Board of Equalization and Review of Jones County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

H. B. 38, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 136 of the General Statutes relating to the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Clark the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Mount Holly in Gaston County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Childers the committee amendment is adopted.

H. B. 51, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Dallas, in Gaston County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 58, a bill to be entitled An act to validate proceedings relating to street and sidewalk improvements in the Town of Mooresville in Iredell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 81, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Surry County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 84, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 105-422 so as to make the provisions of General Statutes 105-422 applicable to Hoke County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 94, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 245 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the nomination and election of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Pender County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 100, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to appoint two new deputy sheriffs.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 101, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint a member of the Board of Water Commissioners of the City of Hendersonville.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 107, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 537 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to a supplementary pension fund for firemen in the City of Gastonia, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 946 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to a supplementary pension fund for policemen in the City of Gastonia, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 131, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 423, Session Laws of 1955, by fixing the time for holding municipal elections in the Town of Webster and extending the term of office of the present town officials.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 144, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1903 to provide for the payment of members of the Board of Town Commissioners of the Town of Raeford.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 158, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 348 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the auditor and the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Mecklenburg County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 57, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Davidson in Mecklenburg County to prescribe the method of filing notice of candidacy for municipal office.

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. Whitehurst:

H. B. 166, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of Education of Craven County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 167, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 2, Chapter 717, of the Session Laws of 1953, as amended by Chapter 413 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the composition of the Board of Trustees of the Whiteville City Administrative School Unit.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Kennedy:

H. B. 168, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the salary of the Commissioners and Chief Deputy Sheriff of Wilkes County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 169, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-5 relating to the pay of jurors in Wilkes County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the General Statutes relating to validation of corporate conveyances in which the corporate seal is omitted.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled An act to require a permit authorizing construction of buildings and improvements in Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Etheridge:

H. B. 172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights of way for state highways located within municipalities.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Uzzell:
H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled An act to enable employees of county and city administrative school units to participate voluntarily in the United States Treasury's Payroll Savings Plan for the purchase of United States Savings Bonds on a systematic partial payment basis.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Askew:

H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Gates County to make appropriations to any organized fire department in said County and to levy taxes for the payment of the same.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 175, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Morganton to lease certain real property not presently needed for governmental purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Leake:

H. B. 176, a bill to be entitled An act appointing members of the Tax Equalization Board for Madison County and extending the time for the performance of certain duties by said Board until July 1, 1957.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Umstead:

H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Director of the Budget to make certain transfers of funds provided for institutions under the control of the State Hospitals Board of Control, including the Psychiatric Center at the University of North Carolina Medical School.

Referred to Committee on Mental Institutions.

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. 51, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 2-42 relating to the keeping of books by clerks of the Superior Court.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 70, a bill to be entitled An act adopting official records of uncollected taxes for the years 1951 through 1955 for the County of Buncombe and the City of Asheville.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 72, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-30 relating to the appointment of dog wardens.
Mr. Kemp, on behalf of the Guilford delegation, announces the tragic accidental death of John Allen McLeod, Jr., Legislative Reporter for the Greensboro Record, which has just occurred, and moves that the House cease its business for today and adjourn in respect and honor of the memory of Mr. McLeod.

Mr. Hunt of Guilford, requests the suspension of the rules in order that Mr. Lynn Nesbit, Dean of the Capitol Press Corps, be permitted to speak to the House. The rules are suspended and Mr. Nesbitt expressed appreciation to the Body for the thoughtful gesture and motion.

The motion of Mr. Kemp is put and the House adjourns in respect to and honoring the memory of John Allen McLeod, Jr., and will meet tomorrow at 11:00 o'clock A. M.

TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Friday, March 8, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Reynolds the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable John B. Regan, a former member of the House from Robeson County.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Walter D. Barbee, a former member of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, James Earl McKnight, Jr., son of Representative and Mrs. McKnight of Iredell County, is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Kathryn McLeod and Allen McLeod, daughter and son of the late John Allen McLeod, Jr. and Mrs. McLeod of Guilford County, are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, Emily Carol Love, Richard Bruce Love and Jack D. Love, Jr., daughter and sons of Representative and Mrs. Jack Love of Mecklenburg County, are made honorary pagette and pages, respectively, of the House of Representatives.
On motion of Mr. Love, Jean Walters and Maxine Pulley of Mecklenburg County are made honorary pagettes of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Askew of Gates County is granted a leave of absence from Monday, March 11 through Friday, March 15, 1957.

Mr. Gavin is granted a leave of absence for Friday, March 8, 1957.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE MECKLENBURG DELEGATION

Mr. Speaker:

It is with deep regret that I arise to announce the death of former Senator F. J. Blythe of Mecklenburg County.

In the passing of Senator F. J. Blythe of Mecklenburg County, North Carolina has lost one of its greatest statesmen. He loved his state, county and his country with utmost zeal and was always ready to serve them whenever and wherever needed.

He was outstanding in business and civic affairs and in government local, state and national. Above all, he was a Christian gentleman.

MR. SPEAKER, I desire to move that a committee from this House be appointed to attend the funeral services of Senator Blythe; that when the House adjourns today it do so in memory of this beloved and distinguished citizen of Mecklenburg County, and I request that this statement be incorporated in the Journal.

MECKLENBURG DELEGATION

March 8, 1957

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints the following members to attend the funeral of former Senator Blythe, Messrs. Vogler, Hicks, Love and Snepp, the Mecklenburg County delegation, and the Representatives from the adjoining counties, Messrs. Bost and Quinn, Dellinger and Childers, McKnight, Clark, Thomas of Stanly and Wilson of Union.

REPORT 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. Floyd of Columbus, for the Committee on Military Affairs:

H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the National Guard and to amend General Statutes 20-80 relating to license plates of the National Guard.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government:

H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Henderson County Public Library.
With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Education of The Southern Pines City Administrative School Unit to grant to the State Highway and Public Works Commission an easement for the relocation of United States Highway 1.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 179, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the taking of fish with nets and traps on certain portions of Pigeon Roost and Poplar Creeks in Warren County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Messrs. Whitehurst and Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.3 so as to authorize municipalities to expend Powell Bill funds to provide shelter for municipal street construction, repair and maintenance equipment.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 181, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the exemption from taxation of certain personal property stored in Nash County for shipment to foreign countries.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Buchanan and Wall:

H. B. 182, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Reading Clerk and Sergeant-at-Arms of each House of the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Wicker:

H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Lee County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
And,

H. B. 184, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with county boards of equalization and review.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

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, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate the requirement that Highway Patrol cars be painted black and silver.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 36, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-64, relating to concurrent jurisdiction of superior and inferior courts in Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 55, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2, Chapter 371, Session Laws of 1955, authorizing appropriations for the support of Historical Societies.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 62, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County and the Board of Education of said County to convey property to other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 71, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a supplemental pension fund for firemen in the City of Albemarle, State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Teacher's and State Employees' Retirement.

S. B. 73, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of certain officers in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 74, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Cumberland County to fix and determine the fees and commissions to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Sheriff, the Register of Deeds of Cumberland County and the Clerk of the Cumberland County Recorder's Court.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 83, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Thomasville to reconvey certain property now owned by the said City of Thomasville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 84, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Thomasville to appoint one or more assistant clerks of the Recorder's Court of said City.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the listing of dogs and a kennel tax in Wayne County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 34, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Roxboro to establish a Special Reserve Fund.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 21, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 67-13 so as to relieve the County Commissioners of Person County and the County of Person from the duties imposed thereby as to damages caused by dogs in the County.

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

H. B. 43, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Bird Sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Cameron in Moore County.

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

H. B. 61, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the Public Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to the filing of candidates for town commissioners and school trustees in the City of Kings Mountain in Cleveland County.

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

H. B. 58, a bill to be entitled An act to validate proceedings relating to street and sidewalk improvements in the Town of Mooresville in Iredell County.

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 extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Surry County.

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 amending General Statutes 105-422 so as to make the provisions of General Statutes 105-422 applicable to Hoke County.

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 creating a Bird Sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Angier in Harnett County.

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 amend Chapter 538 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the statute of limitations on tax liens as applied to Pamlico County.

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 authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Craven County to increase the salaries of officers and employees of said County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 92, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Pamlico County Board of Education to convey to the Florence Camp of the Woodmen of the World certain lands known as the Florence White School Lot so long as the same shall be used for community purposes.

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 amend Chapter 245 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the nomination and election of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Pender County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

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

H. B. 95, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 546 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the nominations of members of the Board of Education of Pender County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

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

H. B. 100, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to appoint two new deputy sheriffs.

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 appoint a member of the Board of Water Commissioners of the City of Hendersonville.

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 authorize the governing body of the City of Rocky Mount to cancel taxes aggregating $100.00 or less levied upon properties for the year 1945 and years prior thereto.

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

H. B. 106, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount, and to authorize the City of Rocky Mount to sell at private sale real and personal property that is not needed for municipal purposes.

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 amending General Statutes 153-189 so as to fix the compensation of the jailer of Yancey County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 121, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Duplin County to fix the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of said County.

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

H. B. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Hope Mills, in Cumberland County, so as to reduce the number of Commissioners from five to three and to fix the term of office of the mayor and commissioners.

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 relating to the filing and recording of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Ashe County.

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 to extend the time for the Ashe County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

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 amending Chapter 423, Session Laws of 1955, by fixing the time for holding municipal elections in the Town of Webster and extending the term of office of the present town officials.

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

H. B. 135, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of property owned by certain charitable organizations in Rowan County.

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 amend Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1903 to provide for the payment of members of the Board of Town Commissioners of the Town of Raeford.

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 regulating the making of bonds in criminal cases in Yancey County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 156, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Sheriff, Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Jones County each to appoint a deputy.

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 relating to the Board of Equalization and Review of Jones County.

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

H. B. 158, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 348 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the auditor and the clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Mecklenburg County.

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 to fix the compensation of the coroner of Pitt County, by amending Chapter 548 of the Session Laws of 1951, as amended by Chapter 495 of the Session Laws of 1955.

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

H. B. 162, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County shall determine the fees to be charged by constables in Pitt County.

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

S. B. 20, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 450 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the prohibition of taking game from the public highways in Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 50, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the election of members of the Board of Education of Asheboro City Administration Unit.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 57, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Davidson in Mecklenburg County to prescribe the method of filing notice of candidacy for municipal office.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-35(4) so as to make it mandatory that the Person County Board of Education make rules and regulations as to extra curricular activities in the public schools under its supervision.
On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Monday Night, March 11, 1957.

H. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance agents.

On motion of Mr. Gregory consideration of the bill is postponed until Monday Night, March 11, 1957.

H. B. 141, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint certain members of the boards of education of the respective counties of North Carolina and to fix their terms of office.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 12, 1957.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

Mr. Wicker, 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. 8. An Act to regulate and fix the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of the Town of Zebulon.

H. B. 24. An Act authorizing the Town of Selma to convey to the Selma American Legion Post No. 141 certain lands located at the corner of Webb and Waddell streets in the Town of Selma.

H. B. 31. An Act to amend Chapter 425 of the Private Laws of 1907, as amended, the same being the Charter of the Town of Pine Level, in Johnston County.

H. B. 36. An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by defining the corporate limits of the City to include the areas annexed prior to January 1, 1957; fixing the boundary lines of the eight wards of the City.

H. B. 53. An Act relating to the trial of cases in the Superior Court of Buncombe County.

H. B. 54. An Act to amend Chapter 239 of the Public Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to jurors for the Superior and General County Courts of Buncombe County.

H. B. 55. An Act amending the Charter of the Town of Sylva to provide for the nomination of candidates for the offices of mayor and members of the board of commissioners by party primaries, to provide for terms of office of four years for such officers and to fix their compensation.

H. B. 65. An Act amending General Statutes 105-327(5) so as to change the time of meeting of the County Board of Equalization and Review of Beaufort County.

H. B. 74. An Act to authorize the County of New Hanover to convey to the City of Wilmington the reversionary or other interest that such county has in the Legion Stadium.
H. B. 75. An Act to provide for staggered terms of office of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County.

H. B. 76. An Act to validate the action of the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County in fixing the compensation of certain county officials.

H. B. 88. An Act to amend Chapter 398 of the Public Laws of 1909 relating to the sessions of the Recorder’s Court of New Hanover County.

H. B. 120. An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 344, Session Laws of 1953 so as to change the boundary lines of wards three and four in the Town of Jacksonville.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake and pursuant to motion heretofore made by the Mecklenburg delegation, the House adjourns in honor of the late Honorable F. J. Blythe and will meet tomorrow at 10 o’clock A. M. at which time only local legislation will be considered.

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TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, March 9, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Buchanan reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 165, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the councilmen and mayor of the Town of Plymouth.

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

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake the House adjourns and will meet Monday Night at 8 o’clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by
Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal
of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the
same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Wall, Jean Holcombe, daughter of Representative and
Mrs. Holcombe of Yancey County, is made an honorary pagette of the
House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hill, Charlotte Hamor Smith, II, of Wake County is
made an honorary pagette of the House.

On motion of Mr. Blue the rules are suspended and Dame Flora McLeod
of Scotland is invited to address the House. Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints
as a committee to escort Dame McLeod to the Dais Messrs. Blue, Kiser
and Floyd of Columbus.

The committee escorts Dame McLeod to the Dais and she is presented to
Mr. Speaker Doughton and the Assembly by Mr. Blue. She thereupon
addresses the House, lavish in her praise of America's progress and ex-
tends a cordial invitation for all to visit Scotland.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Lloyd:

H. B. 185, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Graham County
Board of Education to fix the salary of the county superintendent of schools.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-168
so as to make it mandatory that the Graham County Board of Education
employ a special attendance officer, and fixing his salary.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled An act making the office of County Ac-
countant and Tax Collector of Graham County elective, and fixing the
salary of said officer.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-23 so as to require a new registration of voters in Graham County prior to the 1958 primary election.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 189, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1050, Session Laws of 1955, by adding Graham to the list of counties in which the Board of Commissioners is authorized to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations as to the dumping and disposal of trash, garbage and other refuse and wastes in rural areas outside the corporate limits of any municipality.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Graham County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Murphy:

H. B. 191, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Sheriff of Pender County to appoint two additional deputy sheriffs.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Harris of Wake:

H. B. 192, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 53 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Whitley, and Womble of Wake:

H. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 27 of the Charter of the City of Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of the City Court of Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

And,

H. B. 195, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Raleigh to appoint special officers, with the authority of peace officers, to enforce
the ordinances of the City of Raleigh and the laws of the State of North Carolina upon water sheds of its public water supply reservoirs.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Vann and Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for use of temporary registration plates by purchasers of motor vehicles in lieu of the use of dealers' registration plates.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 197, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the reassessment and revaluation of property in Brunswick County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts therefor.

On motion of Mr. Bowman the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Burke County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Womble of Wake, Whitley, and Harris of Wake:

H. B. 200, a bill to be entitled An act to validate and confirm the sale of certain real estate in the Town of Apex.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 201, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Reynolds:
H. B. 202, a bill to be entitled An act to require certain state-owned motor vehicles to be painted in the same distinctive colors as those prescribed for State Highway Patrol cars.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 97 of the General Statutes so as to increase to thirty-five dollars the maximum weekly compensation payable under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

By Mr. Wallace:

H. B. 204, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Troy.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the use of funds collected from delinquent taxes in Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-410.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling, or clairvoyance.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Coates:

H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 425 of the Private Laws of 1907, as amended, being the Charter of the Town of Pine Level, relating to the Mayor and Commissioners thereof and municipal elections therein, and validating the election and official acts of the Mayor and Commissioners heretofore elected.

On motion of Mr. Coates the rules are suspended and the bill 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. 28, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 136 of the General Statutes relating to the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 77, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 21 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to insurance of state-owned property so as to provide for extended coverage insurance.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 85, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the City of Thomasville, as contained in Chapter 196 of the Private Laws for the year 1929, to authorize calling of elections on extension of Thomasville city limits.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the listing of dogs and a kennel tax in Wayne County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 34, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Roxboro to establish a Special Reserve Fund.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 20, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-35(4) so as to make it mandatory that the Person County Board of Education make rules and regulations as to extra curricular activities in the public schools under its supervision.

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

H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the National Guard and to amend General Statutes 20-80 relating to license plates of the National Guard.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendments are adopted.

The bill passes its second reading, as amended.

Mr. Kiser objects to the third reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its third reading, as amended.

H. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance agents.

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

On motion of Mr. Turner the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

THIRTIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, March 12, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.
Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Speight the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Steven Askew, a former member of the House from Bertie County.

On motion of Mr. Shreve, Frederick Eure (Ricky) Black of Guilford County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 129, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the listing of dogs and a kennel tax in Wayne County.

REPORT 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. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 146, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-410 so as to permit farmers in Pender County to use firecrackers to protect crops against bird and animal damage.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 147, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of New Bern so as to redivide such city into five wards.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 148, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of New Bern relating to the election of the Board of Aldermen.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Turner the committee amendment is adopted.

H. B. 204, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election and terms of office of the mayor and commissioners of the Town of Troy.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election and terms of office of the mayor and commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead.
With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled An act to enable employees of county and city administrative school units to participate voluntarily in the United States Treasury's Payroll Savings Plan for the purchase of United States Savings Bonds on a systematic partial payment basis.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 70, a bill to be entitled An act adopting official records of uncollected taxes for the years 1951 through 1955 for the County of Buncombe and the City of Asheville.

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. Fowler:

H. B. 209, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Elkin to regulate the subdivision of the land in and around said Town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 2 of Article 18 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to the powers of municipalities to acquire property by condemnation applicable to the Town of Elkin in Surry County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Everett, Love and Phelps:

H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 20 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to provide for payment of a subsistence allowance to members of the State Highway Patrol.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. Everett, Love, Phelps, Woodard of Northampton, Burgess and Griggs:

H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate $100,000.00 for each year of the biennium 1957-1959 to the Department of Agriculture to be used to defray the expense of its fruit and vegetable inspection service.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. Thompson and Buchanan:
H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the pensions of widows of confederate veterans and to increase the funeral allowance for confederate pensioners.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. Gobble, Stone and Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 14-299 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to permit the confiscation of any motor vehicle used in the conduct of a lottery.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Stone and Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 34-13 relating to the investment of funds by guardians.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled An act amending various sections of Chapter 97 of the General Statutes relating to Workmen's Compensation.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

And,

H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-300 so as to provide for the destruction of records under the Tort Claims Act, by the authorization of the North Carolina Department of Archives and History.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Blue, Kemp, Womble of Forsyth, Snepp, Hill, Powe, Phelps, Holmes, Buchanan, Uzzell, Hunt, Yarborough of Franklin, Thompson, Clark, Gregory, Wallace, Umstead, Speight, McKnight, Powell, Bynum, Taylor and Thomas of Johnston:

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Prison Department; to transfer control of the State Prison System from the State Highway and Public Works Commission to the State Prison Department; and to prescribe its powers and duties.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. Snepp, Hicks and Vogler:

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Mecklenburg to construct and equip a new county building or buildings in Charlotte, including parking facilities, to issue bonds therefor, and to acquire land for such purpose.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,
H. B. 220, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Mecklenburg to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building or buildings, including parking facilities, in Charlotte.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Gregory, Harriss of Rowan and Woodard of Wilson:

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4, as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Delamar:

H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax for the construction of a new county jail.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Brock:

H. B. 223, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Davie County to adjust all delinquent taxes which have been delinquent for five years or more.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 224, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the title of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt, Kemp and Turner:

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Chapter 48 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the adoption of minors, and to amend Section 110-36 of the General Statutes, relating to the authority of judges of Juvenile Courts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled An act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian reservations in Jackson County to list and pay personal property taxes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Randall:

H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to lease office space for use by local agencies
of the United States Department of Agriculture, and to levy a special tax for the purpose of paying rent on said office space.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

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. 75, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 236 of the Private Laws of 1913 relating to elections in the Town of Fremont.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 78, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to fees and charges.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 105, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election in the Town of Clinton, North Carolina, upon the question of adopting the city manager form of government.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 106, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Clinton relating to the terms of office of the Board of Commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

CALENDAR

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

S. B. 23, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the County of Gaston to expend certain surplus Debt Service Funds for public library purposes, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Love, Martin, McCrory, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Roos, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Mount Holly in Gaston County.

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

H. B. 51, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Dallas, in Gaston County.

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

H. B. 107, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 537 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to a supplementary pension fund for firemen in the City of Gastonia, North Carolina.

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

H. B. 108, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 946 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to a supplementary pension fund for policemen in the City of Gastonia, North Carolina.

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

H. B. 208, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 425 of the Private Laws of 1907, as amended, being the Charter of the Town of Pine Level, relating to the Mayor and Commissioners thereof and municipal elections therein, and validating the election and official acts of the Mayor and Commissioners heretofore elected.

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

H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the National Guard and to amend General Statutes 20-80 relating to license plates of the National Guard.

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

H. B. 141, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint certain members of the Boards of Education of the respective counties of North Carolina and to fix their terms of office.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendment is adopted.
Mr. Long offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Askew offers an amendment, which is adopted.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 20. An Act to amend Chapter 450 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the prohibition of taking game from the public highways in Pender County.

S. B. 50. An Act to provide for the election of members of the Board of Education of Asheboro City Administrative Unit.

S. B. 57. An Act to amend the Charter of the Town of Davidson in Mecklenburg County to prescribe the method of filing notice of candidacy for municipal office.

H. B. 6. An Act to amend Chapter 579 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the salaries of the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County.

H. B. 77. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hertford County to fix fees charged by county officers and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of said County to fix the number of salaried county employees and the compensation of county officials and employees.

H. B. 87. An Act amending Chapter 117, Public-Local Laws of 1927 so as to fix certain fees of justices of the peace of Martin County.

H. B. 89. An Act amending Chapter 114, 1951 Session Laws, so as to provide for the salary of an additional deputy sheriff in Duplin County.

On motion of Mr. Venters the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock Noon.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, March 13, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Donna Ruth Shreve, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Shreve of Guilford County, is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Hill is granted a leave of absence from March 14th through March 19th.

Mr. Murphy is granted a leave of absence for tomorrow, March 14th.

On motion of Mr. Turner, S. B. 105 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election in the Town of Clinton, North Carolina, upon the question of adopting the city manager form of government," is taken from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns and placed on today's Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Turner, S. B. 106 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Clinton relating to the term of office of the Board of Commissioners," is taken from the Committee on Local Government and placed on today's Calendar.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the National Guard and to amend General Statutes 20-80 relating to license plates of the National Guard.

H. B. 50, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Mount Holly in Gaston County.

REPORT 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. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety:

S. B. 28, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 136 of the General Statutes relating to the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education:

H. B. 166, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of Education of Craven County.
With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees:

H. B. 168, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the salary of the Commissioners and Chief Deputy Sheriff of Wilkes County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 182, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Reading Clerk and Sergeant-at-Arms of each House of the General Assembly.

With a favorable report.

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

H. B. 201, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4, as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 224, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the title of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 77, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 21 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to insurance of State-owned property so as to provide for extended coverage insurance.

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. Speight:

H. R. 228, a joint resolution requesting the North Carolina Congressional delegation to cause a Federal investigation to be made of expenditure of Federal, State and County funds in North Carolina for the support of children born out of wedlock.

And,

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 108-49 so as to prohibit aid to illegitimate children of physically fit mothers under the “Aid to Dependent Children Act.”

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-73.4 relating to the eligibility of persons for public assistance.

Referred to Committee on Public Welfare.

By Mr. Fowler:

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-150 so as to place certain responsibility upon the principals of the public schools with regard to fire safety.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to prescribe regulations for the reduction of fire hazards and for the protection of life and property in public school facilities.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 69-7 relating to fire prevention and providing for “Fire Prevention Day.”

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Womble of Wake:

H. B. 234, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 128 and 135 of the General Statutes relating to the investment of funds of the Local Governmental Employees’ Retirement System and the Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement System.

Referred to Committee on Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement.

By Mr. Murphy:

H. B. 235, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-25 so as to provide for the selection of grand juries in Pender County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 236, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Article 31 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Seed Law.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.
By Mr. Childers:

H. B. 237, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Gastonia, North Carolina, in the discretion of its City Council, to sell and convey realty of the City of Gastonia to the Young Men's Christian Association of Gastonia, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 238, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2, Chapter 717, Session Laws of 1953, as amended by Chapter 413, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the composition of the Whiteville City Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 239, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1303 of the Session Laws of 1953 authorizing boards of county commissioners to fix fees charged by county officers, so as to make said Act applicable to Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 240, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1227 of the Session Laws of 1953, authorizing the county commissioners of each county to fix the compensation of county officials and employees, so as to make said Act applicable to Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-38 relating to the distribution of funds from the sale of forest lands.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

And,

H. B. 242, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax for the enlarging of the Hyde County courthouse.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hughes:

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland:
H. B. 244, a bill to be entitled An act relating to larceny of goods held for sale.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Johnson, Murphy, Britt, Talton, Hargett, Venters, Woodard of Northampton, Bowman and Hewlett:

H. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 77-14 relating to obstructions in creeks, streams, rivers and farmland drainage ditches.

Referred to Committee on Drainage.

By Messrs. Turner and Everett:

H. B. 246, a bill to be entitled An act to require a special state license for hunting migratory waterfowl.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Shreve:

H. B. 247, a bill to be entitled An act creating a presumption of mental incapacity in certain cases and providing removal of such presumption.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Gavin:

H. R. 248, a joint resolution to provide for the appointment of a commission to consider and submit to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State, or a proposed new draft of the Constitution.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. 249, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortune telling and clairvoyance in Chatham County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-202, relating to secretly peeping into a room occupied by a woman.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 251, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for additional costs in the Mayor's Court of the Town of Middlesex.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:
H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled An act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Conway in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

**CALENDAR**

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

S. B. 23, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the County of Gaston to expend certain surplus Debt Service Funds for public library purposes, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 70, a bill to be entitled An act adopting official records of uncollected taxes for the years 1951 through 1955 for the County of Buncombe and the City of Asheville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 105, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election in the Town of Clinton, North Carolina, upon the question of adopting the city manager form of government.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 103, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Clinton relating to the term of office of the Board of Commissioners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 146, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-410 so as to permit farmers in Pender County to use firecrackers to protect crops against bird and animal damage.
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 the Charter of the City of New Bern so as to redivide such City into five wards.

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

H. B. 148, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of New Bern relating to the election of the Board of Aldermen.

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

H. B. 173, a bill to be entitled An act to enable employees of county and city administrative school units to participate voluntarily in the United States Treasury's Payroll Savings Plan for the purchase of United States Savings Bonds on a systematic partial payment basis.

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

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 A.M.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, March 14, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Stephen Cannon of Guilford County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Anderson the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Dennis Cooke, a former North Carolina Senator from Caldwell County.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Roy A. Taylor, a former member of the House from Buncombe County.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Nat Crews, a former member of the House from Forsyth County.
On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable H. B. Smith of Union County, a former member of the House of Representatives.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Wall for today and tomorrow, March 14 and 15.

Leaves of absence are granted Mr. Crawford of Swain and Mr. Whitehurst for Friday, March 15.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 253, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Robbins in Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

And,

H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Recorder and Prosecuting Attorney of the Recorder's Court of the Town of Aberdeen.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 255, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rowan County and the governing bodies of the incorporated cities and towns in said county to pay certain law enforcement officers' social security contributions or taxes resulting from retroactive social security coverage.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 256, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the advertisement of alcoholic beverages on any sign or billboard in Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

And,

H. B. 257, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for certain changes in the election of the Board of County Commissioners of Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Powell:

H. B. 258, a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of J. Gordon Webster of Rockingham County for damage to his automobile incurred in an accident with a State Highway and Public Works Commission truck.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-26 relating to the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Supreme Court and paid into the Treasury of the State, and to provide for the appointment of deputy clerks of the Supreme Court.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Rowan County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bost:

H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the sentencing, quartering, and control of prisoners with workday release privileges.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

CALENDAR

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

On motion of Mr. Philpott consideration of all the bills on the Public-Local Calendar for today are postponed until tomorrow, Friday, March 15, 1957.

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4, as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Rowan consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, March 15, 1957.

H. B. 224, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the title of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Harriss of Rowan consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, March 15, 1957.

S. B. 28, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 136 of the General Statutes relating to the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the two committee amendments are adopted.

The bill passes its second reading, as amended.

Mr. Kiser objects to the third reading of the bill.

Mr. Philpott moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on its third reading. The motion prevails.
The bill passes its third reading, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

S. B. 77, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 21 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to insurance of state-owned property so as to provide for extended coverage insurance.

On motion of Mr. Harriss of Rowan consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, March 15, 1957.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. 23. An Act authorizing the County of Gaston to expend certain surplus Debt Service Funds for public library purposes, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

S. B. 34. An Act to authorize the City of Roxboro to establish a Special Reserve Fund.

S. B. 70. An Act adopting official records of uncollected taxes for the years 1951 through 1955 for the County of Buncombe and the City of Asheville.

S. B. 105. An Act to provide for an election in the Town of Clinton, North Carolina, upon the question of adopting the City Manager form of government.

S. B. 106. An Act to amend the Charter of the Town of Clinton relating to the terms of office of the Board of Commissioners.

H. B. 21. An Act amending General Statutes 67-13 so as to relieve the County Commissioners of Person County and the County of Person from the duties imposed thereby as to damages caused by dogs in the county.

H. B. 113. An Act to include Union County within the provisions of General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment for public drunkenness.

H. B. 126. An Act relating to the filing and recording of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Ashe County.

H. B. 197. An Act to provide for the reassessment and revaluation of property in Brunswick County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts therefor.

H. B. 208. An Act to amend Chapter 425 of the Private Laws of 1907, as amended, being the Charter of the Town of Pine Level, relating to the Mayor and Commissioners thereof and municipal elections therein, and validating the election and official acts of the mayor and commissioners heretofore elected.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland, John T. Henley, Jr., Robert Henley and Douglas Henley, sons of Representative and Mrs. Henley of Cumberland County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. McCrary, the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Jerry Rogers, a former member of the House of Representatives from Haywood County.

Mr. Speaker Doughton extends the courtesies of the floor to the Honorable Charlie Bryant, a former member of the House from Gaston County.

On motion of Mr. Turner, S. B. 75 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 236 of the Private Laws of 1913 relating to elections in the Town of Fremont" is withdrawn from the Committee on Local Government and placed on today's Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Clark, H. B. 261 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the sentencing, quartering, and control of prisoners with work day release privileges" is withdrawn from the Committee on State Government and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Fowler, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 148, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of New Bern relating to the election of the Board of Aldermen.

REPORT 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. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.
H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the State Highway and Public Works Commission to designate a speed limit maximum up to sixty miles an hour for certain vehicles on certain highways.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 20-218 so as to provide for school activity buses a speed limit of forty-five miles per hour.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights of way for state highways located within municipalities.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Education of the Southern Pines City Administrative School Unit to grant to the State Highway and Public Works Commission an easement for the relocation of U. S. Highway 1.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-300 so as to provide for the destruction of records under the Tort Claims Act, by the authorization of the North Carolina Department of Archives and History.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 220, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Mecklenburg to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building or buildings, including parking facilities, in Charlotte.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 72, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-30, relating to the appointment of dog wardens.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 109, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an open season on foxes in Warren County.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hargett the committee substitute bill is adopted.
H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled An act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Conway in Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to modify the kennel tax provided for in the dog warden law.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Bost the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 34-13 relating to the investment of funds by guardians.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 12, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 1-407 relating to the bond requirement by commissioners selling land for reinvestment and commissioners selling land in which an infant or incompetent has an interest.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 209, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Elkin to regulate the subdivision of the land in and around said Town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 2 of Article 18 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to the powers of municipalities to acquire property by condemnation applicable to the Town of Elkin in Surry County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the use of funds collected from delinquent taxes in Brunswick County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 223, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Davie County to adjust all delinquent taxes which have been delinquent for five years or more.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

With a favorable report.
On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-23 so as to require a new registration of voters in Graham County prior to the 1958 primary election.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 189, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1050, Session Laws of 1955, by adding Graham to the list of counties in which the board of commissioners is authorized to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations as to the dumping and disposal of trash, garbage and other refuse and wastes in rural areas outside the corporate limits of any municipality.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a law library in Graham County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 27 of the Charter of the City of Raleigh.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 195, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Raleigh to appoint special officers, with the authority of peace officers, to enforce the ordinances of the City of Raleigh and the laws of the State of North Carolina upon watersheds of its public water supply reservoirs.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 200, a bill to be entitled An act to validate and confirm the sale of certain real estate in the Town of Apex.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 112, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 641 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Charter of the City of Monroe and to extend the corporate limits of said City.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled An act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian reservations in Jackson County to list and pay personal property taxes.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.
H. B. 176, a bill to be entitled An act appointing members of the Tax Equalization Board for Madison County and extending the time for the performance of certain duties by said Board until July 1, 1957.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Lee County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled An act making the office of County Accountant and Tax Collector of Graham County elective, and fixing the salary of said officer.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 83, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Thomasville to reconvey certain property now owned by the said City of Thomasville.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 84, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Thomasville to appoint one or more assistant clerks of the Recorder's Court of said City.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 175, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Morgan- ton to lease certain real property not presently needed for governmental purposes.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Hunt, Yarborough of Franklin, Love, White and Etheridge:

H. B. 262, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-6, relating to meetings of the Board of Conservation and Development.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Messrs. Hunt, Yarborough of Franklin, Love and Etheridge:

H. B. 263, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the furnishing of certain information by well drillers to the Department of Conservation and Development.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Messrs. Hunt, Yarborough of Franklin, Love, White and Etheridge:

H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4, Chapter 113 of the General Statutes to provide for recovering expenses incurred as a result of a fire started through negligence.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Bost and Quinn:

H. B. 265, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord to pay employees' contributions to social security for a six months period with respect to policemen.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

And,

H. B. 266, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-85, so as to authorize the City of Concord to assess the total costs of concrete curb and gutter improvements against the owners of abutting property.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Bost:

H. B. 267, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-65.1 to provide that the fee of the guardian ad litem in actions and special proceedings when any of the defendants are infants or persons non compos mentis and have no general guardian be taxed as part of the costs.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-67 and General Statutes 14-144 relating to removing the conflict between the statutes as to punishment for the offenses of burning and attempting to burn dwelling houses and certain other buildings.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 269, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 1-182 of the General Statutes providing for instructions to be put in writing and taken to the jury room.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 270, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the evidentiary weight of results of chemical tests in drunken driving cases.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Fowler:

H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 133-1.1 requiring building involving the expenditure of public funds to be designed and inspected by engineers and architects.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Ferebee:
H. R. 272, a joint resolution honoring North Carolina State College on the 70th anniversary of its founding.

On motion of Mr. Ferebee the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Powe and Hill:

H. B. 273, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 908, Session Laws 1947, relating to the primary and election provisions for the elective officers of the City of Durham, by changing the time for filing of candidacy for the offices of mayor and aldermen and by authorizing the use of voting machines.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

And,

H. B. 274, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 262, Session Laws 1945, being a portion of the Charter of the City of Durham, by amending the description of the boundaries of Wards numbers Three, Four and Six in the particulars herein described.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Vogler, Arledge, Womble of Wake, Fowler, McKnight, Stone, Holmes, Pittman, Kemp, Snepp, Hicks, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Henley, Yarborough of Cumberland, Mrs. Rodenbough and Reynolds:

H. B. 275, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the concealment of goods and merchandise in mercantile establishments.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Floyd of Robeson and Reynolds:

H. B. 276, a bill to be entitled An act validating sales of land for taxes in the County of Robeson and municipalities therein made during the years of 1955 and 1956 and confirming settlements and adjustments of taxes heretofore made by the governing body of Robeson County and the governing bodies of the municipalities therein.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Reynolds and Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 277, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 995 of the Session Laws of 1947 regulating professional bondsmen in Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Dill:

H. B. 278, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-593 relating to the computation of time within which legal actions may be done or taken.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Stone, Gobble and Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 279, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1929 to include the City of Winston-Salem in said Act.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 7, Chapter 17 of the General Statutes relating to habeas corpus for custody of children to provide an additional use of habeas corpus in the discretion of the judge for determining the custody of minor children and to authorize the award of custody to such person, organization, agency or institution as will, in the court's opinion, best promote the welfare of such children, the present provisions as to habeas corpus now contained in the statute to remain unchanged.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 281, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 12, Chapter 8 of the General Statutes so as to permit the jury during deliberations in civil cases only to have for inspection exhibits admitted in evidence during the course of the trial.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 282, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-130 as to appeals to conform the statute with the rules of the Supreme Court.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt, Kemp and Turner:

H. B. 283, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-308 of the General Statutes relative to the oath to be subscribed to the ad valorem tax list.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 284, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection (3) of Section 105-286 of the General Statutes relative to the time for instructing list takers and assessors.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 285, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-307 of the General Statutes relative to the penalty for failure to list property for taxes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Hunt, Kemp, Shreve and Turner:

H. B. 286, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3A of Chapter 69 of the General Statutes relating to rural fire protection district.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Turner, Shreve, Hunt and Kemp:

H. B. 287, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina, Chapter 15, Article 8, so as to provide that the State of North Carolina shall pay the expenses of returning alleged felons from another state to the State of North Carolina without the issue or service of a requisition and extradition papers.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Hunt, Kemp, Shreve and Turner:

H. B. 288, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 143 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina relating to damage by stray dogs in Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 289, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 94 of the 1951 Session Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina, a special act authorizing Guilford County to participate in paying the premiums on group life insurance for its employees.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled An act to permit Guilford County and the City of High Point to determine whether or not there shall be discount for prepayment of taxes in Guilford County and the City of High Point and if so, the amount of such discount.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Kemp, Hunt and Turner:

H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled An act to simplify and standardize the reporting of inventories and lists of merchandise for ad valorem tax purposes.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Hunt, Kemp, Shreve and Turner:

H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize governing bodies of municipalities in Guilford County to create organizations for emergency life saving and rescue services or to contract for such services and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Guilford County to participate in sharing expense thereof.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt, Kemp and Turner:

H. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-104 by authorizing counties with more than 150,000 inhabitants to have an assistant judge and other additional officers.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt and Kemp:

H. B. 294, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-103 so as to increase the jurisdiction of Domestic Relations Court.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Johnson:

H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 114 of the Session Laws of 1951 pertaining to the salary of the County Commissioners of Duplin County, and providing another fee deputy sheriff.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-48.5 relating to county officials and employees to include Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Wilson of Union:

H. B. 297, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 298, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real and personal property in Union County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the levy of a special tax to pay the expenses thereof.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Umstead:
H. B. 299, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 527 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the Chapel Hill Board of Aldermen to exercise building regulation powers in a defined area.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Chapel Hill to establish building setback lines on streets within said Town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt, Kemp and Turner:

H. B. 301, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 239 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to planning and zoning in certain areas of Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

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. 40, a bill to be entitled An act to amend sections of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the name of the State Board of Public Welfare.

Referred to Committee on Public Welfare.

S. B. 41, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 48 of the General Statutes relating to the adoption of minors.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 98, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 601 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the salaries of certain officials in Person County so as to provide for an increase in the permitted pay allowance of clerical assistants in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and the Register of Deeds.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 82, a bill to be entitled An act relating to permits to purchase weapons in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 92, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-239 relating to entry of payment or satisfaction on the judgment docket.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 93, a bill to be entitled An act relating to discount and interest rates on taxes in Anson County.
Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 95, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Anson County to adjust all delinquent taxes which have been delinquent for five years or more.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 96, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-392 relating to the foreclosure of tax liens.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 101, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-68 relating to the payment to the clerk of money owed to an intestate in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 99, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with county boards of Equalization and Review, applicable to Lee County only.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 83 of the Charter of the City of Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 119, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Ramseur.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 102, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 2-53 relating to payment of money for indigent children and persons non compos mentis in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 57, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Town of Mooresville to accept deeds for real estate in payment of taxes and special assessments due thereon in lieu of foreclosure of the tax lien or special assessment lien, and to resell such property.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. McKnight 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:

S. B. 75, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 236 of the Private Laws of 1913 relating to elections in the Town of Fremont.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4, as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

On motion of Mr. Gregory consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 19, 1957.

H. B. 224, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the title of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

Mr. Hostetler offers an amendment, which is adopted.

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

S. B. 77, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 21 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to insurance of State-owned property so as to provide for extended coverage insurance.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. 58. An Act to validate proceedings relating to street and sidewalk improvements in the Town of Mooresville in Iredell County.

H. B. 81. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Surry County.

H. B. 84. An Act amending General Statutes 105-422 so as to make the provisions of General Statutes 105-422 applicable to Hoke County.

H. B. 91. An Act to amend Chapter 538 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the statute of limitations on tax liens as applied to Pamlico County.

H. B. 100. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to appoint two new deputy sheriffs.

H. B. 101. An Act to appoint a member of the Board of Water Commissioners of the City of Hendersonville.

H. B. 105. An Act to authorize the governing body of the City of Rocky Mount to cancel taxes aggregating $100.00 or less levied upon properties for the year 1945 and years prior thereto.

H. B. 122. An Act amending the Charter of the Town of Hope Mills, in Cumberland County, so as to reduce the number of commissioners from five to three and to fix the term of office of the mayor and commissioners.
H. B. 127. An Act to extend the time for the Ashe County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

H. B. 131. An Act amending Chapter 423, Session Laws of 1955, by fixing the time for holding municipal elections in the Town of Webster and extending the term of office of the present town officials.

H. B. 151. An Act regulating the making of bonds in criminal cases in Yancey County.

H. B. 156. An Act to authorize the Sheriff, Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Jones County each to appoint a deputy.

H. B. 157. An Act relating to the Board of Equalization and Review of Jones County.

H. B. 158. An Act to amend Chapter 348 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the Auditor and the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Mecklenburg County.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at which time only local legislation will be considered.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton, as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Doughton, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. White the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
MONDAY NIGHT, MARCH 18, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Uzzell, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.
Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Gregory the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Fred Thomas, a former member of the House from Harnett County.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Love for tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 18, 19 and 20.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, John, Marion and Nancy Lou Nicks of Wake County are made honorary page and pagettes, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Philpott for tonight, March 18, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Falls, H. B. 33 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools" is withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and re-committed to the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Wall, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 224, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the title of insurance companies doing business in North Carolina.

REPORT 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. Umstead, for the Committee on Mental Institutions.

H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Director of the Budget to make certain transfers of funds provided for institutions under the control of the State Hospitals Board of Control, including the Psychiatric Center at the University of North Carolina Medical School.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Umstead the Committee amendment is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Umstead the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Holmes:

H. B. 302, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit carnivals and similar shows in Perquimans County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to prohibit the operation of loudspeakers, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 304, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-141 of the General Statutes defining gross income.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Leake:

H. B. 305, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 762, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the compensation of the sheriff, the deputy sheriffs and jailer of Madison County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 so as to fix certain fees to be charged by the sheriff of Madison County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Reynolds, Floyd of Robeson, Britt, Vann and Delamar:

H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing boards of counties, cities and towns in this State to purchase supplies, equipment and materials through the North Carolina Division of Purchase and Contract.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 28-2.1 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the appointment of administrators of estates of missing persons.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Johnson:
H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Teachey, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Cerebral Palsy Hospital.

Referred to Committee on Health.

By Mr. Harris of Wake:

H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 13 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to giving of notice for hearings before the Insurance Commissioner.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Womble of Wake and Harris of Wake:

H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14A of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes relating to the appointment of Justices of the Peace so as to make the Article applicable to Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Doughton:

H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation and mileage of members of the County Board of Commissioners of Alleghany County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Nash County for industrial development and other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

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. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-57 relating to testimony of husband or wife in prosecutions for bigamy and bigamous cohabitation.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 42, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52A of the General Statutes relating to the Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 61, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-5 relating to reports in regard to jails.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 94, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the pay of jurors in Anson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 107, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the maintenance of the law library of Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 117, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Halifax County to raise the salaries of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 109, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an open season on foxes in Warren County.

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

H. B. 166, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of Education of Craven County.

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

H. B. 168, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the salary of the commissioners and chief deputy sheriff of Wilkes County.

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

H. B. 175, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Morganton to lease certain real property not presently needed for governmental purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 176, a bill to be entitled An act appointing members of the Tax Equalization Board for Madison County and extending the time for the performance of certain duties by said Board until July 1, 1957.

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

H. B. 183, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Lee County.

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

H. B. 187, a bill to be entitled An act making the office of County Accountant and Tax Collector of Graham County elective, and fixing the salary of said officer.

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

H. B. 188, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-23 so as to require a new registration of voters in Graham County prior to the 1958 primary election.

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

H. B. 189, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1050, Session Laws of 1955, by adding Graham to the list of counties in which the Board of Commissioners is authorized to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations as to the dumping and disposal of trash, garbage and other refuse and wastes in rural areas outside the corporate limits of any municipality.

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

H. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 27 of the Charter of the City of Raleigh.

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

H. B. 195, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Raleigh to appoint special officers, with the authority of peace officers, to enforce the ordinance of the City of Raleigh and the laws of the State of North Carolina upon watersheds of its public water supply reservoirs.

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

H. B. 200, a bill to be entitled An act to validate and confirm the sale of certain real estate in the Town of Apex.

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 relating to the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County.

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 the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Troy.

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 relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead.

On motion of Mr. Wallace consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 19, 1957.

H. B. 206, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the use of funds collected from delinquent taxes in Brunswick County.

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

H. B. 209, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Elkin to regulate the subdivision of the land in and around said Town.

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

H. B. 210, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 2 of Article 18 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to the powers of municipalities to acquire property by condemnation applicable to the Town of Elkin in Surry County.

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 authorize the County of Mecklenburg to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building or buildings, including parking facilities, in Charlotte.

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 authorize the Board of Commissioners of Davie County to adjust all delinquent taxes which have been delinquent for five years or more.

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

H. B. 252, a bill to be entitled An act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Conway in Northampton County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 83, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Thomasville to convey certain property now owned by the said City of Thomasville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 84, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Thomasville to appoint one or more assistant clerks of the Recorder's Court of said City.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 20-218 so as to provide for school activity buses a speed limit of forty-five miles per hour.

On motion of Mr. White consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 19, 1957.

H. B. 172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights of way for state highways located within municipalities.

On motion of Mr. White consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 19, 1957.

H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Education of the Southern Pines City Administrative School Unit to grant to the State Highway and Public Works Commission an easement for the relocation of the United States Highway 1.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 34-13 relating to the investment of funds by guardians.

On motion of Mr. Venters consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 19, 1957.

H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-300 so as to provide for the destruction of records under the Tort Claims Act, by the authorization of the North Carolina Department of Archives and History.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, March 20, 1957.

S. B. 12, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 1-407 relating to the bond requirement by commissioners selling land for re-investment and commissioners selling land in which an infant or incompetent has an interest.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 72, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-30 relating to the appointment of dog wardens.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock Noon.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, March 19, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Holcombe the courtesies of the floor are extended Mrs. Charles Hutchins, a former member of the House from Yancey County.

On motion of Mr. Kerr the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Oscar Richardson of Union County, a former Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 178, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Education of the Southern Pines City Administrative School Unit to grant to the State Highway and Public Works Commission an easement for the relocation of U. S. Highway 1.

REPORT 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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 52, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing boards of county commissioners to provide for the use of facsimile signature machines or stamps in connection with the signing of warrants or orders.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortune-telling or clairvoyance.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 61, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-5 relating to reports in regard to jails.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 82, a bill to be entitled An act relating to permits to purchase weapons in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 100-25 so as to provide that police officers of the Town of Burnsville need not necessarily be qualified voters therein.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 267, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-65.1 to provide that the fee of the guardian ad litem in actions and special proceedings when any of the defendants are infants or persons non composit mentis and have no general guardian be taxed as part of the costs.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 284, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection (3) of Section 105-286 of the General Statutes relative to the time for instructing list takers and assessors.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 285, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-307 of the General Statutes relative to the penalty for failure to list property for taxes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 287, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina, Chapter 15, Article 8, so as to provide that the State of North Carolina shall pay the expenses of returning alleged felons from another state to the State of North Carolina without the issue or service of a requisition and extradition papers.

With a favorable report.
On motion of Mr. Bost the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 288, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 143 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina relating to damage by stray dogs in Guilford County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled An act to simplify and standardize the reporting of inventories and lists of merchandise for ad valorem tax purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Nash County for industrial development and other purposes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 41, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 48 of the General Statutes relating to the adoption of minors.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 96, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-392 relating to the foreclosure of tax liens.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 107, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the maintenance of the Law Library of Wayne County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Bost the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Kemp, Fowler, Johnson, Williams of Yadkin, Quinn, Wallace, Philpott, Mrs. Rodenbough, Messrs. McKnight, Watkins, Lloyd, Hunt, Hewlett, Talton, Bell, Henley, Speight, Turner, Yarborough of Cumberland, Shreve, Everett, and Etheridge:

H. B. 315, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for instruction and training for trainable mentally handicapped children.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth and Yarborough of Franklin:
H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 115-125 relating to the acquisition of school sites.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Bell, Venters, Delamar, Etheridge, and Bowman:

H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 37 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes entitled the Urban Redevelopment Law.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 318, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 407 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Town of Vass.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Robbins to lease its community building and the lot upon which it is located.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Jones of Pitt, Wooten, Bell, Talton, Whitehurst, Hardy, Ross, Pittman, Parker, Williams of Pasquotank, and Everett:

H. B. 320, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a school for the training of nurses to be located at East Carolina College and making an appropriation of $70,000.00 for the first year of the coming biennium and $100,000.00 for the second year for the maintenance thereof.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Zollicoffer:

H. B. 321, a bill to be entitled An act to postpone revaluation in Vance County for a period of two years.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the governing body of the Town of Whiteville in Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the fixing of the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Tabor City, and to provide for their election.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Floyd of Robeson and Reynolds, by request:
H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of St. Pauls, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 325, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-78 relating to the budget for capital outlay school fund.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Johnson:

H. B. 326, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that ten per cent of the gross proceeds of the sale of timber on state-owned lands in Duplin County shall be paid into the General Fund of Duplin County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 327, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-568.25 relating to the effect of taking and introducing a deposition.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 328, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-7 relating to the duties of coroners.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-125 of the General Statutes relating to corporations exempt from franchise tax.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Sheriff of Beaufort County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the restoration, repair, and maintenance of historic sites in the Town of Bath.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

And,

H. B. 332, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the salary of certain officials of Beaufort County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. Wall:

H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled An act appointing certain members of the McDowell County Board of Education, amending General Statutes 115-18 so as to fix the membership of said board and the terms of office of its members.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 334, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-53 relating to the definition of occupational diseases.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-31 relating to disfigurement.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Etheridge, Griggs, Hewlett, and Burgess:

H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the outer banks.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Etheridge, Griggs, O'Neal, Burgess, and Hewlett:

H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent damage or destruction to sand dunes along the outer banks of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Hargett and Buchanan:

H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-95 and General Statutes 113-144 relating to hunting and fishing license fees.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 339, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salary of the Trial Justice and the Prosecuting Attorney for the Rowan County Court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Snepp, Hicks, and Vogler:

H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to the filing and registration of notice of assignment of accounts receivable.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Hyde County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said county.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Leake:

H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 869, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the compensation of the Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court, the clerical assistant to the Register of Deeds of Madison County, and to the janitor of the Court House.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 343, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 352, Public Local Laws of 1939, as amended, and fixing the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Madison County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Powell:

H. B. 344, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the punishment for public drunkenness in Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Gaither:

H. B. 345, a bill to be entitled An act adjusting and fixing the salaries of certain officers of Transylvania County and repealing Chapter 1357, Session Laws of 1955.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 346, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Chapter 1191, Session Laws of 1951, requiring the semi-annual publication of financial statements by certain county boards in Transylvania County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 347, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 14-399 of the General Statutes by making the same applicable to Transylvania County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead.

Mr. Turner offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 20-218 so as to provide for school activity buses a speed limit of forty-five miles per hour.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Venters offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights of way for state highways located within municipalities.

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 amend General Statutes 34-13 relating to the investment of funds by guardians.

Mr. Womble of Forsyth offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4 as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

Mr. Womble of Forsyth offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Powe offers an amendment which is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 75. An Act to amend Chapter 236 of the Private Laws of 1913 relating to elections in the Town of Fremont.

S. B. 77. An Act to amend Article 21 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to insurance of state-owned property so as to provide for extended coverage insurance.

H. B. 23. An Act fixing the compensation for members of the Jackson County Board of Education.

H. B. 43. An Act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Cameron in Moore County.

H. B. 51. An Act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Dallas in Gaston County.

H. B. 57. An Act to permit the Town of Mooresville to accept deeds for real estate in payment of taxes and special assessments due thereon in lieu of foreclosure of the tax lien or special assessment lien, and to resell such property.

H. B. 60. An Act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and City Commissioners of the City of Kings Mountain, North Carolina.

H. B. 66. An Act amending General Statutes 14-399 making it unlawful to place trash, refuse, etc., within 150 yards of hard-surfaced highways, by removing Buncombe from the list of counties excepted from the provisions of said Act.

H. B. 90. An Act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Angier in Harnett County.

H. B. 121. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Duplin County to fix the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of said county.

H. B. 144. An Act to amend Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1903 to provide for the payment of members of the Board of Town Commissioners of the Town of Raeford.

H. B. 149. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Craven County to increase the salaries of officers and employees of said county.

H. B. 150. An Act amending General Statutes 153-180 so as to fix the compensation of the Jailer of Yancey County.

H. B. 165. An Act to fix the compensation of the Councilmen and Mayor of the Town of Plymouth.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.
THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, March 20, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Dill, H. B. 106 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount, and to authorize the City of Rocky Mount to sell at private sale real and personal property that is not needed for municipal purposes" is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.

On motion of Mr. Gregory, the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Neil Ross of Harnett County, a former member of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Messrs. Kerr and Hewlett the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Johnny Morris of New Hanover County, a former member of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, William Earl Murphy, IV, of Franklin County is made an honorary page of the House.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Wall, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully examined, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 96, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 20-218 so as to provide for school activity buses a speed limit of forty-five miles per hour.

H. B. 205, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead.

H. B. 215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 34-13 relating to the investment of funds by guardians.

REPORT 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. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 167, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 2, Chapter 717 of the Session Laws of 1953, as amended by Chapter 413 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the composition of the Board of Trustees of the Whiteville City Administrative School Unit.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 238, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2, Chapter 717, Session Laws of 1953, as amended by Chapter 413, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the composition of the Whiteville City Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled An act appointing certain members of the McDowell County Board of Education, amending General Statutes 115-18 so as to fix the membership of said Board and the terms of office of its members.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Wall the rules are suspended and the bill placed on today's Calendar.

By Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 192, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 114 of the Session Laws of 1951 pertaining to the salary of the County Commissioners of Duplin County, and providing another fee deputy sheriff.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 so as to fix certain fees to be charged by the Sheriff of Madison County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 332, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the salary of certain officials of Beaufort County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 78, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to fees and charges.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 98, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 601 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the salaries of certain officials in Person County so as to provide for an increase in the permitted pay allowance of clerical
assistants in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and the Register of Deeds.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton, for the Committee on Health.

H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Cerebral Palsy Hospital.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

H. B. 72, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Division of General Services, and abolishing the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds and the office of Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. R. 348, a joint resolution congratulating and commending the coaches and players of the University of North Carolina basketball team for their performances and sportsmanship.

On motion of Mr. Henley the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Thomas of Stanly:

H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Stanly County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 350, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize local boards of education to operate the public schools for four quarters each calendar year.

Referred to Committee on Education.

Mr. Kerr sends forward the following statement and requests that it be read and spread upon the Journal.
It is so ordered.

"I am proposing that our local school units have the option of operating their public schools the year round instead of just nine months out of the year. This would be done by a system of staggered assignments of pupils on a quarterly basis, so that the total pupil load in a given school would be evenly distributed over the full calendar year. By so doing, a school house could obviously accommodate approximately one-fourth more pupils than could be handled in the same number of classrooms operated only nine months of each year.

"The primary advantage of this approach would be to lessen the necessity for building more and more school houses to take care of what we are told is to be a virtual avalanche of increased public school enrollments in the years ahead. Certainly, another important advantage would be employment of school teachers an extra three months of the year, thereby giving them increased annual salaries.

"Next to the business of government, the business of public education in this country is the largest business. The cost of public education in the United States is in the neighborhood of 10.8 billion dollars a year. The public school system is the only business in this country which permits its capital investment plants, to-wit, its school buildings, facilities and libraries, to remain idle and vacant for one-fourth of the year. The investment of the counties, municipalities and school districts in public school buildings at this time in North Carolina is in excess of five hundred million dollars. If our present capital investment in school buildings were utilized to the fullest extent, the need for additional buildings would be greatly lessened.

"This proposed bill leaves the adoption of the ‘full time’ utilization of school facilities in the hands of the local school authorities. They are closest to the people and know more clearly what the people want in the public schools. As now drawn, the bill would leave the financing of the additional three months of school operation with the local units. This can be justified on the general ground that the additional operation would be in lieu of building more school houses (the additional buildings being financed on the local level).

"However, I am of the present opinion that over the long pull the State should assist in financing this additional period of school operation. I may, later on this session, introduce a bill calling for some State appropriations for the next biennium which would at least help the local units to experiment with operation on the twelve months’ basis. This would enable local units to determine if such operation does make good sense and does meet with the approval of our people.

"In any event, regardless of how the additional three months of school operation is financed, there is no reason, in my opinion, why this bill should not be enacted so as to give local school authorities the choice of trying the twelve months’ operation. This bill makes the matter purely permissive and not mandatory.
"I fully recognize that a transition from a nine months' to a twelve months' system in a given administrative unit would bring with it administrative problems, but I am convinced that our school administrators have the ability and capacity to solve such problems as may arise."

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 12 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salary of the County Accountant of Franklin County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 352, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 1-600 relating to prima facie evidence of proof of publication of notice in newspaper.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mrs. Rodenbough:

H. B. 353, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-297 so as to exempt from taxation certain personal property stored in Stokes County for shipment out of said County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Shreve:

H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled An act to validate deeds of conveyance and other instruments executed prior to March 3, 1949 notwithstanding the fact that the instrument was not adjudged correct and ordered registered by the clerk.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 355, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 248 of the Public Laws of 1919 relating to the validation of probates and registrations in cases of defective certificates of officers admitting instruments to registration.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 356, a bill to be entitled An act to validate all judgments and decrees issued in actions for divorce where the verification to the complaint is not in accordance with the provisions of General Statutes 1-145 and General Statutes 1-148.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Shreve, by request:
H. B. 357, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 50-13 relating to the custody of children in divorce.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 358, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 49-4 of the General Statutes, relating to prosecution of parents for non-support of illegitimate children.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Murphy:

H. B. 359, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees for the probate and recording of statutory chattel mortgages in Pender County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the judge and prosecuting attorney of the Person County criminal court.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Coates and Fowler:

H. B. 361, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds to provide for clerical assistance in the public schools.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes relating to the practice of optometry.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 363, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Subsection 3 of General Statutes 6-18 to clarify its provisions as to awarding costs as of course to the plaintiff.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 364, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 45-21.42 so as to validate sales made under mortgages and deeds of trust prior to the first day of March, 1957, where there is no order of confirmation or record of same other than recitals in deeds executed pursuant to such sales.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Philpott:
H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Lexington to allow telephone or telegraph companies to make attachments to its light poles, and to charge a rent for same.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. White and Hicks:

H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-35 relating to the powers and duties of county and city boards of education relative to extra curricular activities.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 367, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Register of Deeds of Currituck County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Zollicoffer:

H. B. 368, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 778 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to increase the salary of the Recorder of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 369, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 353 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931 relating to the Assistant Judge of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 370, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 778 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to increase the salary of the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 371, a bill to be entitled An act setting out the schedule of costs in criminal actions in the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 372, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 262 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
By Mr. Byrum:

H. B. 373, a bill to be entitled An act to abolish jury trial in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Chowan County and to transfer criminal cases in which jury trial is requested to the Superior Court of said County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

And,

H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-9 so as to include Chowan County with the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Childers:

H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the expenditure of certain surplus funds of Gaston County for the purpose of constructing the Gaston County Welfare Building.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Combs:

H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the levy of a special tax in Tyrrell County with respect to the Veterans Service Officer, the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent and the Home Demonstration Agent.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 377, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize governmental and political subdivisions within Hoke County to sell and to convey property to other governmental agencies and political subdivisions of the county at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-120.10 so as to make Article 14A of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes applicable to Hoke County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 379, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-48.5, as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County to fix the salaries of the elective officials in Hoke County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Clark:

H. B. 380, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 147-58, relating to the duty of the State Auditor to charge and collect the cost of making audits of certain agencies.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
March 20, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. No. 106, entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount, and to authorize the City of Rocky Mount to sell at private sale real and personal property that is not needed for municipal purposes" for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

On motion of Mr. Dill the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

The bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. B. 59, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 52 of Chapter 14 of General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the parking of vehicles on school grounds.

Referred to Committee on Education.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 152, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-25 so as to provide that police officers of the Town of Burnsville need not necessarily be qualified voters therein.

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

H. B. 314, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Nash County for industrial development and other purposes.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 333, a bill to be entitled An act appointing certain members of the McDowell County Board of Education, amending General Statutes 115-18 so as to fix the membership of said Board and the terms of office of its members.

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

S. B. 82, a bill to be entitled An act relating to permits to purchase weapons in Cumberland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 52, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing boards of county commissioners to provide for the use of facsimile signature machines or stamps in connection with the signing of warrants or orders.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Wilson of Union offers an amendment, which is adopted.

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

H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-300 so as to provide for the destruction of records under the Tort Claims Act, by the authorization of the North Carolina Department of Archives and History.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

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

S. B. 61, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-5 relating to reports in regard to jails.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

Mr. Wicker, 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. 12. An Act rewriting General Statutes 1-407 relating to the bond required by commissioners selling land for reinvestment and commissioners selling land in which an infant or incompetent has an interest.


S. B. 83. An Act to authorize the City of Thomasville to reconvey certain property now owned by the said City of Thomasville.

S. B. 84. An Act to authorize the City Council of the City of Thomasville to appoint one or more assistant clerks of the Recorder's Court of said City.

H. B. 147. An Act to amend the Charter of the City of New Bern so as to redivide such City into five wards.

H. B. 148. An Act to amend the Charter of the City of New Bern relating to the election of the Board of Aldermen.

On motion of Mr. Whitley, the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock Noon.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, March 21, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, Chalmers White Faggart of Cabarrus County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Thompson, Carolyn Wallace, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Wallace of Montgomery County, is made an honorary pagette of the House.

Leaves of absence are granted Messrs. Buchanan, Wall, Craig and Crawford of Swain for Friday, March 22, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Willie Lee Lumpkin, III and James Parker Lumpkin, II of Franklin County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.
ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and ask that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 52, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing boards of county commissioners to provide for the use of facsimile signature machines or stamps in connection with the signing of warrants or orders.

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

H. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-300 so as to provide for the destruction of records under the Tort Claims Act, by the authorization of the North Carolina Department of Archives and History.

REPORT 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. Womble of Wake, for the Committee on Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement:

H. B. 103, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-166, relating to the Law Enforcement Officers’ Benefit and Retirement Fund so as to exempt benefits thereunder from levy, garnishment, and taxation in the same manner and to the same extent as benefits under other retirement systems.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 234, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 128 and 135 of the General Statutes relating to the investment of funds of the Local Governmental Employees’ Retirement System and the Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement System.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 71, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a supplemental pension fund for firemen in the City of Albemarle, State of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources:

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 179, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the taking of fish with nets and traps on certain portions of Pigeon Roost and Poplar Creeks in Warren County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 253, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Robbins in Moore County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance:

H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Henderson County Public Library.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 112, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 641 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Charter of the City of Monroe and to extend the corporation limits of said City.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled An act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian Reservations in Swain County to list and pay personal property taxes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Gates County to make appropriations to any organized fire department in said County and to levy taxes for the payment of the same.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 181, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the exemption from taxation of certain personal property stored in Nash County for shipment to foreign countries.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 184, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with county boards of equalization and review.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Graham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Mecklenburg to construct and equip a new county building or buildings in Charlotte, including parking facilities, to issue bonds therefor, and to acquire land for such purpose.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax for the construction of a new county jail.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to lease office space for use by local agencies of the United States Department of Agriculture, and to levy a special tax for the purpose of paying the rent on said office space.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 242, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax for the enlarging of the Hyde County courthouse.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 298, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real and personal property in Union County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the levy of a special tax to pay the expenses thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 326, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that ten per cent of the gross proceeds of the sale of timber on state-owned lands in Duplin County shall be paid into the general fund of Duplin County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 107, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the maintenance of the law library of Wayne County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety:

H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for use of temporary registration plates by purchasers of motor vehicles in lieu of the use of dealers’ registration plates.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-202, relating to secretly peeping into a room occupied by a woman.

With a favorable report, as amended.
H. B. 278, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-593 relating to the computation of time within which legal actions may be done or taken.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 282, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-130 as to appeals to conform the statute with the rules of the Supreme Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 344, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the punishment for public drunkenness in Rockingham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 346, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Chapter 1191, Session Laws of 1951, requiring the semiannual publication of financial statements by certain county boards in Transylvania County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Burgess, for the Committee on Drainage:

H. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 77-14 relating to obstructions in creeks, streams, rivers and farmland drainage ditches.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development:

H. B. 262, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-6, relating to meetings of the Board of Conservation and Development.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Kiser, for the Committee on Public Welfare.

S. B. 40, a bill to be entitled An act to amend sections of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the name of the State Board of Public Welfare.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 191, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Sheriff of Pender County to appoint two additional deputy sheriffs.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 235, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-25 so as to provide for the selection of grand juries in Pender County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 359, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees for the probate and recording of statutory chattel mortgages in Pender County.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 10, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10A, Chapter 153 of the General Statutes, being the County Capital Reserve Act of one thousand nine hundred forty-three, applicable only to Halifax County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 79, a bill to be entitled An act giving police officers of the Town of Winterville authority to make arrests and to serve all processes of the courts within an area of two miles outside the corporate limits; and fixing the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of said Town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.3 so as to authorize municipalities to expend Powell Bill funds to provide shelter for municipal street construction, repair and maintenance equipment.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 279, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1929 to include the City of Winston-Salem in said Act.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 302, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit carnivals and similar shows in Perquimans County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to prohibit the operation of loudspeakers, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation and mileage of members of the County Board of Commissioners of Alleghany County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 869, Session Laws of 1953 relating to the compensation of the Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court, the clerical assistant to the Register of Deeds of Madison County, and to the janitor of the Court House.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 343, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 352, Public Local Laws of 1939 as amended and fixing the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Madison County.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 94, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the pay of jurors in Anson County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 95, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Anson County to adjust all delinquent taxes which have been delinquent for five years or more.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 101, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-68 relating to the payment to the clerk of money owed to an intestate in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 83 of the Charter of the City of Raleigh.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 119, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Ramseur.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Taylor, Yarborough of Franklin, Davis, Clark, Thompson, Valentine, Zollicoffer, Floyd of Columbus and Delamar:

H. R. 381, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to study the feasibility of extending the nine-month school term.

Referred to Committee on Education.

H. R. 382, a joint resolution—citing the centennial observance of the organized teaching profession in North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Satterfield the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passes first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Quinn and Bost:
H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled An act repealing the statutory provisions governing the officers, meetings and internal organization of the State Association of County Commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 14-322 relating to criminal prosecutions for nonsupport of wife and children so as to provide that where a parent has not abandoned his children as now provided in General Statutes 14-322 or is not living with his wife and subject to prosecution under General Statutes 14-325, the willful failure to support one's children is a misdemeanor whether the parent abandons them or not.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Shreve:

H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by justices of the peace.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt, Kemp and Turner:

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 387, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 838 of the 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina relating to property removed from premises under order or judgment in actions in ejectment in Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Woodland, in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Powell and Long:

H. B. 389, a bill to be entitled An act to apportion the members of the House of Representatives among the several counties of the State.

Referred to Committee on Senatorial Districts.

By Messrs. Turner, Hunt, Kemp and Shreve:

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled An act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the Charter of said City with respect thereto, authorizing said City to acquire property of Bessemer
Sanitary District located within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of any such acquisition, and authorizing said City to contract with said District concerning the operation of water and sewer system.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 391, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the merger of the Town of Hamilton Lakes into the City of Greensboro, repealing the present Charter of the Town of Hamilton Lakes, and authorizing and approving certain contracts and conveyances in connection therewith.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled An act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the Charter of said City with reference to the corporate limits of said City, authorizing said City to acquire the property of any fire protection district within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of such acquisition, and authorizing said City to contract with any such district concerning the furnishing of fire protection.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 393, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 3A of Chapter 69 of the General Statutes to authorize any fire protection district to contract with a city or town to which all or a part of the area of such district shall be annexed concerning acquisition by such city or town or any property of the district and furnishing of fire protection.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 394, a bill to be entitled An act validating all extensions of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 6 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes to authorize any sanitary district to contract with a city or town to which all or a part of the area of such district shall be annexed concerning acquisition by such city or town of water or sewer systems or other property of the district and the operation of such systems or other property.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Hewlett:
H. B. 396, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 41 of the General Statutes to provide for trying title to land claimed by the State and by other parties.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 397, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exclusion from gross income amounts received from retirement systems of other states by former teachers of state employees of such states.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harris of Rowan:

H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 160, Private Laws of 1927, so as to fix the corporate boundaries of the Town of Cleveland in Rowan County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth and Gobble:

H. B. 399, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-77.1 relating to Saturday closing of banks.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 400, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize creation within the Department of Conservation and Development a division of community planning and assign powers and duties thereto.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 401, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to fix the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 402, a bill to be entitled An act to expedite the settling of claims against contractors and their sureties in cases involving public contracts let by the State and political subdivisions thereof.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Britt:

H. B. 403, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 313 of the Sessional Laws of 1955 relating to the nomination of Commissioners in Bladen County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 509 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the hunting of deer, so as to repeal so much thereof as relates to Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

And,

H. B. 405, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for period of revocation of a driver's license upon conviction of second, third or subsequent offense of driving under influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled An act to require that building notices as to new constructions or improvements in Currituck County be filed with the County Tax Supervisor.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 407, a bill to be entitled An act to remove from the Sheriff of Hoke County the duty of collecting taxes, to provide for the appointment of a Tax Collector for Hoke County and to define his duties.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 408, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit insurance agents from representing unauthorized companies.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

And,

H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent tie-in sales with life insurance.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

And,

H. B. 410, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 58-210 relating to the minimum number of persons required under a policy of group life insurance.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

And,

H. B. 411, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-195.3 to prohibit any type of survivorship fund in life insurance contracts.
Referred to Committee on Insurance.

And,

H. B. 412, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-44 relating to resident agents.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Reynolds and Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Robeson County and any incorporated city or town therein to acquire property to be leased for certain purposes and subject to certain requirements, to provide a method of payment for such lands, and to exempt them from taxation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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. 60, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-340 and 160-344 to provide for staggered terms of office for members of the City Council of the City of Gastonia and the manner of filling vacancies thereon.

On motion of Mr. Childers the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

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

S. B. 103, a bill to be entitled An act providing rules and regulations for municipal elections held in the City of Gastonia.

On motion of Mr. Childers the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

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

S. B. 108, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Halifax County to raise the salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Sheriff and the Register of Deeds of Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 109, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Roanoke Rapids.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 110, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Weldon.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 238, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2, Chapter 717, Session Laws of 1953, as amended by Chapter 413, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the composition of the Whiteville City Board of Education.

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

H. B. 288, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 143 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina relating to damage by stray dogs in Guilford County.

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 114 of the Session Laws of 1951 pertaining to the salary of the County Commissioners of Duplin County, and providing another fee deputy sheriff.

On motion of Mr. Johnson the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 306, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 so as to fix certain fees to be charged by the Sheriff of Madison County.

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 relating to the salary of certain officials of Beaufort County.

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

S. B. 96, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-392 relating to the foreclosure of tax liens.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 98, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 601 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the salaries of certain officials in Person County so as to provide for an increase in the permitted pay allowance of clerical assistants in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and the Register of Deeds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 78, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to fees and charges.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment which is adopted.
Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 72, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Division of General Services, and abolishing the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds and the office of Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds.

On motion of Mr. Ross consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 26, 1957.

H. B. 192, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements.

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

H. B. 267, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-65.1 to provide that the fee of the guardian ad litem in actions and special proceedings when any of the defendants are infants or persons noncompos mentis and have no general guardian be taxed as part of the costs.

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 amend subsection (3) of Section 105-286 of the General Statutes relative to the time for instructing list takers and assessors.

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 amend Section 105-307 of the General Statutes relative to the penalty for failure to list property for taxes.
Mr. Uzzell offers an amendment.

Mr. Whitley moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Uzzell lie upon the table, which motion fails of adoption.

The question now recurs as to the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Uzzell.

The amendment offered by Mr. Uzzell is adopted.

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

H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled An act to simplify and standardize the reporting of inventories and lists of merchandise for ad valorem tax purposes.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the bill is taken from the Calendar and re-committed to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Cerebral Palsy Hospital.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

S. B. 41, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 48 of the General Statutes relating to the adoption of minors.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. R. 348. A Joint Resolution congratulating and commending the coaches and players of the University of North Carolina Basketball Team for their performance and sportsmanship.

S. B. 61. An Act to amend General Statutes 108-5 relating to reports in regard to jails.

S. B. 82. An Act relating to permits to purchase weapons in Cumberland County.


H. B. 93. An Act to provide for the codification and printing of the Machinery Act, the same being Chapter 310 of the Public Laws of 1939, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend C. W. Teague, Pastor of the Shiloh Baptist Church, Union County, Monroe, North Carolina.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Jacqueline L. Vanne Stone of Forsyth County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Coates, William Brantley Woodall, III, and John Terry Roderick of Johnston County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, Mary Elizabeth Thompson, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Thompson of Chatham County, is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Bost, James Harry Arrowood, Jr., and Vickie Len Arrowood of Cabarrus County are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Robeson, Linda Reynolds, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Reynolds of Robeson County, is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Robeson, Bunny Townsend of Robeson County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Bell, Frances Gay Whitehurst and Fred Hancock Whitehurst, daughter and son of Representative and Mrs. Whitehurst of Craven County, are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Gregory, Beth, Jo-an, and Larry Stephenson of Harnett County are made honorary pagettes and page, respectively, of the House.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Kemp of Guilford County for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, March 25, 26 and 27, 1957.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Leake of Madison County for Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.

On motion of Mr. Blue the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Hawley J. Poole, a former member of the House from Moore County.
ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 285, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-307 of the General Statutes relative to the penalty for failure to list property for taxes.

H. B. 310, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Cerebral Palsy Hospital.

H. B. 295, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 114 of the Session Laws of 1951 pertaining to the salary of the County Commissioners of Duplin County and providing another fee deputy sheriff.

REPORT 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. Thomas, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 12 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salary of the County Accountant of Franklin County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Person County Criminal Court.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 119, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a law library in Burke County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled An act to require a permit authorizing construction of buildings and improvements in Brunswick County.

With a favorable report.
H B. 198, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Burke County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 237, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Gastonia, North Carolina, in the discretion of its City Council, to sell and convey realty of the City of Gastonia to the Young Men's Christian Association of Gastonia, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 239, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1303 of the Session Laws of 1953 authorizing boards of county commissioners to fix fees charged by county officers, so as to make said act applicable to Columbus County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 240, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1227 of the Session Laws of 1953, authorizing the county commissioners of each county to fix the compensation of county officials and employees, so as to make said act applicable to Columbus County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 249, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortune telling and clairvoyance in Chatham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B 274, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 262, Session Laws 1945, being a portion of the Charter of the City of Durham, by amending the description of the boundaries of wards numbers three, four, and six in the particulars herein described.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 321, a bill to be entitled An act to postpone revaluation in Vance County for a period of two years.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the governing body of the Town of Whiteville in Columbus County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the fixing of the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Tabor City, and to provide for their election.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 345, a bill to be entitled An act adjusting and fixing the salaries of certain officers of Transylvania County and repealing Chapter 1357, Session Laws of 1955.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 347, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 14-399 of the General Statutes by making the same applicable to Transylvania County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Stanly County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 368, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 778 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to increase the salary of the Recorder of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 369, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 353 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931 relating to the Assistant Judge of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 370, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 778 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to increase the salary of the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 371, a bill to be entitled An act setting out the schedule of costs in criminal actions in the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 372, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 262 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 17, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Selma to convey to the Selma American Legion Post No. 141 certain lands located at the corner of Webb and Waddell Streets in the Town of Selma.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 62, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County and the Board of Education of said county to convey property to other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the county.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 93, a bill to be entitled An act relating to discount and interest rates on taxes in Anson County.

With a favorable report.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton and Dr. Phelps:

H. B. 414, a bill to be entitled An act to make an emergency appropriation of $125,000 to the State Board of Health for the purpose of making available to indigent and medically indigent persons over twenty years of age the opportunity for vaccination against polio.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Wilson of Caswell:

H. B. 415, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-186 relating to school bus routes.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fee for issuance of motor vehicle operator’s license so as to provide for additional licensing services and facilities.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Gobble:

H. B. 417, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 111-14 relating to aid to the needy blind.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Dill and Valentine:

H. B. 418, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Burgess:

H. B. 419, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-25 relating to grand juries in Camden County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 420, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 361 of the Private Laws of 1903, Chapter 378 of the Private Laws of 1907, Chapter 53 of the Private Laws of 1915, and all other acts amendatory thereof or pertaining thereto relating to the Town of South Mills in Camden County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Umstead:

H. B 421, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Commissioners of the Town of Hillsboro to convey certain land within said town to the Hillsboro Library Association and to the Hillsboro Presbyterian Church.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 422, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain homeowners in Craven County.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Jones:

H. B. 423, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 259, Private Laws of 1923, relating to the election of commissioners of the Town of Fountain in Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Reynolds, Britt, and Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 36 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes to provide for refunds of taxes paid by counties and municipalities on fuels purchased.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

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. 97, a bill to be entitled An act to require the undertakers and/or funeral directors of North Carolina to enter on the back of all death certificates the full names and addresses of all children, dead or living, of the deceased, and the full names and addresses of all brothers and sisters, dead or living, of the deceased.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Caswell the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 141, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint certain members of the boards of education of the respective counties of North Carolina and to fix their terms of office.
Returned for concurrence in Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the House concurs in the Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 14, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the erection of an appropriate memorial upon the lands of the cliffs of the Neuse State Park honoring the memory of Lionel Weil who was largely responsible for the establishment of this park.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

S. B. 15, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 14 of the General Statutes by inserting therein a new section relating to the firing of weapons within one mile of the corporate limits of any municipality, relating only to Elizabeth City.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of raw sewerage, industrial waste and other noxious and deleterious substances into the waters of Neuse River or its tributaries which shall render said waters harmful to the public health and fish life.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

S. B. 52, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-19 relating to exemptions from jury duty.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 67, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-125 relating to the acquisition of school sites so as to allow the condemnation of a total of thirty acres for school purposes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 87, a bill to be entitled An act to permit banks of this state to operate on a five-day week when after hearing the Commissioner of Banks shall grant such authority in respect to the banks in any city or town.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

S. B. 89, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 2, Chapter 186, Private Laws of 1927, relating to the term of office of the members of the Red Springs City Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 120, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 273 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relative to the Board of Tax Supervision for Buncombe County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act amending Sections 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 126, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent damage or destruction to sand dunes along the outer banks of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

S. B. 132, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Cerebral Palsy Hospital.

Referred to Committee on Health.

S. B. 134, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance adjusters.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County, in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Henderson County Public Library.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 112, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 641 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Charter of the City of Monroe and to extend the corporation limits of said city.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Falls,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a law library in Graham County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Gates County to make appropriations to any organized fire department in said county and to levy taxes for the payment of the same.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Mecklenburg to construct and equip a new county building or buildings in Charlotte, including parking facilities, to issue bonds therefor, and to acquire land for such purpose.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax for the construction of a new county jail.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to lease office space for use by local agencies of the United States Department of Agriculture, and to levy a special tax for the purpose of paying rent on said office space.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 242, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax for the enlarging of the Hyde County Court House.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 298, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real and personal property in Union County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the levy of a special tax to pay the expenses thereof.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 107, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the maintenance of the law library of Wayne County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 79, a bill to be entitled An act giving police officers of the Town
of Winterville authority to make arrests and to serve all processes of the
courts within an area of two miles outside the corporate limits; and fixing
the compensation of the mayor and members of the board of commissioners
of said town.

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

H. B. 179, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the taking of fish
with nets and traps on certain portions of Pigeon Roost and Poplar Creeks
in Warren County.

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

H. B. 181, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the exemption from
taxation of certain personal property stored in Nash County for shipment
to foreign countries.

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 amend General Statutes 105-327
dealing with county boards of equalization and review.

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 authorize the Sheriff of Pender
County to appoint two additional deputy sheriffs.

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

H. B. 235, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-25
so as to provide for the selection of grand juries in Pender County.

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 create a bird sanctuary within
the territorial limits of the Town of Robbins in Moore County.

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

H. B. 279, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the
Private Laws of North Carolina of 1929 to include the City of Winston-
Salem in said act.

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

H. B. 302, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit carnivals and similar
shows in Perquimans County.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee amendment is adopted.
Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 313, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation and mileage of members of the County Board of Commissioners of Alleghany County.

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

H. B. 344, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the punishment for public drunkenness in Rockingham County.

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

H. B. 346, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Chapter 1191, Session Laws of 1951, requiring the semi-annual publication of financial statements by certain county boards in Transylvania County.

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

H. B. 351, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 12 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salary of the County Accountant of Franklin County.

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

H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that ten per cent of the gross proceeds of the sale of timber on state-owned lands in Duplin County shall be paid into the general fund of Duplin County.

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 rewriting Section 1, Chapter 869, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the compensation of the Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court, the clerical assistant to the Register of Deeds of Madison County, and to the janitor of the Court House.

On motion of Mr. Leake the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 343, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 352, Public Local Laws of 1939, as amended, and fixing the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Madison County.

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

H. B. 350, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees for the probate and recording of statutory chattel mortgages in Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
S. B. 10, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10A, Chapter 153 of the General Statutes, being the County Capital Reserve Act of 1943, applicable only to Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 71, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a supplemental pension fund for firemen in the City of Albemarle, State of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 94, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the pay of jurors in Anson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 95, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Anson County to adjust all delinquent taxes which have been delinquent for five years or more.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 101, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-68 relating to the payment to the Clerk of money owed to an intestate in Cumberland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 83 of the Charter of the City of Raleigh.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 119, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Ramseur.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 78, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to fees and charges.

Passes its third readings by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered returned to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Vogler, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Wilson of Caswell, Womble of For-
syth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin, and Zollicoffer—94.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for use of temporary registration plates by purchasers of motor vehicles in lieu of the use of dealers’ registration plates.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 103, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-166, relating to the law enforcement officers’ benefit and retirement fund, so as to exempt benefits thereunder from levy, garnishment, and taxation in the same manner and to the same extent as benefits under other retirement systems.

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

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

On motion of Mr. Philpott consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 26, 1957.

H. B. 163, a bill to be entitled An act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian reservations in Swain County to list and pay personal property taxes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.3 so as to authorize municipalities to expend Powell Bill funds to provide shelter for municipal street construction, repair and maintenance equipment.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 26, 1957.

H. B. 234, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 128 and 135 of the General Statutes relating to the investment of funds of the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System and the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 77-14 relating to obstructions in creeks, streams, rivers, and farm land drainage ditches.

On motion of Mr. Bowman consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, March 26, 1957.

H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-202 relating to secretly peeping into a room occupied by a woman.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 262, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-6 relating to meetings of the Board of Conservation and Development.

On motion of Mr. Hunt the committee amendments are adopted.

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

H. B. 278, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-593 relating to the computation of time within which legal actions may be done or taken.

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 amend General Statutes 1-130 as to appeals to conform the statute with the rules of the Supreme Court.

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

S. B. 40, a bill to be entitled An act to amend sections of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the name of the State Board of Public Welfare.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Reynolds, 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. 41. An Act to amend Chapter 48 of the General Statutes relating to the adoption of minors.

S. B. 96. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-392 relating to the foreclosure of tax liens.

S. B. 98. An Act to amend Chapter 601 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the salaries of certain officials in Person County so as to provide for an increase in the permitted pay allowance of clerical assistants in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and the Register of Deeds.

H. B. 61. An Act to amend Chapter 58 of the Public Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to the filing of candidates for town commissioners and school trustees in the City of Kings Mountain in Cleveland County.

H. B. 92. An Act to authorize the Pamlico County Board of Education to convey to the Florence Camp of the Woodmen of the World certain lands known as the Florence White School lot so long as the same shall be used for community purposes.

H. B. 128. An Act amending Subsections (b) and (c) of General Statutes 97-2 so as to permit deputy sheriffs in Ashe County to receive the benefits of the Workmen's Compensation.

H. B. 137. An Act to amend Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance agents.

H. B. 166. An Act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of Education of Craven County.


On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time only local legislation will be considered.
FORTIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, March 23, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Harris of Wake reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Speight the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

FORTY-FIRST DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday Night, March 25, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Pitt the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Sam Worthington, a former member of the House from Pitt County.

On motion of Mr. Powell, Doris Poole Watkins of Granville County, is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 234, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 128 and 135 of the General Statutes relating to the investment of funds of the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System and the Teachers' and State Employee's Retirement System.

H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-202, relating to secretly peeping into a room occupied by a woman.
H. B. 262, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-6, relating to meetings of the Board of Conservation and Development.

H. B. 302, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit carnivals and similar shows in Perquimans County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Gaither:

H. B. 425, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 113, Private Laws of 1903, the same being the Charter of the Town of Brevard, so as to extend the terms of office of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen from two to four years and to fix their compensation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wall:

H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the nomination and election of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the County Criminal Court of McDowell County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Messrs. Jordan and Craig:

H. B. 427, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 28-39.1 so as to validate conveyances by foreign executors made prior to January 1, 1957.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. McCrary:

H. B. 428, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 13, Public Local Laws of 1933, relating to the Law Library in Haywood County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Crawford of Swain:

H. B. 429, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of raw sewerage, industrial waste and other noxious and deleterious substances into the waters of Tuckaseigee River or its tributaries, which shall render said waters harmful to the public health and fish life.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Mr. Williams of Yadkin:

H. B. 430, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to allow the Board of Commissioners of Yadkin County to designate temporarily some place other than the County Courthouse as the place for holding the Superior Courts of said County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Coates and Thomas of Johnston:

H. B. 431, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the street and sidewalk assessments heretofore levied by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Selma.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

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. 39, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Department of Administration.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

S. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Micro, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 121, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15, Chapter 14 of the General Statutes to provide that the burning of any property of another be a criminal offense.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 130, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-278 so as to provide for the postponement of revaluation of property for ad valorem tax purposes in Catawba County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173, relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations, applicable only to Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 139, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 957 of the Session Laws of 1955, fixing the maximum fee allowed expert witnesses in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 141, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 845 of the Session Laws of 1955, fixing the maximum fee allowed counsel assigned to defend in capital cases in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County in their discretion to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Henderson County Public Library.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 112, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 641 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Charter of the City of Monroe and to extend the corporation limits of said City.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 174, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Gates County to make appropriations to any organized fire department in said County and to levy taxes for the payment of the same.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 190, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Graham County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for use of temporary registration plates by purchasers of motor vehicles in lieu of the use of dealers' registration plates.
Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 219, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Mecklenburg to construct and equip a new county building or buildings in Charlotte, including parking facilities; to issue bonds therefor and to acquire land for such purpose.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 222, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax for the construction of a new county jail.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 227, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to lease office space for use by local agencies of the United States Department of Agriculture, and to levy a special tax for the purpose of paying the rent on said office space.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 242, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax for the enlarging of the Hyde County courthouse.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 298, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real and personal property in Union County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the levy of a special tax to pay the expenses thereof.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Stanly County.

On motion of Mr. Combs the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 107, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the maintenance of the Law Library of Wayne County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

On motion of Mr. Bost consideration of the remainder of the bills on the Public-Local Calendar is postponed until Tuesday, March 26, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Bost consideration of all the bills on the Public Calendar is postponed until Tuesday, March 26, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o’clock noon.
FORTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, March 26, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Falls the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable R. L. Harris of Person County, a former Speaker of the House; and upon motion the rules are suspended and Mr. Harris is invited onto the floor of the House and asked to make a few remarks to the members of the House.

Mr. Harris comes onto the floor of the House and makes a few pleasant remarks to the members and closes with best wishes to the membership for the 1957 Session.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Ben Fountain, former member of the House from Edgecombe County.

Mr. Speaker Doughton extends the courtesies of the floor to Mr. Fred Parker, a former member of the House from Wayne County.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell, James Austin Davis, Janet Anne Davis, Frances Mary Rufty, Donald Robert Doss, Deborah Lynn Doss and Carolyn Jane Seay, all of Rowan County are made honorary pages and pagettes, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Max O. Sessions, Jr., Steven R. Sessions, Warren Randolph Thomas and John Wesley Jones, III of Forsyth County, are made honorary pages of the House.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, Catherine Anne McKnight of Iredell County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Kiser H. B. 14 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to create a sinking fund for the purpose of retiring the principal and interest of all bonds issued pursuant to the State Permanent Improvement Bond Act of 1953, and to provide funds therefor by transferring thereto sufficient moneys from the general fund surplus" is withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Mr. Kiser H. B. 15 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to create a sinking fund for the purpose of retiring the principal and interest of all bonds issued pursuant to the State Mental Institutions Bond Act of 1953, and to provide funds therefor by transferring thereto sufficient moneys from the general fund surplus" is taken from the Committee on Finance and recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.
Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 196, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for use of temporary registration plates by purchasers of motor vehicles in lieu of the use of dealers' registration plates.

REPORT 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. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture:

H. B. 236, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Article 31 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Seed Law.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1:

H. B. 266, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-85, so as to authorize the City of Concord to assess the total costs of concrete curb and gutter improvements against the owners of abutting property.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 283, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-308 of the General Statutes relative to the oath to be subscribed to the ad valorem tax list.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled An act to simplify and standardize the reporting of inventories and lists of merchandise for ad valorem tax purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the expenditure of certain surplus funds of Gaston County for the purpose of constructing the Gaston County Welfare Building.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 14-322 relating to criminal prosecutions for nonsupport of wife and children so as to provide that where a parent has not abandoned his children as now provided in General Statutes 14-322 or is not living with his wife and subject to prosecution under General Statutes 14-325, the wilful failure
to support one's children is a misdemeanor whether the parent abandons them or not.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 427, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 28-39.1 so as to validate conveyances by foreign executors made prior to January 1, 1957.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 42, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52A of the General Statutes relating to the uniform reciprocal enforcement of support act.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 52, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-19 relating to exemptions from jury duty.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government:

H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Garland in Sampson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 159, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the Town of Dover to sell the present City Hall and the site or lot on which the said City Hall is now located.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 251, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for additional costs in the Mayor's Court of the Town of Middlesex.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Recorder and Prosecuting Attorney of the Recorder's Court of the Town of Aberdeen.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Teachey, North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 318, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 407 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Town of Vass.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Robbins to lease its community building and the lot upon which it is located.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled An act to require that building notices as to new constructions or improvements in Currituck County be filed with the County Tax Supervisor.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 423, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 259, Private Laws of 1923 relating to the election of commissioners of the Town of Fountain in Pitt County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Bost H. B. 291 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to simplify and standardize the reporting of inventories and lists of merchandise for ad valorem tax purposes" is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 432, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 113-111 by adding Franklin to the list of counties in which there is no closed season for fox hunting.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Messrs. Everett, Pittman, Jones, Phelps and Love:

H. B. 433, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Uniform Driver's License Act by changing the definition of the word "Chauffeur."

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 434, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain agricultural products from ad valorem taxes in Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Davis:

H. B. 435, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 564 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 as amended relating to jury trials in the Recorder's Court of Rutherford County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 436, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-210 so as to increase from $20,000 to $40,000 the maximum group life insurance policy coverage as to any one person.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Ross and Buchanan:
H. B. 437, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of the presidents of East Carolina College, Western Carolina College, and Appalachian State Teachers College.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Childers:

H. B. 438, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Dallas, in Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Snepp, Hicks and Vogler:

H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt from ad valorem taxation the motor vehicles of disabled veterans of the armed forces of the United States.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Snepp, Vogler and Hicks:

H. B. 440, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a motor vehicle registration fee of one dollar ($1.00) for vehicles of disabled veterans of the armed forces of the United States.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Whitehurst, by request:

H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the taking of game from streets and highways within a defined area of Craven County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 177 of the Private Laws of 1937 relating to the opening and closing of polls for primary and general elections in the Town of Bridgeton.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mr. Randall:

H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled An act fixing salaries of officials and employees of Henderson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Askew:

H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 665, Session Laws of 1949 relating to the compensation of the Judge and Solicitor of the Gates County Recorder's Court.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. O'Neal:
H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 105-393 relating to the time for contesting the validity of tax foreclosure titles.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Umstead:

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for enlargement of rural fire protection districts in Orange County upon petition of a majority of property owners.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 447, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 45 of the Private Laws of 1931, relating to elections in the Town of Chapel Hill.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

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. 135, a bill to be entitled An act to annex Little River Township of Hoke County to Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 138, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection 12(a) of General Statutes 153-9, as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to the powers of boards of county commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 143, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes so as to validate certain conveyances between husband and wife.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Stanly County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled An act to require a permit authorizing construction of buildings and improvements in Brunswick County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Burke County.

On motion of Mr. Simpson the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 237, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Gastonia, North Carolina, in the discretion of its City Council, to sell and convey realty of the City of Gastonia to the Young Men’s Christian Association of Gastonia, North Carolina.
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 1303 of the Session Laws of 1953 authorizing boards of county commissioners to fix fees charged by county officers, so as to make said Act applicable to Columbus County.

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 amend Chapter 1227 of the Session Laws of 1953, authorizing the county commissioners of each county to fix the compensation of county officials and employees, so as to make said Act applicable to Columbus County.

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 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling and clairvoyance in Durham County.

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 amend Chapter 262, Session Laws, 1945, being a portion of the Charter of the City of Durham, by amending the description of the boundaries of wards numbers three, four, and six in the particulars herein described.

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

H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to prohibit the operation of loudspeakers, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said County.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 321, a bill to be entitled An act to postpone revaluation in Vance County for a period of two years.

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

H. B. 322, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the governing body of the Town of Whiteville in Columbus County.

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

H. B. 323, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the fixing of the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Tabor City, and to provide for their election.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 345, a bill to be entitled An act adjusting and fixing the salaries of certain officers of Transylvania County and repealing Chapter 1357, Session Laws of 1955.

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

H. B. 347, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 14-399 of the General Statutes by making the same applicable to Transylvania County.

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

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Person County Criminal Court.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 368, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 778 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to increase the salary of the Recorder of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

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

H. B. 369, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 353 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931 relating to the assistant Judge of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

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 amending Chapter 778 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to increase the salary of the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

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 setting out the schedule of costs in criminal actions in the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

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 amending Chapter 262 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
S. B. 17, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Selma to convey to the Selma American Legion Post No. 141 certain lands located at the corner of Webb and Waddell Streets in the Town of Selma.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

S. B. 62, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County and the Board of Education of said County to convey property to other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 93, a bill to be entitled An act relating to discount and interest rates on taxes in Anson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 72, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Division of General Services, and abolishing the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds and the office of Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds.

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

On motion of Mr. Venters consideration of the remainder of the bills on the Public Calendar is postponed until Wednesday, March 27, 1957.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 10. An Act amending Article 10A, Chapter 153 of the General Statutes, being the County Capital Reserve Act of one thousand nine hundred forty-three, applicable only to Halifax County.

S. B. 40. An Act to amend various sections of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the name of the State Board of Public Welfare.

S. B. 60. An Act to provide for an election to determine whether Sections 160-340 and 160-344 of the General Statutes of North Carolina shall be amended to provide for staggered terms of office for members of the City Council of the City of Gastonia and the matter of fulfilling vacancies thereon.

S. B. 71. An Act to establish a supplementary pension fund for firemen in the City of Albemarle, State of North Carolina.

S. B. 94. An Act relating to the pay of jurors in Anson County.

S. B. 95. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Anson County to adjust all delinquent taxes which have been delinquent for five years or more.
S. B. 101. An Act to amend General Statutes 28-68 relating to the payment to the clerk of money owed to an intestate in Cumberland County.

S. B. 103. An Act providing rules and regulations for municipal elections held in the City of Gastonia.

S. B. 104. An Act to amend Section 83 of the Charter of the City of Raleigh.

S. B. 119. An Act to amend the Charter of the Town of Ramseur.

H. B. 50. An Act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Mount Holly in Gaston County.

H. B. 97. An Act to require the undertakers and/or funeral directors of North Carolina to enter on the back of all death certificates the full names and addresses of all children, dead or living, of the deceased, and the full names and addresses of all brothers and sisters, dead or living, of the deceased.

H. B. 107. An Act to amend Chapter 537 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to a supplementary pension fund for firemen in the City of Gastonia, North Carolina.

H. B. 108. An Act to amend Chapter 946 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to a supplementary pension fund for policemen in the City of Gastonia, North Carolina.

H. B. 146. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-410 so as to permit farmers in Pender County to use firecrackers to protect crops against bird and animal damage.


H. B. 162. An Act to provide that the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County shall determine the fees to be charged by constables in Pitt County.

H. B. 175. An Act to authorize the Town of Morganton to lease certain real property not presently needed for governmental purposes.

H. B. 176. An Act appointing members of the Tax Equalization Board for Madison County and extending the time for the performance of certain duties by said Board until July 1, 1957.

H. B. 183. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Lee County.

H. B. 188. An Act amending General Statutes 163-23 so as to require a new registration of voters in Graham County prior to the 1958 primary election.

H. B. 189. An Act amending Chapter 1050, Session Laws of 1955, by adding Graham to the list of counties in which the Board of Commissioners
is authorized to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations as to the dumping and disposal of trash, garbage and other refuse and wastes in rural areas outside the corporate limits of any municipality.

H. B. 193. An Act to amend Section 27 of the Charter of the City of Raleigh.

H. B. 195. An Act to authorize the City of Raleigh to appoint special officers, with the authority of peace officers, to enforce the ordinances of the City of Raleigh and the laws of the State of North Carolina upon water sheds of its public water supply reservoirs.

H. B. 200. An Act to validate and confirm the sale of certain real estate in the Town of Apex.

H. B. 201. An Act relating to the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County.

H. B. 204. An Act relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Troy.

H. B. 206. An Act relating to the use of funds collected from delinquent taxes in Brunswick County.

H. B. 209. An Act to authorize the Governing Board of the Town of Elkin to regulate the subdivision of the land in and around said Town.

H. B. 210. An Act to amend Part 2 of Article 18 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to the power of municipalities to acquire property by condemnation applicable to the Town of Elkin in Surry County.

H. B. 220. An Act to authorize the County of Mecklenburg to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building or buildings, including parking facilities, in Charlotte.

H. B. 223. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Davie County to adjust all delinquent taxes which have been delinquent for five years or more.

H. B. 422. An Act to give relief to certain homeowners in Craven County.

On motion of Mr. Venters the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

FORTY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, March 27, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Combs the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Woodrow W. Jones, former United States Congressman from the Eleventh Congressional District of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Wicker the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Warren Williams, a former member of the House from Lee County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable W. P. Griffin, a former North Carolina Senator from Franklin County.

On motion of Mr. Talton the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable W. P. Kemp, a former member of the House of Representatives from Wayne County.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 198, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Burke County.

H. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Stanly County.

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the judge and prosecuting attorney of the Person County criminal court.

REPORT 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. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-168 so as to make it mandatory that the Graham County Board of Education employ a special attendance officer and fixing his salary.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-35 relating to the powers and duties of county and city boards of education relative to extra curricular activities.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 59, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 52 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the parking of vehicles on school grounds.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 89, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 2, Chapter 186, Private Laws of 1927, relating to the term of office of the members of the Red Springs City Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 377, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize governmental and political subdivisions within Hoke County to sell and to convey property to other governmental agencies and political subdivisions of the county at private sale.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-120.10 so as to make Article 14A of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes applicable to Hoke County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 379, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-48.5, as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County to fix the salaries of the elective officials in Hoke County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 407, a bill to be entitled An act to remove from the Sheriff of Hoke County the duty of collecting taxes, to provide for the appointment of a Tax Collector for Hoke County and to define his duties.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 418, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 425, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 113, Private Laws of 1903, the same being the Charter of the Town of Brevard, so as to extend the terms of office of the mayor and board of aldermen from two to four years and to fix their compensation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 430, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to allow the Board of Commissioners of Yadkin County to designate temporarily some place other than the County Court House as the place for holding the Superior Courts of said county.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 110, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of mayor and commissioners of the Town of Weldon.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 273, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 908, Session Laws of 1947, relating to the primary and election provisions for the elective officers of the City of Durham by changing the time for filing of candidacy for the officers of mayor and aldermen and by authorizing the use of voting machines.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Powe the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

H. B. 447, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 45 of the Private Laws of 1931, relating to elections in the Town of Chapel Hill.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 11, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-12 and General Statutes 163-20 relating to the compensating of members of county boards of elections, registrars, and judges of elections.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 151-7 relating to the powers and duties of township constables.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the State Highway and Public Works Commission to designate a speed limit maximum up to sixty miles an hour for certain vehicles on certain highways.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4 as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 244, a bill to be entitled An act relating to larceny of goods held for sale.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 275, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the concealment of goods and merchandise in mercantile establishments.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 352, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 1-600 relating to prima facie evidence of proof of publication of notice in newspaper.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 364, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 45-21.42 so as to validate sales made under mortgages and deeds of trust prior to the first day of March, 1957, where there is no order of confirmation or record of same other than recitals in deeds executed pursuant to such sales.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 387, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 838 of the 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina relating to property removed from premises under Order or Judgment in Actions in Ejectment in Guilford County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. White, for the Committee on Employment Security.

H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes so as to permit social security coverage of state employees who are members of the Law Enforcement Officers' Benefit and Retirement Fund.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 265, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord to pay employees' contributions to social security for a six months' period with respect to policemen.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Woodard of Northampton, Vann, Umstead, White, Thompson, Wallace, Buchanan, and Leake.

H. B. 448, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 51-8 and General Statutes 51-17 relating to proof of age of persons for a marriage license.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled An act to create a law enforcement officers' relief fund for the peace officers association of Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

By Messrs. Stone, Gobble, and Womble of Forsyth:
H. B. 450, a bill to be entitled An act relating to meetings of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Forsyth, fixing the compensation of the members thereof, and repealing Chapter 81 of the 1947 Session Laws and Chapter 473 of the 1951 Session Laws pertaining to the same.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth and Gobble:

H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by increasing the limitation of tax for general purposes from one dollar twenty-five cents ($1.25) to one dollar sixty cents ($1.60) on every one hundred dollar ($100.00) valuation of property, and to amend General Statutes 160-402 as it applies to the City of Winston-Salem.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Stone, and Gobble:

H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a seven year statute of limitations for actions by any municipality or county, owning and operating a hospital, for the collection of claims arising out of the operation of such hospital.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 453, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 164-11.1 relating to the supplements to the General Statutes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 454, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Governor and Council of State to furnish Volumes 4A and 4B of the General Statutes of North Carolina to the Justices of the Supreme Court, the Judges and Solicitors of the Superior Courts, the Supreme Court Library, and other state officials and agencies.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Bynum:

H. B. 455, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the hospitalization of indigent patients of Richmond County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 456, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment and compensation of certain officials and employees of Richmond County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,
H. B. 457, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of the Richmond County Jail.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Wall:

H. B. 458, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 342 of the 1949 Session Laws fixing the terms of office of county commissioners of McDowell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 459, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-589 and General Statutes 8-59 so as to provide for the service of subpoenas and summonses for jurors by telegram or certified mail.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Charter of the Town of Cove City in Craven County and to reactivate the municipal government of Cove City.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 461, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the garnishment and attachment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws so as to make them conform to comparable provisions of the Revenue Act.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 462, a bill to be entitled An act amending the County Finance Act to authorize the issuance of bonds by counties for water systems and sanitary sewer systems and fixing the maximum maturities of such bonds, and amending Section 153-9 of the General Statutes to authorize counties to acquire, construct, operate, lease and dispose of water systems and sanitary sewer systems and to contract for the operation and lease of such systems and for a supply of water and the disposal of sewage.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 463, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to increase the salaries of the officers and employees of said county.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Coates and Wallace:
H. B. 464, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt state employees from payment of chauffeur's license fee.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 465, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Department of Motor Vehicles to return certain security deposits filed under the Financial Responsibility Act.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Byrum:

H. B. 466, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of Chowan County to create the separate office of tax collector for said county and to fix the compensation of such tax collector.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 467, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the shooting or taking of migratory waterfowl from any public road or highway in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 468, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 424, Session Laws of 1953, so as to increase the amount of nontax funds that may be appropriated by the Town of Ayden for recreational purposes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Clark:

H. B. 469, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsection 3 of General Statutes 7-29.1 relating to the duties of the administrative assistant to the Chief Justice.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

And,

H. B. 470, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the distribution of Supreme Court reports and Session Laws.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 471, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-74 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes relating to the consolidation of city and county administrative units and the continuance of the tax in the former city administrative unit.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
And,

H. B. 472, a bill to be entitled An act in relation to the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest of bonds of the Town of Lewiston.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

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. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 15, of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of search warrants and to the competence of evidence obtained in making searches.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 186, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Polk County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 171, a bill to be entitled An act to require a permit authorizing construction of buildings and improvements in Brunswick County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Garland in Sampson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Teachey, North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Johnson the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 159, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the Town of Dover to sell the present City Hall and the site or lot on which the said City Hall is now located.

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 provide for additional costs in the Mayor's Court of the Town of Middlesex.

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

H. B. 254, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Recorder and Prosecuting Attorney of the Recorder's Court of the Town of Aberdeen.

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

H. B. 266, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-85 so as to authorize the City of Concord to assess the total costs of concrete curb and gutter improvements against the owners of abutting property.

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 Chapter 407 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Town of Vass.

On motion of Mr. Blue the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 319, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Robbins to lease its community building and the lot upon which it is located.

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

H. B. 273, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 908, Session Laws 1947, relating to the primary and election provisions for the elective officers of the City of Durham by changing the time for filing of candidacy for the offices of mayor and aldermen and by authorizing the use of voting machines.

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

H. B. 375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the expenditure of certain surplus funds of Gaston County for the purpose of constructing the Gaston County Welfare Building.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 406, a bill to be entitled An act to require that building notices as to new construction or improvements in Currituck County be filed with the County Tax Supervisor.

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

H. B. 423, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 259, Private Laws of 1923, relating to the election of commissioners of the Town of Fountain in Pitt County.

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

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

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

H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.3 so as to authorize municipalities to expend Powell Bill funds to provide shelter for municipal street construction, repair and maintenance equipment.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 236, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Article 31 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Seed Law.

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

H. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 77-14 relating to obstructions in creeks, streams, rivers, and farm land drainage ditches.

Messrs. Bost and Johnson offer an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 384, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 14-322 relating to criminal prosecutions for nonsupport of wife and children so as to provide that where a parent has not abandoned his children as now provided in General Statutes 14-322 or is not living with his wife and subject to prosecution under General Statutes 14-325, the wilful failure to support one's children is a misdemeanor whether the parent abandons them or not.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
S. B. 42, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52A of the General Statutes relating to the Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act.

On motion of Mr. White the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 52, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-19 relating to exemptions from jury duty.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 62. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County and the Board of Education of said county to convey property to other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the county.

S. B. 78. An Act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to fees and charges.

S. B. 93. An Act relating to discount and interest rates on taxes in Anson County.


H. B. 22. An Act to amend Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the National Guard and to amend General Statutes 20-80 relating to license plates of the National Guard.

H. B. 141. An Act to appoint certain members of the boards of education of the respective counties of North Carolina and to fix their terms of office.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, March 28, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 77-14 relating to obstructions in creeks, streams, rivers and farmland drainage ditches.

H. B. 318, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 407 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Town of Vass.

REPORT 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. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-67 and General Statutes 14-144 relating to removing the conflict between the statutes as to punishment for the offenses of burning and attempting to burn dwelling houses and certain other buildings.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 269, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 1-182 of the General Statutes providing for instructions to be put in writing and taken to the jury room.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 297, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled An act to validate deeds of conveyance and other instruments executed prior to March 3, 1949 notwithstanding the fact that the instrument was not adjudged correct and ordered registered by the clerk.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 358, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 49-4 of the General Statutes, relating to prosecution of parents for non-support of illegitimate children.
With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 383, a bill to be entitled An act repealing the statutory provisions governing the officers, meetings and internal organization of the State Association of County Commissioners.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 121, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15, Chapter 14 of the General Statutes to provide that the burning of any property of another be a criminal offense.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 15 of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of search warrants and to the competence of evidence obtained in making searches.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act amending Sections 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Wildlife Resources Commission to fix open season on doe deer.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Hargett the bill is placed on the Calendar for Monday, April 1, 1957.

H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Hyde County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said County.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hargett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

The bill is referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 467, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the shooting or taking of migratory waterfowl from any public road or highway in Hyde County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 289, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 94 of the 1951 Session Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina, a special act
authorizing Guilford County to participate in paying the premiums on group life insurance for its employees.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 290, a bill to be entitled An act to permit Guilford County and the City of High Point to determine whether or not there shall be discount for prepayment of taxes in Guilford County and the City of High Point, and if so, the amount of such discount.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 37 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes entitled, the Urban Redevelopment Law.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.

S. B. 14, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the erection of an appropriate memorial upon the lands of the Cliffs of the Neuse State Park honoring the memory of Lionel Weil, who was largely responsible for the establishment of this Park.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of raw sewerage, industrial waste and other noxious and deleterious substances into the waters of Neuse River or its tributaries which shall render said waters harmful to the public health and fish life.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 37, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the presiding judge to enter discretionary orders respecting a driver’s license in lieu of action by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Burke County, North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-26 relating to the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Supreme Court and paid into the Treasury of the State, and to provide for the appointment of deputy clerks of the Supreme Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 328, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-7 relating to the duties of coroners.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the Outer Banks.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent damage or destruction to sand dunes along the Outer Banks of North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 435, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 564 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913, as amended, relating to jury trials in the Recorder's Court of Rutherford County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 139, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 957 of the Session Laws of 1955, fixing the maximum fee allowed expert witnesses in Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 141, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 845 of the Session Laws of 1955, fixing the maximum fee allowed counsel assigned to defend in capital cases in Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 255, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rowan County and the governing bodies of the incorporated cities and towns in said County to pay certain law enforcement officers' social security contributions or taxes resulting from retroactive social security coverage.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Rowan County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 276, a bill to be entitled An act validating sales of land for taxes in the County of Robeson and municipalities therein made during the years of 1955 and 1956 and confirming settlements and adjustments of taxes heretofore made by the governing body of Robeson County and the governing bodies of the municipalities therein.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 277, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 995 of the Session Laws of 1947 regulating professional bondsmen in Robeson County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 299, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 527 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the Chapel Hill Board of Aldermen to exercise building regulation powers in a defined area.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Chapel Hill to establish building setback lines on streets within said Town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to prohibit the operation of loudspeakers, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 339, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the trial justice and the prosecuting attorney for the Rowan County Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 160, Private Laws of 1927, so as to fix the corporate boundaries of the Town of Cleveland in Rowan County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 421, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Commissioners of the Town of Hillsboro to convey certain land within said Town to the Hillsboro Library Association and to the Hillsboro Presbyterian Church.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 428, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 13, Public-Local Laws of 1933, relating to the Law Library in Haywood County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. McCrary the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled An act fixing salaries of officials and employees of Henderson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for enlargement of rural fire protection districts in Orange County upon petition of a majority of property owners.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 108, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Halifax County to raise the salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Sheriff and the Register of Deeds of Halifax County.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 109, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Roanoke Rapids.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 342, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 484, Session Laws of 1949 as amended by Section 1, Chapter 861, Session Laws of 1951 and rewritten by Chapter 869, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the compensation of the Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerical Assistant to the Register of Deeds, the first and second Deputy Sheriffs of Madison County, and to the Janitor of the Court House.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 130, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-278 so as to provide for the postponement of revaluation of property for ad valorem tax purposes in Catawba County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 135, a bill to be entitled An act to annex Little River Township of Hoke County to Moore County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173, relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations, applicable only to Sampson 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:

Mr. Uzzell sends forward the following House Resolution:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SPEAKER TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE 1957 RULES OF THE HOUSE AND MAKE ITS REPORT TO THE 1959 SESSION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

Section 1. The Speaker is authorized to appoint a committee, consisting of five members, to study, regroup, codify without substantive change, and index the 1957 Rules of the House.
Section 2. The committee appointed under Section 1 of this Resolution shall make its report and recommendations to the 1959 Session of the House of Representatives.

Section 3. This Resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the Resolution is adopted and referred to the Committee on Rules.

By Messrs. Wooten and Jones of Pitt:

H. R. 473, a joint resolution commending the coach and swimming team of East Carolina College for winning the National Association of Inter-collegiate Athletics Swimming Championship on Saturday, March 23, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Wooten the rules are suspended and the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Childers:

H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to establish, operate, maintain and regulate off-street parking lots and to provide for the collection of tolls for the use thereof.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Powell:

H. B. 475, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 105 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the withholding of State income tax from wages by employers.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Clark, Kerr, Kiser and Murphy:

H. B. 476, a bill to be entitled An act to transfer certain sanitation functions from the State Department of Agriculture to the State Board of Health, and to clarify requirements and procedures governing inspection of meat and poultry.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. Wilson of Caswell, Powell and Satterfield:

H. B. 477, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 81 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to weights and measures.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Messrs. Hicks, Snepp and Vogler:
H. B. 478, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public-Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said City:

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29, as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, relating to the compensation of the Chairman and the members of the County Board of Education in Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 480, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Person County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 481, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 20-279.2 relating to review of driver license suspensions for failure to deposit security.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Hill, Blue and Powe:

H. B. 482, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the establishment, maintenance and administration of an unsatisfied claim and judgment fund for the payment of damages for injury to or death of certain persons and for damages to property arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of motor vehicles in this State in cases involving uninsured negligent motorists.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Powe and Hill:

H. B. 483, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-19 so as to fix the terms of office of members of the Durham County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Turner and Hunt:

H. B. 484, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 28 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to authorize the allowance of counsel fees to attorneys serving as representatives.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Womble of Wake and Whitley:
H. B. 485, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Judge of the City Court of Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 486, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Mayor and members of the Council of the City of Raleigh.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Fowler:

H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a uniform system for recording maps and plats in Surry County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Surry County and the County Commissioners of Wilkes County to establish and declare the boundary line between Wilkes and Surry Counties.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gavin:

H. B. 489, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 so as to prescribe the punishment for public drunkenness in Randolph County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 490, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name of the draftsman.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-155 and General Statutes 7-164 relating to fees deposited for a jury trial before a justice of the peace.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 492, a bill to be entitled An act to make it a criminal offense for any person who has been convicted of violating the liquor laws from thereafter having any legal right to possess, transport or handle any intoxicating liquor in Randolph County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Snepp, Vogler, Hicks and Clark:

H. B. 493, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 relating to the manner of marking ballots.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Messrs. Clark, Kerr, Kiser and Murphy:

H. B. 494, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, subject to the approval of the Advisory Budget Commission, to set the salaries of certain administrative officers exempt from the State Personnel Act.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 495, a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Luther Seavy Cain for personal injuries sustained in an accident as a result of negligence of an employee of the State Highway and Public Works Commission of September 3, 1955.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Clark, Kerr, Kiser and Murphy:

H. B. 496, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate duplication among, and to improve the effectiveness of, the water resource programs of the State.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

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. 144, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 20-125.1(b) and General Statutes 20-154 relating to directional signals on motor vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 145, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 23, Chapter 1 of the General Statutes to provide that the petitioner in all condemnation proceedings who submits to a voluntary nonsuit or otherwise abandons the proceeding be taxed with a reasonable fee for the respondent's attorney.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 146, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 49-7 to provide for the determination of the issue of paternity in all prosecutions of a man for wilful neglect or refusal to support his illegitimate child, irrespective of dismissal or verdict of not guilty on the issue of wilful neglect or refusal to support said child.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 159, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 8 of the General Statutes, relating to evidence, so as to authorize the admission in evidence of reproductions of records of building and savings and loan associations.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Bowman the House concurs in the Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 153, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Garland in Sampson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Teachey, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 71, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the State Highway and Public Works Commission to designate a speed limit maximum up to sixty miles an hour for certain vehicles on certain highways.

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

H. B. 104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes so as to permit social security coverage of State employees who are members of the Law Enforcement Officers' Benefit and Retirement Fund.

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

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4, as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 186, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-168 so as to make it mandatory that the Graham County Board of Education employ a special attendance officer, and fixing his salary.

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

H. B. 265, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord to pay employees' contributions to social security for a six months' period with respect to policemen.

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 authorize governmental and political subdivisions within Hoke County to sell and to convey property to other governmental agencies and political subdivisions of the county at private sale.

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

H. B. 378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-120.10 so as to make Article 14A of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes applicable to Hoke County.

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 General Statutes 153-48.5, as the same appears in the 1955 cumulative supplement to the General Statutes, so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County to fix the salaries of the elective officials in Hoke County.

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 to amend Chapter 838 of the 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina relating to property removed from premises under order or judgment in Actions in Ejectment in Guilford County.

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

H. B. 407, a bill to be entitled An act to remove from the Sheriff of Hoke County the duty of collecting taxes, to provide for the appointment of a tax collector for Hoke County and to define his duties.

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

H. B. 418, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount.

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

H. B. 425, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 113, Private Laws of 1903, the same being the Charter of the Town of Brevard, so as to extend the terms of office of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen from two to four years and to fix their compensation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 430, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to allow the Board of Commissioners of Yadkin County to designate temporarily some place other than the County Courthouse as the place for holding the Superior Courts of said County.

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

H. B. 447, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 45 of the Private Laws of 1931, relating to elections in the Town of Chapel Hill.

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

S. B. 89, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 2, Chapter 186, Private Laws of 1927, relating to the term of office of the members of the Red Springs City Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 110, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Weldon.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 151.7 relating to the powers and duties of township constables.

On motion of Mr. Venters the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 275, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the concealment of goods and merchandise in mercantile establishments.

On motion of Mr. Thompson committee amendment No. 1 is laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett committee amendment No. 2 is adopted.

Mr. Floyd of Robeson offers an amendment, which is adopted.

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

H. B. 352, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 1-600 relating to prima facie evidence of proof of publication of notice in newspaper.

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

Mr. Speaker Doughton reads the following message to the members of the House and upon motion of Mr. Kerr the same is ordered spread upon the Journal.
Honorable Kemp Doughton  
Speaker of the House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Raleigh, North Carolina  

Dear Mr. Doughton:  

All the family sincerely appreciates the courtesies which you and the entire House showed our son, John, while he was reporting the doings of the Legislature for The Greensboro Record during this Session. We also greatly appreciate the honor paid John by the House in adjourning in his memory on the day of his tragic death. Please convey our thanks to the entire body.

Sincerely yours,  
J. A. McLeod (s)  
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McLeod, Sr.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. 52. An Act to amend General Statutes 9-19 relating to exemptions from jury duty.

H. B. 96. An Act amending General Statutes 20-218 so as to provide for school activity buses a speed limit of forty-five miles per hour.


H. B. 278. An Act to amend General Statutes 1-593 relating to the computation of time within which legal actions may be done or taken.

H. B. 282. An Act to amend General Statutes 1-130 as to appeals to conform the Statute with the rules of the Supreme Court.

H. B. 319. An Act to authorize the Town of Robbins to lease its community building and the lot upon which it is located.

H. B. 333. An Act appointing certain members of the McDowell County Board of Education, amending General Statutes 115-18 so as to fix the membership of said Board and the terms of office of its members.

H. B. 344. An Act relating to the punishment for public drunkenness in Rockingham County.

H. B. 346. An Act repealing Chapter 1191, Session Laws of 1951, requiring the semi-annual publication of financial statements by certain county boards in Transylvania County.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Wooten, Catherine Harris of Pitt County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Caswell, Roma Jean Walker of Jackson County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton, Phillip W. Little of Norfolk, Virginia, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Linda Kay Parrish and Michael Parrish of Forsyth County are made honorary page and page, respectively, of the House.

Mr. Carpenter announces to the House the death of the Honorable Theodore S. Cummings, a former member of the House of Representatives from Catawba County, and moves that when the House adjourn that it do so in honor of the memory of Mr. Cummings.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Robert Douglas, Timothy Glyn and Charles Robert Poteet and Karen Jane Woodard and Jane Madison Medcalf, all of Jackson County, are made honorary pages and pagettes, respectively, of the House.

On motion of Mr. Turner S. B. 186 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Polk County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957", is taken from the Committee on Local Government and placed on today's Calendar.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4, as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

H. B. 275, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the concealment of goods and merchandise in mercantile establishments.
H. B. 309, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Teachey, North Carolina.

REPORT 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. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 177 of the Private Laws of 1937 relating to the opening and closing of polls for primary and general elections in the Town of Bridgeton.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 119, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a law library in Burke County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled An act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian reservations in Jackson County to list and pay personal property taxes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-9 so as to include Chowan County with the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the levy of a special tax in Tyrell County with respect to the Veterans Service Officer, the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent and the Home Demonstration Agent.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 431, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the street and sidewalk assessments heretofore levied by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Selma.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by increasing the limitation of tax for general purposes from one dollar twenty-five cents ($1.25) to one dollar sixty cents ($1.60) on every one hundred dollar ($100.00) valuation of property, and to amend General Statutes 160-402 as it applies to the City of Winston-Salem.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 462, a bill to be entitled An act amending the County Finance Act to authorize the issuance of bonds by counties for water systems and sanitary sewer systems and fixing the maximum maturities of such bonds, and amending Section 153-9 of the General Statutes to authorize counties to acquire, construct, operate, lease and dispose of water systems and sanitary sewer systems and to contract for the operation and lease of such systems and for a supply of water and the disposal of sewage.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 472, a bill to be entitled An act in relation to the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest of bonds of the Town of Lewiston.

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 Pasquotank:

H. B. 497, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Sections 5, 6, 9, 10, 19 and 26 of Chapter 1062 of the 1953 Session Laws relating to elections, salaries of various offices of the City of Elizabeth City and qualifications for officers of Fire Commissioners.

On motion of Mr. Williams the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on its immediate passage.

Passes first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 498, a bill to be entitled An act relating to obligations of agencies supervised by the Farm Credit Administration as securities for deposits of public funds.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 499, a bill to be entitled An act relating to investments in obligations of agencies supervised by the Farm Credit Administration.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Buchanan, Lloyd, Martin, Wilson of Caswell, Ross, Eggers, Arledge, Leake, Houk, Gaither and McCrary:

H. B. 500, a bill to be entitled An act to make an appropriation to Western Carolina College for the purpose of constructing and equipping an administration building for said College.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.


H. B. 501, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of Revenue Bonds by the Board of Trustees of Western Carolina College to pay the cost of acquiring, constructing, enlarging or improving dormitories at said Institution; providing for the issuance of Revenue Refunding Bonds; and providing for the imposition of increased rental for such facilities and for similar facilities and for pledging such increased rentals to the payment of such bonds.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Jordan:

H. B. 502, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 6, Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to registration of voters.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Messrs. Dill, Valentine, Zollicoffer and Hill:

H. B. 503, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to the sale of obscene literature to minors.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to the sale or delivery of obscene literature.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Valentine and Dill:

H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Hicks and White:
H. B. 506, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-133 relating to the duty of Boards of Education to promulgate rules and regulations governing the use of school buildings.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Powe, Womble of Forsyth, Harris of Wake and Snepp:

H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws, being the Business Corporation Act, so as to clarify the status of corporations having less than three shareholders.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 508, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-135 relating to the letting of public contracts in Franklin County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 509, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-29 and fixing the compensation of members of the Franklin County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 510, a bill to be entitled An act amending a part of Section 12 and Section 23 of the Charter of the City of Lexington, as amended by Chapter 5 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 511, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 26 of the Private Laws of 1935, as amended by Chapter 700 of the Session Laws of 1943, and as amended by Chapter 56 of the Session Laws of 1949, relating to appointment of members of the Board of Education of the Lexington City School Administrative Unit.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Etheridge:

H. B. 512, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-218, relating to school activity bus drivers.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Henley:

H. B. 513, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 90-65 relating to the power of the Board of Pharmacy to suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew a pharmacist's license or a drugstore permit.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Thomas of Stanly:

H. B. 514, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Stanly County to prohibit the operation of loudspeakers, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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. 54, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a guardian for incompetent persons with limited income and property.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 136, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe additional costs to be charged in the Mayor's Court in the Town of Clinton, Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 140, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 252 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935, so as to divest the County Recorder's Court of Bladen County of jurisdiction over divorce actions.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 153, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the procedure for execution on forfeited recognizances.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 173, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 963 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the appointment of the Recorder of the Recorder's Court of Dallas in Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the Committee amendment is adopted. The amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 160, Private Laws of 1927, so as to fix the corporate boundaries of the Town of Cleveland in Rowan County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for enlargement of rural fire protection districts in Orange County upon petition of a majority of property owners.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Burke County, North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Simpson the Committee amendments are adopted.

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

H. B. 255, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rowan County and the governing bodies of the incorporated
cities and towns in said County to pay certain law enforcement officers' social security contributions or taxes resulting from retroactive social security coverage.

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

H. B. 260, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Rowan County.

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

H. B. 276, a bill to be entitled An act validating sales of land for taxes in the County of Robeson and municipalities therein made during the years of 1955 and 1956 and confirming settlements and adjustments of taxes heretofore made by the governing body of Robeson County and the governing bodies of the municipalities therein.

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 to amend Chapter 395 of the Session Laws of 1947 regulating professional bondsmen in Robeson County.

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 repeal Chapter 94 of the 1951 Session Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina, a special act authorizing Guilford County to participate in paying the premiums on group life insurance for its employees.

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 permit Guilford County and the City of High Point to determine whether or not there shall be discount for prepayment of taxes in Guilford County and the City of High Point and if so the amount of such discount.

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 amending Chapter 527 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the Chapel Hill Board of Aldermen to exercise building regulation powers in a defined area.

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

H. B. 300, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Chapel Hill to establish building setback lines on streets within said Town.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to prohibit the operation of loudspeakers, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said County.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 339, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the Trial Justice and the Prosecuting Attorney for the Rowan County Court.

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 rewriting Section 1, Chapter 484, Session Laws of 1949 as amended by Section 1, Chapter 861, Session Laws of 1951 and rewritten by Chapter 869, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the compensation of the deputy clerk of the Superior Court, the clerical assistant to the Register of Deeds, the first and second deputy sheriffs of Madison County, and to the janitor of the Court House.

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

H. B. 421, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Commissioners of the Town of Hillsboro to convey certain land within said Town to the Hillsboro Library Association and to the Hillsboro Presbyterian Church.

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

H. B. 435, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 564 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 as amended relating to jury trials in the Recorder's Court of Rutherford County.

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

H. B. 443, a bill to be entitled An act fixing salaries of officials and employees of Henderson County.

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

H. B. 467, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the shooting or taking of migratory waterfowl from any public road or highway in Hyde County.

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

S. B. 108, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Halifax County to raise the salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Sheriff and the Register of Deeds of Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 109, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Roanoke Rapids.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 130, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-278 so as to provide for the postponement of revaluation of property for ad valorem tax purposes in Catawba County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173, relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations, applicable only to Sampson County.

On motion of Mr. Vann the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 139, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 957 of the Session Laws of 1955, fixing the maximum fee allowed expert witnesses in Bladen County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 141, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 845 of the Session Laws of 1955, fixing the maximum fee allowed counsel assigned to defend in capital cases in Bladen County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 186, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Polk County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake consideration of all the bills on the Public Calendar is postponed until Monday, April 1, 1957.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. 89. An Act rewriting Section 2, Chapter 186, Private Laws of 1927 relating to the term of office of the members of the Red Springs City Board of Education.

S. B. 110. An Act relating to the election of Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Weldon.

H. B. 79. An Act giving police officers of the Town of Winterville authority to make arrests and to serve all processes of the courts within an area of two miles outside the corporate limits; and fixing the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of said Town.
H. B. 178. An Act authorizing the Board of Education of the Southern Pines City Administrative School Unit to grant to the State Highway and Public Works Commission on an easement for the relocation of United States Highway 1.

H. B. 207. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

H. B. 235. An Act to amend General Statutes 9-25 so as to provide for the selection of grand juries in Pender County.

H. B. 425. An Act amending Chapter 113, Private Laws of 1903, the same being the Charter of the Town of Brevard, so as to extend the terms of office of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen from two to four years and to fix their compensation.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake and pursuant to motion heretofore made, the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the late Honorable Theodore S. Cummings and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M. at which time only local legislation will be considered.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, March 30, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Burleson reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Parker the House adjourns and will meet Monday Night at 8 o'clock P. M.

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday Night, April 1, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.
On motion of Mr. Powell the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Clarence Stone of Rockingham County, a former member of the House of Representatives and North Carolina Senate.

On motion of Mr. McKnight the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable C. C. Johnson of Iredell County, a former member of the House.

On motion of Mr. Gavin, James Kimrey Gurley of Guilford County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston, Winston Montague of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Hill, Betsy Frances Swain and William Michael Swain of Durham County are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 199, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Burke County, North Carolina.

H. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to prohibit the operation of loud-speakers, amplifying, or public address systems in certain areas in said county.

REPORT 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. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of St. Pauls, North Carolina.

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. Gaither:

H. B. 515, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Transylvania County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 516, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Justices of the Peace of Transylvania County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Lloyd:

H. B. 517, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the County of Graham to expend certain surplus Debt Service Funds for the erection of a building to be used as a Public Health Center.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston:

H. B. 518, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Crawford of Swain:

H. B. 519, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the fees of the Jailer of Swain County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Askew:

H. B. 520, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 2-26 and fixing the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gates County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 521, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 so as to fix certain fees to be charged by the Sheriff's office of Gates County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 522, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain county officials and employees of Northampton County and to remove the restrictions on the salaries of certain employees of Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Thomas of Stanly:

H. B. 523, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of Stanly County the question of whether members of the Board of Education of
Stanly County shall be elected by the people or whether they shall be appointed by the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Etheridge:

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 279 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of school bonds so as to provide for the extension and enlargement of the boundaries of such school districts and to provide for the issuance of additional school bonds, and validating the creation of school districts under said Chapter 279.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Ferebee:

H. B. 525, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Cherokee County to extend the time for* listing property for taxation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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. 44, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for more efficient and economical procedures for the acquisition, management, and disposition of real property by the state and by the agencies and institutions of the State.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

S. B. 91, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Stokes County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 100, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Lee County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 147, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 33 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the rabies law in Edgecombe County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 148, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Conetoe in Edgecombe County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 149, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 169 of the Private Laws of 1923 relating to the officers of the Town of Speed in Edgecombe County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 152, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 246 of the Session Laws of 1945 relating to the compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 154, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Albemarle.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. R. 156, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to pass an act to provide for the labeling of cigarettes and other tobacco products which contain homogenized, reconstituted, or synthetic tobacco.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 166, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 716 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 167, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 161 of the Private Laws of 1911 relating to the Charter of the Town of Wagram in Scotland County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 169, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 1175, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the compensating of members of the Polk County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 170, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 362, Session Laws of 1947, so as to require the Town of Columbus to pay to Polk County the same jail and turnkey fees as are required to be paid by the towns of Tryon and Saluda.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 171, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Wilson County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 172, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the name of the Town of Cherryville in Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 177, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-390 relating to clerks of court, term of office, fees, bond, sheriff (relating only to Burke County).
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 178, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize governmental agencies within Robeson County to sell and to convey property to other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the county at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 130-159 relating to the construction and maintenance of sanitary privies in Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 185, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of the Town of Valdese the question of whether town commissioners shall be elected by the voters of the ward which the commissioner is to serve or by the people of the town at large, and to amend Chapter 181 of the Session Laws of 1947.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

S. B. 187, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners and the chairman and members of the Board of Education of Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 168, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the salary of the Commissioners and Chief Deputy Sheriff of Wilkes County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston 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. 119, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a law library in Burke County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Brit, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-9 so as to include Chowan County within the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake,
Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin, and Zollicoffer—97.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the levy of a special tax in Tyrrel County with respect to the Veterans' Service Officer, the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent, and the Home Demonstration Agent.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by increasing the limitation of tax for general purposes from one dollar twenty-five cents ($1.25) to one dollar sixty cents ($1.60) on every one hundred dollar ($100.00) valuation of property, and to amend General Statutes 160-402 as it applies to the City of Winston-Salem.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Fowler, Gaither, Gavín, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpot, Pittman, Poe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake,
Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin, and Zollicoffer—97.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 462, a bill to be entitled An act amending the County Finance Act to authorize the issuance of bonds by counties for water systems and sanitary sewer systems and fixing the maximum maturities of such bonds, and amending Section 153-9 of the General Statutes to authorize counties to acquire, construct, operate, lease and dispose of water systems and sanitary sewer systems and to contract for the operation and lease of such systems and for a supply of water and the disposal of sewage.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 398, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 160, Private Laws of 1927, so as to fix the corporate boundaries of the Town of Cleveland in Rowan County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O’Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake,
Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin, and Zollicoffer—97.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 446, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for enlargement of rural fire protection districts in Orange County upon petition of a majority of property owners.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 226, a bill to be entitled An act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian reservations in Jackson County to list and pay personal property taxes.

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

H. B. 431, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the street and sidewalk assessments heretofore levied by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Selma.

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

H. B. 442, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 177 of the Private Laws of 1937 relating to the opening and closing of polls for primary and general elections in the Town of Bridgeton.

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

S. B. 135, a bill to be entitled An act to annex Little River Township of Hoke County to Moore County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Wildlife Resources Commission to fix open season on doe deer.

On motion of Mr. Hargett consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, April 3, 1957.

H. B. 37, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the presiding judge to enter discretionary orders respecting a driver's license in lieu of action by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 2, 1957.

H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-26 relating to the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Supreme Court and paid into the Treasury of the State, and to provide for the appointment of deputy clerks of the Supreme Court.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, April 3, 1957.

H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-67 and General Statutes 14-144 relating to removing the conflict between the statutes as to punishment for the offenses of burning and attempting to burn dwelling houses and certain other buildings.

On motion of Mr. Bost consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 2, 1957.

H. B. 328, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-7 relating to the duties of coroners.

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

H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the outer banks.
On motion of Mr. Ross consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 2, 1957.

H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled An act to validate deeds of conveyance and other instruments executed prior to March 3, 1949, notwithstanding the fact that the instrument was not adjudged correct and ordered registered by the clerk.

Mr. Kerr offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 364, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 45-21.42 so as to validate sales made under mortgages and deeds of trust prior to the first day of March, 1957, where there is no order of confirmation or record of same other than recitals in deeds executed pursuant to such sales.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 366, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-35 relating to the powers and duties of county and city boards of education relative to extra curricular activities.

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 repealing the statutory provisions governing the officers, meetings, and internal organization of the State Association of County Commissioners.

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

H. B. 427, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 28-39.1 so as to validate conveyances by foreign executors made prior to January 1, 1957.

Messrs. Jordan and Craig offer an amendment which is adopted.

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

S. B. 11, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-12 and General Statutes 163-20 relating to the compensating of members of county boards of elections, registrars, and judges of elections.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 14, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the erection of an appropriate memorial upon the lands of the Cliffs of the Neuse State Park honoring the memory of Lionel Weil who was largely responsible for the establishment of this park.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 59, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 52 of Chapter 14 of General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the parking of vehicles on school grounds.

Mr. Wicker offers an amendment.

Mr. Falls moves that consideration of the bill be postponed until Thursday, April 4, 1957.

Mr. Venters moves that the bill and amendment be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1, the motion prevails.

S. B. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 15, of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of search warrants and to the competence of evidence obtained in making searches.

On motion of Mr. Bost consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 2, 1957.

S. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act amending Sections 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving.

On motion of Mr. Bost the bill is recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the late Edward H. Malone, a former member of the House of Representatives, and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

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FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, April 2, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Frank Brown, a former member of the House from Jackson County.

On motion of Mr. McKnight, Patricia Barber of Iredell County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.
ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found correct, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 427, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 28-39.1 so as to validate conveyances by foreign executors made prior to January 1, 1957.

H. B. 354, a bill to be entitled An act to validate deeds of conveyance and other instruments executed prior to March 3, 1949 notwithstanding the fact that the instrument was not adjudged correct and ordered registered by the clerk.

H. B. 364, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 45-21.42 so as to validate sales made under mortgages and deeds of trust prior to the first day of March, 1957, where there is no order of confirmation or record of same other than recitals in deeds executed pursuant to such sales.

REPORT 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. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-95 and General Statutes 113-144 relating to hunting and fishing license fees.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Hargett the bill is recommitted to Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 526, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 44-52 relating to agricultural liens so as to require the lienholder to notify the landlord of the existence of such lien.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Everette:

H. B. 527, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
By Mr. Jones of Ashe:

H. B. 528, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Jefferson in Ashe County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Parker:

H. B. 529, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Hertford County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 16, Private Laws of 1937, so as to change the membership of the Executive Board of the Peace Officers' Relief Association for Hertford County and to authorize the expenditure of $3500.00 for the construction of a building to be used as a meeting place for the Association.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 532, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 452 of the Private Laws of 1913, the Charter of the Town of Sharpsburg, so as to increase the number of town commissioners from three to five, and to provide for the filing of notices of candidacy and payment of filing fees by candidates.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Yarborough of Cumberland and Henley:

H. B. 533, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Public Works Commission of the City of Fayetteville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Etheridge:

H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 45-37 relating to cancellation of instruments in the office of the Register of Deeds of Dare County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,
H. B. 535, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Dare County. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. B. 63, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the rules of the road provisions of the Motor Vehicle Law.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 88, a bill to be entitled An act repealing the proviso appearing at the end of the first paragraph of General Statutes 115-120, relating to the calling of elections to consolidate a part of a county school district with an adjoining city administration unit.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 183, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the service of warrants in criminal actions.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 184, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina Section 106-550 so as to provide for promotion of the use and sale of cotton.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 203, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Halifax County Board of Education to convey title to certain school property located within the Weldon City Administrative School Unit to the Weldon City Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of St. Pauls, North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Reynolds the committee amendments are adopted. The amendments being material constitute the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 472, a bill to be entitled An act in relation to the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest of bonds of the Town of Lewiston.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 119, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a law library in Burke County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.
Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 374, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-9 so as to include Chowan County with the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 376, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the levy of a special tax in Tyrrell County with respect to the Veterans Service Officer, the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent and the Home Demonstration Agent.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by increasing the limitation of tax for general purposes from one dollar twenty-five cents ($1.25) to one dollar sixty cents ($1.60) on every one hundred dollar ($100.00) valuation of property, and to amend General Statutes 160-402 as it applies to the City of Winston-Salem.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Love, Martin, McCravy, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Wilson of Union, Womble
of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Woolen, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—112.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 462, a bill to be entitled An act amending the County Finance Act to authorize the issuance of bonds by counties for water systems and sanitary sewer systems and fixing the maximum maturities of such bonds, and amending Section 153-9 of the General Statutes to authorize counties to acquire, construct, operate, lease and dispose of water systems and sanitary sewer systems and to contract for the operation and lease of such systems and for a supply of water and the disposal of sewage.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Bost, Harris of Wake, Hill, Holmes, Kiser, Ross, Snepp, Speight, Taylor, Womble of Wake, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—12.

S. B. 135, a bill to be entitled An act to annex Little River Township of Hoke County to Moore County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Love, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly,
Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 37, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the presiding judge to enter discretionary orders respecting a driver's license in lieu of action by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Holmes moves that the bill do lie upon the table. The motion prevails.

H. B. 268, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-67 and General Statutes 14-144 relating to removing the conflict between the Statutes as to punishment for the offenses of burning and attempting to burn dwelling houses and certain other buildings.

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 amend Article 37 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes entitled the Urban Redevelopment Law.

Mr. Craig offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Turner calls the previous question. The call sustains.

Mr. Gobble calls for the "Ayes" and "Noes" on the passage of the bill, which fails to sustain.

The bill passes its second reading, as amended.

Mr. Gobble objects to the third reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its third reading, as amended.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 473. A Joint Resolution commending the Coach and Swimming Team of East Carolina College for winning the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Swimming Championship on Saturday, March 23, 1957.

S. B. 108. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Halifax County to raise the salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Sheriff and the Register of Deeds of Halifax County.

S. B. 109. An Act relating to the election of the Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Roanoke Rapids.
S. B. 130. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-278 so as to provide for the postponement of revaluation of property for ad valorem tax purposes in Catawba County.

S. B. 139. An Act to repeal Chapter 957 of the Session Laws of 1955, fixing the maximum fee allowed expert witnesses in Bladen County.

S. B. 141. An Act to repeal Chapter 845 of the Session Laws of 1955, fixing the maximum fee allowed counsel assigned to defend in capital cases in Bladen County.

S. B. 186. An Act to extend the time for the Polk County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

H. B. 78. An Act adding Duplin to the list of counties to which Article 35A, Chapter 105 of the General Statutes, relating to the listing of automobiles for taxes is applicable.

H. B. 152. An Act amending General Statutes 160-25 so as to provide that police officers of the Town of Burnsville need not necessarily be qualified voters therein.

H. B. 191. An Act to authorize the Sheriff of Pender County to appoint two additional deputy sheriffs.

H. B. 205. An Act relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead.

H. B. 237. An Act authorizing the City of Gastonia, North Carolina, in the discretion of its City Council, to sell and convey realty of the City of Gastonia to the Young Men's Christian Association of Gastonia, North Carolina.

H. B. 240. An Act to amend Chapter 1227 of the Session Laws of 1953, authorizing the County Commissioners of each county to fix the compensation of county officials and employees, so as to make said Act applicable to Columbus County.

H. B. 249. An Act relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortune telling and clairvoyance in Chatham County.

H. B. 274. An Act to amend Chapter 262, Session Laws 1945, being a portion of the Charter of the City of Durham, by amending the description of the boundaries of wards numbers three, four and six in the particulars herein described.

H. B. 279. An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the Private Laws of North Carolina of 1929 to include the City of Winston-Salem in said Act.

H. B. 295. An Act to amend Chapter 114 of the Session Laws of 1951 pertaining to the salary of the County Commissioners of Duplin County, and providing another fee deputy sheriff.

H. B. 321. An Act to postpone revaluation in Vance County for a period of two years.

H. B. 322. An Act relating to the election of the governing body of the Town of Whiteville in Columbus County.

H. B. 332. An Act relating to the salary of certain officials of Beaufort County.

H. B. 345. An Act adjusting and fixing the salaries of certain officers of Transylvania County and repealing Chapter 1357, Session Laws of 1955.

H. B. 347. An Act to amend Section 14-399 of the General Statutes by making the same applicable to Transylvania County.

H. B. 351. An Act to amend Chapter 12 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salary of the County Accountant of Franklin County.

H. B. 359. An Act to fix the fees for the probate and recording of statutory chattel mortgages in Pender County.

H. B. 368. An Act amending Chapter 778 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to increase the salary of the Recorder of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

H. B. 370. An Act amending Chapter 778 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to increase the salary of the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

H. B. 497. An Act to amend Sections 5, 6, 9, 10, 19 and 26 of Chapter 1062 of the 1953 Session Laws relating to elections, salaries of various officers of the City of Elizabeth City and qualifications for officers of Fire Commissioners.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock Noon.

FORTY-NINTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, April 3, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Philpott H. B. 124 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-34 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission” is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.
On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Terril Jean and Joan Elizabeth Sanford of Jackson County, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sanford, are made honorary pagettes of the House.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Cornelia Lea Bowman, daughter of Representative and Mrs. James C. Bowman of Brunswick County, is made an honorary pagette of the House.

On motion of Mr. Speaker Doughton, George Lawrence, William Rodman Lawrence and Edward Lawrence of Beaufort County, grandsons of Judge and Mrs. William B. Rodman of Wake County, are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Blue the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Wilbur Currie, former member of the House from Moore County.

On motion of Mr. Umstead the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable L. B. Prince, former member of the Senate from Henderson County.

Mr. Jordan is granted a leave of absence for Thursday, April 4 and Friday, April 5, 1957.

Mr. Long is granted a leave of absence for Monday Night, April 1 through Friday, April 5, 1957.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

REPORT 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. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29, as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, relating to the compensation of the chairman and the members of the County Board of Education in Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 483, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-19 so as to fix the terms of office of members of the Durham County Board of Education.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 511, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 26 of the Private Laws of 1935, as amended by Chapter 700 of the Session Laws of 1943, and as amended by Chapter 56 of the Session Laws of 1949, relating to appointment of members of the Board of Education of the Lexington City School Administrative Unit.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 7, Chapter 17 of the General Statutes relating to habeas corpus for custody of children to provide an additional use of habeas corpus in the discretion of the judge for determining the custody of minor children and to authorize the award of custody to such person, organization, agency or institution as will, in the court's opinion, best promote the welfare of such children, the present provisions as to habeas corpus now contained in the statute to remain unchanged.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 281, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 12, Chapter 8 of the General Statutes so as to permit the jury during deliberations in civil cases only to have for inspection exhibits admitted in evidence during the course of the trial.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to the filing and registration of notice of assignment of accounts receivable.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 363, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Subsection 3 of General Statutes 6-18 to clarify its provisions as to awarding costs as of course to the plaintiff.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 380, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 147-58, relating to the duty of the State Auditor to charge and collect the cost of making audits of certain agencies.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 396, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 41 of the General Statutes to provide for trying title of land claimed by the State and other parties.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 417, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 111-14 relating to aid to the needy blind.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 92, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-239 relating to entry of payment or satisfaction on the judgment docket.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 178, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize governmental agencies within Robeson County to sell and to convey property to other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the county at private sale.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 169, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 1175, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the compensating of members of the Polk County Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 187, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners and the chairman and members of the Board of Education of Wayne County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 367, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Register of Deeds of Currituck County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 401, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Granville County to fix the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 665, Session Laws of 1949 relating to the compensation of the Judge and Solicitor of the Gates County Recorder's Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 463, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to increase the salaries of the officers and employees of said County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 485, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the judge of the City Court of Raleigh.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 486, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Mayor and members of the Council of the City of Raleigh.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 516, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the justices of the peace of Transylvania County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 519, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the fees of the Jailer of Swain County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 520, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 2-26 and fixing the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gates County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 521, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 so as to fix certain fees to be charged by the Sheriff's office of Gates County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 152, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 246 of the Session Laws of 1945 relating to the compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Rockingham County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 154, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Albemarle.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 13 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to giving of notice for hearings before the Insurance Commissioner.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Vann, for the Committee on Commercial Fisheries and Oyster Industry.

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taking of catfish by the use of electrical devices in the commercial fishing waters of the Cape Fear River.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

S. B. 39, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Department of Administration.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Prison Department; to transfer control of the State Prison System from the State
Highway and Public Works Commission to the State Prison Department; and to prescribe its powers and duties.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Craig, Buchanan, Wall, Crawford of Buncombe, McCrary and Jordan:

H. R. 536, a joint resolution memorializing the Secretary of the Interior to issue a directive terminating plans for expansion of certain facilities on the Blue Ridge Parkway, and petitioning the members of the North Carolina Congressional delegation to assist in securing such directive.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Messrs. Whitley, Powell and Craig:

H. R. 537, a joint resolution providing an appropriation to cover the expenses incident to the inaugural ceremonies of Governor Luther H. Hodges and other state officials.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. Venters, Quinn, Holmes, Gobble and Snepp:

H. R. 538, a joint resolution requesting the Federal Government to refrain from enacting new grant aid programs and to re-examine all such existing programs.

On motion of Mr. Venters the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Stone, Hunt, Venters, McKnight and Harris of Wake:

H. R. 539, a joint resolution expressing appreciation to Honorable Addison Hewlett, Jr., Representative from New Hanover County, and to the city officials of the City of Wilmington and the county officials of the County of New Hanover for the hospitality shown to members of the General Assembly during the Azalea Festival.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.
Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. R. 540, a joint resolution of respect to the memory of the late Tweed Astland Grantham, former member of the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Harris of Wake:

H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the municipal privilege license tax on security dealers.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Thompson and Dill:

H. B. 542, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 50-12 relating to the resumption by a divorced woman of her maiden name or the name of a prior deceased husband.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. 543, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 1-98.2 by adding a new subsection to provide for the service of summons by publication in those cases in which the defendant, a resident of this state, has departed therefrom or keeps himself concealed therein with intent to defraud his creditors or to avoid the service of summons.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Eggers, by request:

H. B. 544, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Boone to purchase thirty-five acres of land for the purpose of insuring a permanent home for the drama "Horn in the West", and for other park and recreational purposes, and to execute a deed of trust to secure a balance of the purchase price of said property.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Hicks, Snepp and Vogler:

H. B. 545, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 relating to boxing exhibitions in the City of Charlotte.
Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 546, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 141, ratified March 27, 1957, relating to the appointment of members of the boards of education of respective counties of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Columbus the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Holmes, Uzzell and Harris of Rowan:

H. B. 547, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the mechanical inspection of motor vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Brock:

H. B. 548, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the compensation of various county officers of Davie County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 549, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 as it appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Bertie County to fix fees charged by county officers.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 550, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-48.5 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes so as to make the provisions of Article 6A, Chapter 153 of the General Statutes, applicable to Bertie County and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said county to fix the compensation of all elective and appointive county officials and employees.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing counties to pay reasonable fees for counsel employed to defend election officials.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
By Messrs. Kemp, Hunt, Shreve and Turner:

H. B. 552, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 496 of the Session Laws of 1955 establishing a pension fund for the retirement and disability of members of the Police Department of the City of High Point.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1182 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salary of the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission of the City of High Point.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled An act to amend S. B. 6, ratified 14 February 1957, relating to the clerk and assistant clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of High Point.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1067 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to selection of the governing body of the Town of Long Beach in Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 556, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kure Beach, New Hanover County, to levy a tax for the purpose of encouraging the location of business, and for advertising the recreational advantages and resources of said town.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hardy:

H. B. 557, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Snow Hill and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Snow Hill for a distance of one mile in all directions.

On motion of Mr. Hardy the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Whitehurst:
H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-128, relating to the depositing of trash near highways.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Messrs. Etheridge, Coates and O'Neal:

H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 relating to the pensions of certain public school teachers.

Referred to Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 560, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Rowan County to regulate the parking of vehicles on the court house grounds of said County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 561, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Register of Deeds of Rowan County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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. 190, a bill to be entitled An act to require that courses in State and National Government be taught in the public schools of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. R. 258, a joint resolution fixing the time and place for a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives for the approval of the appointments to the State Board of Education.

On motion of Mr. Kiser the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
April 3, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. 124 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission" for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk
On motion of Mr. Philpott the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the vote by which the bill passed its second reading is reconsidered.

The bill is placed on the Calendar.

**CALENDAR**

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

H. B. 472, a bill to be entitled An act in relation to the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest of bonds of the Town of Lewiston.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of St. Pauls, North Carolina.

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

H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 37 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes entitled the Urban Redevelopment Law.

Mr. Gobble sends forward an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. Kerr sends forward an amendment which fails of adoption.

Passes its third reading, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Wildlife Resources Commission to fix open season on doe deer.

The committee amendments are adopted.

Mr. Murphy sends forward an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Uzzell sends forward an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. White sends forward an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Wall sends forward an amendment which fails of adoption.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 382. A Joint Resolution citing the centennial observance of the organized teaching profession in North Carolina.

S. B. 14. An Act to authorize the erection of an appropriate memorial upon the lands of the Cliffs of the Neuse State Park honoring the memory of Lionel Weil who was largely responsible for the establishment of this Park.


H. B. 20. An Act amending General Statutes 115-35(4) so as to make it mandatory that the Person County Board of Education make rules and regulations as to extra curricular activities in the public schools under its supervision.

H. B. 102. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County, in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Henderson County Public Library.

H. B. 112. An Act to amend Chapter 641 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Charter of the City of Monroe and to extend the corporation limits of said city.

H. B. 129. An Act to provide for the listing of dogs and a kennel tax in Wayne County.

H. B. 168. An Act to establish the salary of the Commissioners and Chief Deputy Sheriff of Wilkes County.

H. B. 174. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Gates County to make appropriations to any organized fire department in said county and to levy taxes for the payment of the same.

H. B. 219. An Act to authorize the County of Mecklenburg to construct and equip a new county building or buildings in Charlotte, including parking facilities, to issue bonds therefor, and to acquire land for such purpose.

H. B. 227. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County to lease office space for use by local agencies of the United States Department of Agriculture, and to levy a special tax for the purpose of paying the rent on said office space.

H. B. 238. An Act amending Section 2, Chapter 717, Session Laws of 1953, as amended by Chapter 413, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the composition of the Whiteville City Board of Education.

H. B. 242. An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Hyde County to levy a special tax for the enlarging of the Hyde County Courthouse.

H. B. 273. An Act to amend Chapter 908, Session Laws, 1947, relating to the primary and election provisions for the elective officers of the City of Durham, by changing the time for filing of candidacy for the offices of Mayor and Aldermen and by authorizing the use of voting machines.

H. B. 298. An Act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real and personal property in Union County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the levy of a special tax to pay the expenses thereof.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the House adjourns in respect to the memory of the late T. A. Grantham of Craven County and will meet tomorrow at 11:45 A. M.

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FIFTIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, April 4, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable M. W. Nash, a former member of the House from Richmond County.

On motion of Mr. Turner the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable E. B. Jeffreys, a former member of the House from Guilford County.
SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
April 4, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to Joint Resolution 258 entitled "A Joint Resolution fixing the time and place for a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives for the approval of the appointments to the State Board of Education" the Senate stands ready to repair to the Hall of the House, there to sit in Joint Session with your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

JOINT SESSION

Pursuant to J. R. 258, and exchange of messages between the House and Senate, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House announces the approach of the Senate, and that Body, preceded by its officers, come into the Hall of the House and are assigned seats, Lieutenant Governor Barnhardt at the right of Mr. Speaker Doughton.

The President of the Senate calls the Joint Assembly to order and states its purpose is to confirm the nominees of His Excellency, Governor Luther H. Hodges, for appointment to the State Board of Education.

The Reading Clerk of the House reads the message from the Governor, transmitting the appointments, as follows:

April 2, 1957

Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, and
Members of the Joint Session of the
General Assembly of North Carolina:

I have the honor to transmit herewith a list of appointments to the State Board of Education, which under Article IX, Section 8, of the Constitution must be forwarded to the General Assembly in Joint Session for confirmation, as follows, to wit:

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To complete the unexpired term of Claude Farrell
To complete the unexpired term of Archibald Graham
To complete the unexpired term of Santford Martin
Charles G. Rose, Jr.
Fayetteville—District 4
To complete the unexpired term of Paul S. Oliver
Charles W. McCrary
Asheboro—District 5
To succeed himself for a term of 8 years
Charles G. Rose, Jr.
Fayetteville—District 4
To succeed himself for a term of 8 years
Dr. H. L. Trigg
Raleigh—District 3
To succeed himself for a term of 8 years

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Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Luther H. Hodges

On motion of Senator Currie the nominees of the Governor as indicated in the message are approved, and the nominees are declared appointed.

On motion of Senator Currie the Joint Session dissolves, the Senate repairs to its Chamber and the House resumes consideration of business.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 16, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Wildlife Resources Commission to fix open season on doe deer.

H. B. 317, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 37 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes entitled the Urban Redevelopment Law.

H. B. 324, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of St. Pauls, North Carolina.

Mr. Powell sends forward the following resolution, which is adopted and ordered spread upon the Journal.

HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE FOR HIS FREQUENT EXPLANATIONS OF LEGISLATIVE PROCEDURE TO SCHOOL CHILDREN VISITING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

WHEREAS, persons visiting during sessions of the House of Representative, particularly school children, might receive an erroneous impression as to the handling of legislative business on account of their unfamiliarity with the significance of legislative procedure; and

WHEREAS, it would be unfortunate if the visiting children should go away from Raleigh believing that the business of the House was conducted in a slipshod and inattentive manner; and
WHEREAS, the Speaker of this House at this session has on occasion after occasion paused to explain to school children and other visitors the nature of the legislative process and precisely what is transpiring at the moment, thereby making certain that the school children and other visitors are not left with a mistaken impression with respect to the nature of the legislative process; NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

Section 1. That Honorable J. K. Doughton, Speaker of the House, be hereby commended for the above described course of action, and the hope is expressed that he will continue his past course of action in this respect, and that future Speakers of the House will regard it as a precedent highly desirable to be followed.

Sec. 2. This resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

REPORT 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. Whitley, for the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. B. 399, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-77.1 relating to Saturday closing of banks.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 87, a bill to be entitled An act to permit banks of this state to operate on a five-day week when after hearing the Commissioner of Banks shall grant such authority in respect to the banks in any city or town.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 184, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina, Section 106-550, so as to provide for promotion of the use and sale of cotton.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Kiser, for the Committee on Public Welfare.

H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-73.4 relating to the eligibility of persons for public assistance.

Reported without prejudice.
On motion of Mr. Kiser the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Wilson of Union, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 14-299 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to permit the confiscation of any motor vehicle used in the conduct of a lottery.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 453, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 164-11.1 relating to the supplements to the General Statutes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 59, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 52 of Chapter 14 of General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the parking of vehicles on school grounds.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.

H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent damage or destruction to sand dunes along the outer banks of North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Woodland in Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Robeson County and any incorporated city or town therein to acquire property to be leased for certain purposes and subject to certain requirements, to provide a method of payment for such lands, and to exempt them from taxation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 419, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-25 relating to grand juries in Camden County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 420, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 361 of the Private Laws of 1903, Chapter 378 of the Private Laws of 1907, Chapter 53 of the Private Laws of 1915, and all other acts amendatory thereof or pertaining thereto relating to the Town of South Mills in Camden County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 450, a bill to be entitled An act relating to meetings of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Forsyth, fixing the compensation of the members thereof, and repealing Chapter 81 of the 1947 Session Laws and Chapter 473 of the 1951 Session Laws pertaining to the same.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 458, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 342 of the 1949 Session Laws fixing the terms of office of County Commissioners of McDowell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 466, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of Chowan County to create the separate office of Tax Collector for said county and to fix the compensation of such Tax Collector.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a uniform system for recording maps and plats in Surry County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Surry County and the County Commissioners of Wilkes County to establish and declare the boundary line between Wilkes and Surry counties.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 489, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 so as to prescribe the punishment for public drunkenness in Randolph County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 522, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain county officials and employees of Northampton County and to remove the restrictions on the salaries of certain employees of Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 544, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Boone to purchase thirty-five acres of land for the purpose of insuring a permanent home for the drama, "Horn in the West", and for other park and recreational purposes, and to execute a deed of trust to secure a balance of the purchase price of said property.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 548, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the compensation of various county officers of Davie County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 28-2.1 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the appointment of administrators of estates of missing persons.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 402, a bill to be entitled An act to expedite the settling of claims against contractors and their sureties in cases involving public contracts let by the state and political subdivisions thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 484, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 28 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to authorize the allowance of counsel fees to attorneys serving as 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 Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1066 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Rowan County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitley:

H. B. 563, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing and to provide punishment therefor.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Zollicoffer:

H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of Henderson Township as a recreation district and the levying of a recreation system tax.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 565, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Henderson City Board of Education in Vance County to sell and convey the Junior High School property to the Board of County Commissioners of Vance County at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 566, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to elections in the Town of Castalia in Nash County.
On motion of Mr. Valentine the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 567, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit persons under certain conditions from parking motor vehicles or otherwise trespassing on church properties in Person County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Coates:

H. B. 568, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-51 relating to the fees of physicians making examinations of mentally disordered persons in Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 569, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-178 relating to the marking of ballots in primary elections in Davidson County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. 570, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and clarify Chapter 65, Article 7, of the General Statutes relating to cemeteries operated for private gain.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 571, a bill to be entitled An act to abolish the rule in Shelley's Case.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Powe and Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 572, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws so as to validate certain amendments to corporate charters extending corporate existence.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 573, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the tuition at the Consolidated University for undergraduate students who are non-residents of North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Houk:

H. B. 574, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize and empower the Town of Highlands to establish a reserve fund to provide for the expansion and improvement of its hydro-electric plant and distribution system.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 575, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Highlands, in Macon County, to change and amend the terms and conditions of a deed executed by it to the Highlands Biological Station, Inc.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Burgess:

H. B. 576, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Camden County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 577, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-178 relating to the method of marking ballots in municipal elections in the Town of Gaston in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

And,

H. B. 578, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Board of Equalization and Review of Northampton County to complete its work.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize a revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize Bertie County to borrow money to defray the expenses thereof.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. B. 165, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 66-10 relating to records to be kept by junk dealers.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 213, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County to establish a general county court in said county under Subchapter VII of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 238 of the Public Laws of 1939 so as to provide for the appointment of a vice-recorder of the County Recorder's Court of Henderson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1043 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the appointment of the Judge of the Juvenile Court of Henderson County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 239, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-249 relating to the limit that may be expended for the purchase of motor vehicles by the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 52, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing boards of county commissioners to provide for the use of facsimile signature machines or stamps in connection with the signing of warrants or orders.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Pitt 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. 367, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Register of Deeds of Currituck County.

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

H. B. 401, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Granville County to fix the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds.

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

H. B. 444, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 665, Session Laws of 1949, relating to the compensation of the Judge and Solicitor of the Gates County Recorder's Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 463, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to increase the salaries of the officers and employees of said county.

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

H. B. 479, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29, as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, relating to the compensation of the chairman and the members of the County Board of Education in Harnett County.

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

H. B. 483, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-19 so as to fix the terms of office of members of the Durham County Board of Education.

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

H. B. 485, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Judge of the City Court of Raleigh.

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

H. B. 486, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the mayor and members of the Council of the City of Raleigh.

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

H. B. 511, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 26 of the Private Laws of 1935, as amended by Chapter 700 of the Session Laws of 1943, and as amended by Chapter 56 of the Session Laws of 1949, relating to appointment of members of the Board of Education of the Lexington City School Administrative Unit.

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

H. B. 516, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the justices of the peace of Transylvania County.

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

H. B. 519, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the fees of the Jailer of Swain County.

Mr. Crawford of Swain offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 520, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 2-26 and fixing the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gates County.

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

H. B. 521, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 so as to fix certain fees to be charged by the Sheriff’s office of Gates County.

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

S. B. 152, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 246 of the Session Laws of 1945 relating to the compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Rockingham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 154, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Albemarle.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 160, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 1175, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the compensating of members of the Polk County Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 178, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize governmental agencies within Robeson County to sell and to convey property to other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the county at private sale.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 187, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners and the chairman and members of the Board of Education of Wayne County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Love, Martin,

Those voting in the negative are: Representative Crawford of Buncombe—1.

H. B. 259, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-26 relating to the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Supreme Court and paid into the Treasury of the State, and to provide for the appointment of deputy clerks of the Supreme Court.

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 relating to the taking of catfish by the use of electrical devices in the commercial fishing waters of the Cape Fear River.

The committee amendment No. 1 is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the bill is recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Prison Department; to transfer control of the State Prison System from the State Highway and Public Works Commission to the State Prison Department; and to prescribe its powers and duties.

Mr. Thompson calls the previous question. The call is sustained.

The question recurs to the passage of the bill on its second and third readings.

The bill passes its second reading.

Mr. Kiser objects to the third reading of the bill.

Mr. Falls moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on its third reading. The motion fails of adoption, and the bill remains on the Calendar for its third reading.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 540. A Joint Resolution of respect to the memory of the late Tweed Astland Grantham, former member of the General Assembly.
S. R. 258. A Joint Resolution fixing the time and place for a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives for the approval of the appointments to the State Board of Education.

S. B. 135. An Act to annex Little River Township of Hoke County to Moore County.

H. B. 109. An Act to provide for an open season on foxes in Warren County.

H. B. 179. An Act to authorize the taking of fish with nets and traps on certain portions of Pigeon Roost and Poplar Creeks in Warren County.


H. B. 252. An Act creating a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Conway in Northampton County.

H. B. 253. An Act to create a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Robbins in Moore County.

H. B. 284. An Act to amend Subsection (3) of Section 105-286 of the General Statutes relative to the time for instructing list takers and assessors.

H. B. 288. An Act to amend Chapter 143 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina relating to damage by stray dogs in Guilford County.


H. B. 467. An Act to prohibit the shooting or taking of migratory waterfowl from any public road or highway in Hyde County.

H. B. 546. An Act to amend House Bill 141, ratified March 27, 1957, relating to the appointment of members of the boards of education of respective counties of North Carolina.

H. B. 557. An Act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Snow Hill and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Snow Hill for a distance of one mile in all directions.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend W. E. Goode, a retired Baptist minister and former pastor of Mr. Pittman of Halifax County.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth consideration of the remainder of the bills on the Public-Local Calendar is postponed until Saturday, April 6, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Combs, Gordon L. Basnight and William Charles Cahoon, Jr. of Tyrrell County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Quinn H. B. 266 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-85, so as to authorize the City of Concord to assess the total costs of concrete curb and gutter improvements against the owners of abutting property” is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
April 5, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. 266 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-85, so as to authorize the City of Concord to assess the total costs of concrete curb and gutter improvements against the owners of abutting property” for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message, Mr. Quinn moves that the vote by which the bill passed its third reading be reconsidered. The motion prevails.

On motion of Mr. Quinn the vote by which the bill passed its second reading is reconsidered, and the bill is placed on the Calendar.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 428, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 13, Public Local Laws of 1933, relating to the Law Library in Haywood County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 468, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 424, Session Laws of 1953 so as to increase the amount of nontax funds that may be appropriated by the Town of Ayden for recreational purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 480, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Person County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. White, for the Committee on Employment Security.

H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled An act to create a law enforcement officers' relief fund for the peace officers association of 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 Mr. Leake:

H. R. 580, a joint resolution honoring the life, memory and achievements of Calvin Ransome Edney, a former Senator in the North Carolina General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Leake the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 581, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Southern Pines, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 582, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 252 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931 relating to districts for the selection of county commissioners in Moore County and to amend Chapter 76 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to districts for the nomination of members of the Board of Education of Moore County.
Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 583, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 143-135 of the General Statutes relating to public building contracts to regulate the construction of school buildings in Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 584, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the governing body of the Town of Clinton to convey certain real estate to the Boy Scouts of America.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 585, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Burke County to adjust delinquent taxes accruing from foreclosure proceedings.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Harris of Wake:

H. B. 586, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the sales and use tax articles of the Revenue Act to exempt the sales of radio and television broadcasting equipment from the application of the tax.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. White, by request:

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 96, General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, known as the Employment Security Law, to provide for the payment of additional contributions with respect to overdrawn accounts; to make certain changes in the benefit formula; to provide for additional administrative funds under the Social Security Act upon authorization by the General Assembly, and to further clarify certain provisions of said Chapter.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

By Messrs. Vogler, Love, Snepp, Hicks, Reynolds, Hunt and Simpson:

H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled An act relating to liability of parents and guardians for damages inflicted against real and personal property by their minor children and wards.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent the forced withdrawal of state funds from official depositories of this state, when the rate of
return on U. S. Government securities exceeds the rate which official depositories are allowed to pay.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Leake, by request:

H. B. 590, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court so as to make said section applicable to Madison County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 591, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize clerical assistance for the County Accountant of Madison County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9, Paragraph 6, so as to authorize Madison County to levy a tax for the upkeep of county buildings, county homes for the aged and infirm, and other similar institutions.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 593, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-49 relating to the definition of dependent children.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 594, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-53 so as to include activity school buses in its provisions.

And,

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 595, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to make certain corrections in the public school laws of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 596, a bill to be entitled An act relating to solicitations among teachers and pupils during school hours.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,
H. B. 597, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Article 31, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes of North Carolina as it relates to the licensing of business, trade, and correspondence schools and solicitors for such schools.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jones of Ashe:

H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Ashe County Board of Education to convey to the Trustees of the Warrensville Community Club the Warrensville school property no longer needed for school purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Ferebee:

H. B. 600, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 19, Chapter 163 of the General Statutes so as to remove Cherokee County from the operation of the statewide Primary Law for the purpose of nominating Democratic candidates for county offices and members of the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 601, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the restoration, repair and maintenance of historic properties.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

And,

H. B. 602, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Warrenton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Jones of Pitt and Wooten:

H. B. 603, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year for Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wilson of Union:

H. B. 604, a bill to be entitled An act to confer jurisdiction upon the desk officers of the Police Department of Monroe to issue warrants.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 118, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 27 of Article IV of the Constitution of North Carolina to authorize the General Assembly to give jurisdiction to justices of the peace in civil actions where the value of the property in controversy does not exceed two hundred dollars.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

S. B. 128, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 110-22 of the General Statutes relating to the creation of Juvenile Courts, and to the designation of judges thereof.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 199, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 45 of Chapter 18 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the powers and duties of County Boards of Alcoholic Beverage Control, applicable to Martin County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 210, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 6, Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to registration of voters.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

S. B. 211, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-135 relating to the letting of public contracts in Franklin County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 212, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-29 and fixing the compensation of members of the Franklin County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 222, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 151, Private Laws of 1895, as amended by Chapter 1072, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the election of Commissioners of the Town of Grifton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 225, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Charlotte to compromise street assessments with respect to improvements on Stonewall Street in said City.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 230, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment of an auditor for Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 237, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the City of Goldsboro and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the City of Goldsboro for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 240, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motorboats and other craft on the waters of the Roanoke River between the Edens Ferry Landing and the Roanoke Rapids Dam in Halifax, Warren and Northampton Counties.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1041 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund of Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

S. B. 242, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of lost or stray dogs in Randolph County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the number and salaries of personnel appointed by the Sheriff of Randolph County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 244, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the members of the County Board of Education of Randolph County to seven members and to increase the terms of such members.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 248, a bill to be entitled An act amending S. B. 23, 1957 Session of the General Assembly, ratified on March 14, 1957, authorizing the County of Gaston to expend certain surplus debt service funds for public library purposes, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 249, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election to determine whether the terms of office of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Bessemer City shall be staggered four year terms.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 388, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Woodland, in Northampton County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 413, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Robeson County and any incorporated city or town therein to acquire property to be leased for certain purposes and subject to certain requirements, to provide a method of payment for such lands, and to exempt them from taxation.

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

H. B. 419, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-25 relating to grand juries in Camden County.

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

On motion of Mr. Whitley of Wake, consideration of the remainder of the bills on the Public-Local Calendar is postponed until Saturday, April 6, 1957.

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools.

Mr. Kerr offers an amendment, which fails of adoption.

Mr. Kerr offers the second amendment, which fails of adoption.

Mr. Kiser offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Falls, Kerr, Kiser, Speight and Wilson of Caswell—5.

S. B. 184, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina, Section 106-550, so as to provide for promotion of the use and sale of cotton.

Mr. Uzzell offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of raw sewerage, industrial waste and other noxious and deleterious substances into the waters of Neuse River or its tributaries which shall render said waters harmful to the public health and fish life.

On motion of Mr. White of Lenoir consideration of the bill is postponed until Monday night, April 9, 1957.
ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. R. 539. A Joint Resolution expressing appreciation to Honorable Addison Hewlett, Jr., Representative from New Hanover County, and to the City officials of the City of Wilmington and the County officials of the County of New Hanover for the hospitality shown to Members of the General Assembly during the Azalea Festival.

S. B. 152. An Act to amend Chapter 246 of the Session Laws of 1945 relating to the compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Rockingham County.

S. B. 154. An Act providing for the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Albemarle.

S. B. 169. An Act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 1175, Session Laws 1953, relating to the compensating of members of the Polk County Board of Education.

S. B. 178. An Act to authorize governmental agencies within Robeson County to sell and to convey property to other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the county at private sale.

S. B. 187. An Act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners and the chairman and members of the Board of Education of Wayne County.

H. B. 52. An Act authorizing boards of county commissioners to provide for the use of facsimile signature machines or stamps in connection with the signing of warrants or orders.

H. B. 71. An Act to authorize the State Highway and Public Works Commission to designate a speed limit maximum up to sixty miles an hour for certain vehicles on certain highways.

H. B. 72. An Act creating a Division of General Services, and abolishing the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds and the office of Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds.

H. B. 159. An Act to authorize the governing body of the Town of Dover to sell the present city hall and the site or lot on which the said city hall is now located.

H. B. 226. An Act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian reservations in Jackson County to list and pay personal property taxes.

H. B. 251. An Act to provide for additional costs in the Mayor's Court of the Town of Middlesex.

H. B. 276. An Act validating sales of land for taxes in the County of Robeson and municipalities therein made during the years of 1955 and
1956, and confirming settlements and adjustments of taxes heretofore made by the governing body of Robeson County and the governing bodies of the municipalities therein.

H. B. 277. An Act to amend Chapter 995 of the Session Laws of 1947 regulating professional bondsmen in Robeson County.

H. B. 289. An Act to repeal Chapter 94 of the 1951 Session Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina, a special act authorizing Guilford County to participate in paying the premiums on group life insurance for its employees.

H. B. 290. An Act to permit Guilford County and the City of High Point to determine whether or not there shall be discount for prepayment of taxes in Guilford County and the City of High Point, and if so the amount of such discount.

H. B. 299. An Act amending Chapter 527 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the Chapel Hill Board of Aldermen to exercise building regulation powers in a defined area.

H. B. 300. An Act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Chapel Hill to establish building setback lines on streets within said Town.


H. B. 342. An Act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 484, Session Laws of 1949 as amended by Section 1, Chapter 861, Session Laws of 1951 and rewritten by Chapter 869, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the compensation of the deputy clerk of the Superior Court, the clerical assistant to the Register of Deeds, the first and second deputy sheriffs of Madison County, and to the janitor of the Courthouse.

H. B. 369. An Act amending Chapter 353 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931 relating to the Assistant Judge of the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

H. B. 371. An Act setting out the schedule of costs in criminal actions in the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

H. B. 375. An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain surplus funds of Gaston County for the purpose of constructing the Gaston County Welfare Building.

H. B. 377. An Act to authorize governmental and political subdivisions within Hoke County to sell and to convey property to other governmental agencies and political subdivisions of the County at private sale.

H. B. 378. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-120.10 so as to make Article 14A of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes applicable to Hoke County.

H. B. 379. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-48.5, as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County to fix the salaries of the elective officials in Hoke County.
H. B. 406. An Act to require that building notices as to new constructions or improvements in Currituck County be filed with the County Tax Supervisor.

H. B. 407. An Act to remove from the Sheriff of Hoke County the duty of collecting taxes, to provide for the appointment of a tax collector for Hoke County and to define his duties.


H. B. 430. An Act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to allow the Board of Commissioners of Yadkin County to designate temporarily some place other than the County Courthouse as the place for holding the Superior Courts of said County.

H. B. 431. An Act to validate the street and sidewalk assessments heretofore levied by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Selma.

H. B. 435. An Act to amend Chapter 564 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913, as amended, relating to jury trials in the Recorder’s Court of Rutherford County.

H. B. 442. An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 177 of the Private Laws of 1937 relating to the opening and closing of polls for Primary and General Elections in the Town of Bridgeton.

H. B. 447. An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 45 of the Private Laws of 1931, relating to elections in the Town of Chapel Hill.


On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:00 o’clock A. M., at which time only Public-Local bills will be considered.

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**FIFTY-SECOND DAY**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Saturday, April 6, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Buchanan reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Paula Susan (Penny) Satisky of Wake County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.
Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 519, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the fees of the jailer of Swain County.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 420, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 361 of the Private Laws of 1903, Chapter 378 of the Private Laws of 1907, Chapter 53 of the Private Laws of 1915 and all other acts amendatory thereof or pertaining thereto relating to the Town of South Mills in Camden County.

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

H. B. 450, a bill to be entitled An act relating to meetings of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Forsyth, fixing the compensation of the members thereof, and repealing Chapter 81 of the 1947 Session Laws and Chapter 473 of the 1951 Session Laws pertaining to the same.

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

H. B. 458, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 342 of the 1949 Session Laws fixing the terms of office of county commissioners of McDowell County.

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

H. B. 466, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of Chowan County to create the separate office of Tax Collector for said County and to fix the compensation of such Tax Collector.

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

H. B. 468, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 424, Session Laws of 1953, so as to increase the amount of nontax funds that may be appropriated by the Town of Ayden for recreational purposes.

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

H. B. 487, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a uniform system for recording maps and plats in Surry County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 488, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Surry County and the County Commissioners of Wilkes County to establish and declare the boundary line between Wilkes and Surry Counties.

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

H. B. 489, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 so as to prescribe the punishment for public drunkenness in Randolph County.

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

H. B. 522, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain county officials and employees of Northampton County and to remove the restrictions on the salaries of certain employees of Northampton County.

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

H. B. 548, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the compensation of various county officers of Davie County.

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

On motion of Mr. Holmes the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

FIFTY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday Night, April 8, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Pittman:

H. B. 605, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 342 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, 1901, as amended, being the Charter
of the Town of Scotland Neck relating to the election of the Mayor and Board of Commissioners.

On motion of Mr. Pittman the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston:

H. B. 606, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt agricultural products stored in Johnston County from ad valorem taxation for the year following the year in which grown.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 607, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Moore County for industrial developments and other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

And,

H. B. 608, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5, as it appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, so as to prohibit the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance in Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 609, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 364 of the Public Local Laws of 1941 relative to the consolidated Board of Health of New Hanover County and the City of Wilmington.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 610, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1953 by reducing the amount included in the Superior Court costs for the support of the New Hanover Law Library and providing for the continuance of such item of costs.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 611, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the practice of phrenology, palmistry clairvoyance, fortunetelling, or other craft of a similar kind in New Hanover County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 612, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes so as to make said Article applicable to the cities and towns of Lenoir County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 613, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 578 of the Public-Local Laws of 1911, as amended, being the Charter of the City of Kinston, in respect to elections in said City.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Gavin:

H. B. 614, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 556 of the Session Laws of 1955 pertaining to salaries of certain officials in Randolph County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 615, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 556 of the Session Laws of 1955 pertaining to the salaries of the sheriff and deputies sheriff of Randolph County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Randolph County to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Wallace:

H. B. 617, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Star.

On motion of Mr. Wallace the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Reynolds:
H. B. 618, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-78.1, relating to trading for corn so as to make said act applicable to Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 620, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-11 relating to taking of foxes in Granville County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 621, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 492 of the Public-Local and Private Laws of 1937 relating to costs in the Recorder's Court in the Town of Spencer.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 622, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Woodard of Wilson:

H. B. 623, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1050 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the dumping and disposing of trash and garbage in rural areas outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wilson County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 624, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Alamance County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 625, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with county boards of equalization and review.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
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. 56, a bill to be entitled An act amending certain sections of Chapters 121, 132 and 153 of the General Statutes relating to public records and the State Department of Archives and History.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-47 to revise and extend the table of present cash values of annuities.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

S. B. 175, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-70 relating to terms of Superior Court so as to authorize the Chief Justice to change the designation of statutory court terms from one designation to another where necessity is found.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 182, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the issuance of a permit for emergency use of registration plates.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 188, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 25 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to the establishment of county recorder's courts as it relates to such court in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 202, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the City of Raleigh to require the improvement of streets and to assess the cost of such improvements against abutting property owners without petition under certain conditions.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29 relating to the compensation of members of the Board of Education of Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 208, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-129.1 relating to the sale of venus fly trap plants.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

S. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act to reactivate the municipal government of the Town of Swanns in Lee County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 220, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 relating to the fees to be charged by the Sheriff of Wayne County.
Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 223, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 77 of the Private Laws of 1883 relating to the corporate limits of the Town of Mt. Pleasant in Cabarrus County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 377 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Johnston County Law Library.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 233, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain county officials and employees of Northampton County and to remove the restrictions on the salaries of certain employees of Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. R. 234, a joint resolution memorializing the Secretary of the Interior to issue a directive terminating plans for expansion of certain facilities on the Blue Ridge Parkway, and petitioning the members of the North Carolina Congressional Delegation to assist in securing such directive.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

S. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter, and related Private Laws, of the City of Goldsboro.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 246, a bill to be entitled An act to correct and clarify General Statutes 7-39.15 relating to retirement of Justices of the Supreme Court.

Referred to Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

S. B. 252, a bill to be entitled An act to forbid automobile and motorcycle racing events in Orange County on Sundays, and to require insurance coverage for the protection of spectators, racing competitors, and employed race track workers, attending, taking part in, or assisting in automobile and/or motorcycle racing events presented or conducted in Orange County, and to provide for further regulation of such racing events.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 262, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
S. B. 265, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Recorder's Court of Durham County and repealing Section 6 of Chapter 231 of the Public Local Laws of 1931.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 266, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 553 of the Session Laws of 1955 amending Chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887 relating to the terms of office of members of the Board of Trustees of Durham Special Charter School District.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 266, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 553 of the Session Laws of 1955 amending Chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887 relating to the terms of office of members of the Board of Trustees of Durham Special Charter School District.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. R. 286, a joint resolution inviting the Governor to address the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Venters the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Pursuant to the above resolution Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as a Committee to invite and escort the Governor to address the Joint Assembly, Messrs. Bost, Kerr and Uzzell, and the Senate is so notified.

H. B. 236, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Article 31 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to the North Carolina Seed Law.

Returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Murphy 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. 266, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-85, so as to authorize the City of Concord to assess the total costs of concrete curb and gutter improvements against the owners of abutting property.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everette, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Harrett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Pitt, Jordan,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 428, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 13, Public Local Laws of 1933 relating to the Law Library in Haywood County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled An act to create a law enforcement officers' relief fund for the peace officers' association of Columbus County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Brit, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everette, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Um-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 480, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Person County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 544, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the town of Boone to purchase thirty-five acres of land for the purpose of insuring a permanent home for the drama "Horn in the West," and for other park and recreational purposes, and to execute a deed of trust to secure a balance of the purchase price of said property.

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

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Kemp consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 9, 1957.

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools.

Mr. Speight offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Falls, Hewlett, Kerr, Kiser, Quinn, Speight, Williams of Yadkin and Wilson of Caswell—8.

S. B. 184, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina, Section 106-550, so as to provide for promotion of the use and sale of cotton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Prison Department; to transfer control of the State Prison System from the State Highway and Public Works Commission to the State Prison Department; and to prescribe its powers and duties.

On motion of Mr. Clark consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 9, 1957.

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 14-299 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to permit the confiscation of any motor vehicle used in the conduct of a lottery.
On motion of Mr. Falls the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 7, Chapter 17 of the General Statutes relating to habeas corpus for custody of children to provide additional use of habeas corpus in the discretion of the judge for determining the custody of minor children and to authorize the award of custody to such person, organization, agency or institution as will, in the court's opinion, best promote the welfare of such children, the present provisions as to habeas corpus now contained in the statute to remain unchanged.

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

H. B. 308, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 28-2.1 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the appointment of administrators of estates of missing persons.

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

H. B. 311, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 13 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to giving of notice for hearings before the Insurance Commissioner.

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

H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the outer banks.

On motion of Mr. Turner the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Bell moves that the bill be recommitted to the committee on Conservation and Development, which motion sustains.

H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent damage or destruction to sand dunes along the outer banks of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Venters offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to the filing and registration of notice of assignment of accounts receivable.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 380, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 147-58, relating to the duty of the State Auditor to charge and collect the cost of making audits of certain agencies.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 396, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 41 of the General Statutes to provide for trying title to land claimed by the State and by other parties.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 399, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-77.1 relating to Saturday closing of banks.

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 expedite the settling of claims against contractors and their sureties in cases involving public contracts let by the State and political subdivisions thereof.

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

H. B. 417, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 111-14 relating to aid to the needy blind.

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

H. B. 453, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 164-11.1 relating to the supplements to the General Statutes.

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

H. B. 484, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 28 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to authorize the allowance of counsel fees to attorneys serving as representatives.

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

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11:45 o'clock A. M.

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

House of Representatives
Tuesday, April 9, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.
Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
April 9, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to S. R. 286, entitled, "a joint resolution inviting the Governor to address the General Assembly," the President has appointed as a committee on the part of the Senate to act with a like committee on the part of the House to escort His Excellency, the Governor, to the Hall of the House to address the Joint Session, Senators Stoner and Thomas.

Respectfully,
S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk
SENATE CHAMBER
April 9, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to S. R. 286, entitled, "a joint resolution inviting the Governor to address the General Assembly," the Senate stands ready to repair to the Hall of the House, there to sit in Joint Session with your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

JOINT SESSION

Pursuant to S. R. 286, entitled, "a joint resolution inviting the Governor to address the General Assembly" and exchange of messages between the House and Senate, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House announces the approach of the Senate, and that Body, preceded by its officers, comes into the Hall of the House and are assigned seats, President Earnhardt at the right of Mr. Speaker Doughton.

The President of the Senate calls the Joint Assembly to order.

His Excellency, Governor Hodges, comes into the Hall of the House escorted by the committee heretofore appointed. Mr. Bost, for the committee, presents Governor Hodges to President Earnhardt, who presents him to Mr. Speaker Doughton and the Joint Assembly.
Governor Hodges delivers the following address to the Joint Assembly.

Mr. President Barnhardt, Mr. Speaker Doughton, and Members of the General Assembly:

I have asked to address you on the subject of salary raises for teachers and other state employees. In the weeks since our Biennial Message was given you we have seen a great and growing interest in our schools and more particularly in the salaries of school teachers. Some of the interest you have seen and felt is highly organized, but I believe there is more sincere and real, widespread interest than we have had in many years.

There has not been a clear understanding as to how I feel and many of you feel about schools and teachers’ salaries. Some people have indicated that we wanted to unload the state’s present burden on to the local school units. That is not true! Let me quote a statement of policy I made at Wilmington, North Carolina, on January 26, 1957:

"May I explain briefly our point of view on public schools because there has been some misunderstanding as to my attitude and program. I am for public schools and always have been. I have supported every bond issue and tax supplement, state and local (my community), for 35 years. I have taught; my sister has taught for 25 years; my wife was a teacher. I do not think our good teachers are paid enough or that we take care of our best students. I want the state to continue to support at a state level nine months, twelve grades (which costs the state over $100 million a year). I want the state to take care of increased school population and also to raise salaries at a state level. I do not think the state can ever pay more than a good minimum, and if we are to enrich our curriculum and get the best teachers, we should, if we can do it, pay something at the local level."

Let me briefly give you a further explanation. In March 1956, when I made a talk to the Teachers State Convention in Asheville, I raised the question of local participation in teachers’ salaries, as I was sincerely interested at that time, over a year ago, in their getting raises. I indicated as an example that the legislature might be asked to grant a ten per cent salary raise and offer another five per cent to match still another five per cent from local units. I saw North Carolina losing ground in teachers’ salaries and wanted to see us do something. We had slipped in five years from 29th to 38th place. There was no particular interest shown by teachers or school leaders in my Asheville statement, so in a talk to the 176 county and city superintendents at Durham in December 1956, I said:

"I realize that I do not have your support entirely in this idea of local support and I think it is probably expecting too much to have the support of the General Assembly for the so-called matching formula which I proposed for teachers’ salaries.

"What I propose to you tonight and for the first time, is that we have a State Citizens Committee for Better Schools to make a study of our school needs with particular reference to the financing and the responsi-
bility of all of us at local levels as well as state levels. . . . I am hopeful that this committee will bring to professional educators, to the state government, to the public at large, and to the 1959 General Assembly, what our problems are, what our needs are and how they would suggest we go about meeting these needs; I hope this idea meets with your approval.”

I later appointed a committee of citizens, headed by Mr. Holt McPherson of High Point, who, along with about thirty other members from over the state, plus an Advisory Committee of educators, are meeting regularly and working hard to organize grass roots sentiment for study and action on the part of laymen and citizens with regard to the future of our schools.

I hope this General Assembly will authorize a Study Commission to look at the school support at all levels and determine what each county can afford to pay for all its school costs, building, operations, and teachers’ salaries.

We cannot and should not try at this time to detail a long-range plan and program, but I’d like to give you a broad idea of what we have in mind.

Contrary to an idea held by some legislators, some county commissioners and some civic and educational leaders, that our plan is to unload the state’s burden on the counties and cities, I would like to say that our thinking is almost the opposite. Some counties are probably paying more now than they can afford. The present burden of providing school buildings was placed on local units without any regard whatever for their ability to pay. I would like to see each county’s ability to pay checked by proper indices and the contribution required of each county, considering total school costs, including buildings, be handled accordingly. These suggested indices would include such things as dollar value of retail trade, auto registration, per capita income, etc.

The total costs of buildings, operating expenses, and teachers’ salaries could be allocated between the state and the one hundred counties based on each county’s ability. The state would put up so many millions of dollars which would be given to counties, by formula prescribed by law. This is being done successfully by most of the states and I have recently checked two of our neighbor states who operate under this system.

A good minimum program under this system would then be assured for all children and any school district which wished to supplement salaries or enrich its school program in other ways would be allowed to do so, just as now. The schools and teachers will be brought closer to the people; they will be greatly improved and our children will receive a better education, and teachers’ salaries should greatly improve. I strongly urge that a Study Commission, to look at these problems and report to the 1959 General Assembly, be authorized by you.

But, let’s forget for the moment any long-range plans on public schools, except to assure you as representatives of all our one hundred counties that we do not propose that the state unload anything on the counties. We want each county to do its best—based on its ability, and I thoroughly agree that the richer counties must help the poorer ones.
Now, what can we do during this General Assembly for teachers and other state employees?

I said on March 4, about one month ago: "I feel that during this session of the General Assembly we will have to recognize the short-term necessity of raising teacher and state employees’ pay beyond the point recommended by the Advisory Budget Commission and myself, as we viewed the budget from the over-all point of view. Just how we will do this and where the money is to come from and what subsequent adjustments will have to be made is not clear at this time. However, I will gladly take the lead in helping solve the problem, and I feel sure that the members of the Advisory Budget Commission will join me in this."

The time has now arrived when I would like to recommend to you just where I propose that the money should come from and the adjustments which I believe can be made. But before mentioning specific details I would like to discuss briefly the much-talked about surplus of $33,000,000.

There has been a great deal of loose talk which could, if believed, lead one to the conclusion that in our original recommendations to you the Advisory Budget Commission and I did not propose to use this surplus, and that all the General Assembly would have to do to provide all the pay raises everybody wanted would be to make use of this surplus. As all of you know, of course, this sort of talk is misleading and confusing. Our original recommendation was that $421\frac{1}{2} million of the surplus be used for capital improvements. The specific projects recommended were listed in the budget. We also recommended at the same time that the remaining $17\frac{1}{2} million be used as part of the $33,000,000 recommended at that time for general fund salary raises for teachers and other employees. The $421\frac{1}{2} million for buildings and the $17\frac{1}{2} as part of the cost of raises together disposed of the entire $60,000,000 surplus. Thus, there was nothing left to increase salaries further so far as the surplus was concerned.

Some of you are probably thinking at this point, that if all the surplus is disposed of and all the money expected from revenue estimates is also disposed of, how are we going to get more money for additional raises without adding new taxes. One of a Governor’s disadvantages in making spending recommendations is that when he makes a proposal to spend money he must include recommendations as to how to get the money. I, therefore, recommend:

1. First, that $10,000,000 be taken from the amounts previously recommended for capital improvements. $10,000,000
2. Second, that $4,289,000 be taken from the Highway Fund and used during the transition period of the next biennium for the support of the independent Prison Department. This will, of course, free an equal amount previously recommended from the General Fund for this purpose. 4,289,000
3. Third, that you use an additional $1,000,000, which, we are advised, can be expected from non-tax sources, such as interest from investments, etc., during the next biennium on account of higher interest rates. 1,000,000
4. Fourth, that $2,811,000 be taken from the proposed revolving fund for capital improvements. 2,811,000
5. Fifth, that the estimated size of the credit balance available at the end of this fiscal year be raised by $4,400,000. This is justified based on increased interest earned from investments and current revenue receipts.

6. And, finally, that an additional $2,500,000 be appropriated from the Highway Fund to raise the salaries of highway employees.

Total $25,000,000

Altogether, this gives a grand total of $25,000,000 over and above all previous recommendations, which is sufficient when added to previous recommendations, to provide salary increases of eleven per cent for state employees generally and fifteen per cent for teachers. Also it will take care of previously omitted retirement costs, and leave approximately $1\frac{1}{4} million which can be used for other appropriations or contingencies.

I would also like to suggest that in order to provide for the capital improvements, which could otherwise be lost by the proposed reduction in appropriations originally recommended for that purpose, you authorize a bond issue up to $10,000,000 which can be voted by this General Assembly. This money should be set up for specific capital expenditures which have the highest priority.

Along with the recommendations made, I would like to remind you of some perhaps unpleasant, but nevertheless, real and highly important facts and figures in connection with the proposed expenditures and the state’s fiscal affairs.

It now takes about $4\frac{1}{2} million for each one per cent raise for the state’s 75,000 employees, broken down as follows: For teachers $2\frac{1}{2} million and for other employees $2 million, including $682,000 for highway employees. Thus, an eleven per cent raise for state employees generally will cost during the next biennium $22,000,000, and the fifteen per cent raise for teachers will cost $37\frac{1}{2} million, for a total additional salary cost of around $58,000,000. Added to the actual salary increases will be an additional $7,173,873 in regular salary increases by way of annual increments for employees and $3,872,808 additional retirement benefits to be contributed by the state. A detailed breakdown of specific amounts involved in granting the recommended pay raises is attached to the written copies you will receive of this message. I would, however, like to point out here that when we take into account the amounts provided for teacher salary increments for the next biennium and additional amounts required for retirement benefits, the amount now recommended for teacher salaries and retirement benefits is, for the coming biennium, approximately seventeen per cent above what is provided for these purposes for the present biennium. The comparable percentage for “other state employees” is approximately thirteen and one-half per cent!

Looking briefly at the over-all picture, we see that of the revised credit balance of $64,400,000 as of June 30, 1957, we are recommending that approximately $30,000,000 be used for capital improvements and that the remaining $34\frac{1}{2} million be used as part of the $58 million cost of providing salary raises. This $34\frac{1}{2} million is non-recurring revenue, and
for the 1959/61 biennium we feel that this amount will be replaced by new revenues from improved business conditions resulting in part from a revised allocation formula, which will make our taxing of industry more equitable and more competitive.

We are taking a calculated risk by using this $34,500,000 non-recurring revenue for current operating expenses during the biennium just ahead, but I am willing to join with you in taking the risk in order to provide these salary raises. I caution you, however, that to go any higher on these and other figures would be very risky and a course of action of which I could not willingly be a part.

For your information, the state will pay during the next biennium solely for salaries and retirement benefits $547 million, or over $½ billion.

As for the method of distribution for salary increases, you are already aware that the distribution plan recommended by the State Board of Education calls for a lump sum amount to be distributed by the board in accordance with a schedule which is tied to the status of particular teacher groups and not “across the board.” The State Board recommended a salary raise averaging 16.1 per cent for teachers ranging from a high of 17.81 percentage to a low of 9.9 percentage. The board also recommended 10 per cent for other school employees. As already stated, we are recommending that you provide a sum of money which would make possible raises of 15 per cent for teachers and 11 per cent for others, instead of the 10 per cent recommended by the board. The board can, if it desires, raise the figure for teachers beyond the 15 per cent from funds which we recommend and still give the other employees the original 10 per cent raise the board has requested.

I would also like to recommend that vocational education teachers be given the salary differential which they have had in the past and that the board make a survey of the work of all vocational teachers and the vocational needs of the state and report to the 1959 General Assembly.

I approve wholeheartedly the pay raise plan recommended by the State Personnel Council for other employees. It is consistent with the well-established salary plan which has been in effect for several years, and under this plan approximately two-thirds of all state employees will get more money than they would under an across-the-board flat percentage plan. These two-thirds are the lower paid employees. In a general salary increase tied in with a rising cost of living, lower paid personnel ought to receive primary consideration. I also join the State Personnel Council in the recommendation that the proposed pay plan be written into law so that each employee may be assured of the plan’s automatic application and not have to worry over whether he or she will get his or her raise. I am advised that under the Personnel Council’s Plan 98 per cent of all employees will receive raises, leaving about 2 per cent who are already being paid salaries considerably above their established pay range. To this last-mentioned group, I recommend that the Appropriations Committee give special consideration, taking into account the actual rise in the cost of living and consistent insofar as possible with the Personnel Council’s suggested plan.
The General Assembly will, in its wisdom, finally decide what percentages and/or dollars will be used to give raises to teachers and other state employees. I must in all fairness and candor point out that a difference in amounts to teachers and "other employees" is justified by the record of actual payments to the two groups during the last four years. Figures given you in your "budget report," page 14, show that teachers have received in the past four years, 1952-1956, in increment pay 1.2 per cent total. On the other hand, "other employees" have received in the same period 5.6 per cent total, or a difference of 4.4 per cent in favor of "other state employees."

We feel sure that you will agree that we have tried to be fair to all state employees and we believe that most employees and the public will so agree. The average teacher salary in North Carolina will be in excess of $400 per month, or $3600 per school year of nine months, if these raises are granted. Added to this, of course, are retirement benefits provided by the state, amounting to 7.33 per cent additional, or around $30 per month extra, or $270 per school year. State employees on the whole will, if these raises are granted, receive salaries which compare favorably with salaries received by persons performing similar jobs in private employment. You don't need to be reminded that all of us have obligations to the citizens who must pay these salaries as well as to the citizens who will receive them.

You are to be congratulated on your work done thus far. It seems to me you are well on your way to adding a shining chapter to the pages of our legislative history. Your conscience and the inner satisfaction of doing a good job for the state and in the state's interest will constitute your greatest reward.

I appreciate deeply your help and cooperation in the over-all program that has been recommended along various lines for the state, and hope that these new recommendations for larger salary raises for our 75,000 employees will receive your hearty approval.

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Academic teachers and supervisors' salary raise (15%) $31,460,927  
Vocational teachers and principals and superintendents increase to 11%, etc. (1% above increase requested by the State Board of Education) 3,229,464  
Teachers' increment pay 2,400,000  
Teachers' retirement pay 2,542,801  

Total $39,633,192  
"Other state employees" (including public school, non-instructional personnel) salary raise (11%) 23,398,847  
Increment pay 4,773,873  
Retirement pay 1,330,007  

Total $29,502,727  

Grand Total (salaries, increments and retirement payments) $69,135,919
On motion of Senator Currie the Joint Assembly dissolves, the Senate repairs to its Chamber, and the House resumes consideration of business, Mr. Speaker Doughton presiding.

On motion of Mr. Taylor, George Childs, Jr., of Anson County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Griggs is granted a leave of absence Tuesday and Wednesday, April 9 and 10, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Philpott H. B. 563 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing and to provide punishment therefor" is taken from the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools.

H. B. 337, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent damage or destruction to sand dunes along the outer banks of North Carolina.

H. B. 396, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 41 of the General Statutes to provide for trying title to land claimed by the state and by other parties.

REPORT 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. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 575, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Highlands, in Macon County, to change and amend the terms and conditions of a deed executed by it to the Highlands Biological Station, Inc.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 54, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a guardian for incompetent persons with limited income and property.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 140, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 252 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935, so as to divest the County Recorder's Court of Bladen County of jurisdiction over divorce actions.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 145, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 23, Chapter 1 of the General Statutes to provide that the petitioner in all condemnation proceedings who submits to a voluntary nonsuit or otherwise abandons the proceeding be taxed with a reasonable fee for the respondent's attorney.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 153, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the procedure for execution on forfeited recognizances.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 183, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the service of warrants in criminal actions.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Womble of Wake, for the Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

S. B. 246, a bill to be entitled An act to correct and clarify General Statutes 7-39.15 relating to retirement of Justices of the Supreme Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 relating to the pensions of certain public school teachers.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 477, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 81 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to weights and measures.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 607, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Moore County for industrial developments and other purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 618, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-78.1 relating to trading for corn so as to make said act applicable to Robeson County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-31 relating to disfigurement.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 465, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Department of Motor Vehicles to return certain security deposits filed under the Financial Responsibility Act.
With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 490, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name of the draftsman.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 515, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Transylvania County.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 542, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 50-12 relating to the resumption by a divorced woman of her maiden name or the name of a prior deceased husband.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing counties to pay reasonable fees for counsel employed to defend election officials.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 567, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit persons under certain conditions from parking motor vehicles or otherwise trespassing on church properties in Person County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 572, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws so as to validate certain amendments to corporate charters extending corporate existence.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-155 and General Statutes 7-164 relating to fees deposited for a jury trial before a justice of the peace.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Lexington to allow telephone or telegraph companies to make attachments to its light poles, and to charge a rent for same.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 403, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 313 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the nomination of commissioners in Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Charter of the Town of Cove City in Craven County and to reactivate the municipal government of Cove City.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 510, a bill to be entitled An act amending a part of Section 12 and Section 23 of the Charter of the City of Lexington, as amended by Chapter 5, of the Public-Local Laws of 1941.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 514, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Stanly County to prohibit the operation of loudspeakers, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said county.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 525, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Cherokee County to extend the time for listing property for taxation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 532, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 452 of the Private Laws of 1913, the Charter of the Town of Sharpsburg so as to increase the number of Town Commissioners from three to five, and to provide for the filing of notices of candidacy and payment of filing fees of candidates.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 533, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Public Works Commission of the City of Fayetteville.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 45-37 relating to cancellation of instruments in the office of the Register of Deeds of Dare County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 535, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Dare County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 552, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 496 of the Session Laws of 1955 establishing a pension fund for the retirement and disability of members of the Police Department of the City of High Point.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1182 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salary of the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission of the City of High Point.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled An act to amend S. B. 6, ratified February 14, 1957, relating to the clerk and assistant clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of High Point.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1067 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to selection of the governing body of the Town of Long Beach in Brunswick County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 560, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Rowan County to regulate the parking of vehicles on the court house grounds of said county.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 561, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Register of Deeds of Rowan County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 562, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1066 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Rowan County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 574, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize and empower the Town of Highlands to establish a reserve fund to provide for the expansion and improvement of its hydro-electric plant and distribution system.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 578, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Board of Equalization and Review of Northampton County to complete its work.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 581, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Southern Pines, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 590, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court so as to make said section applicable to Madison County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 591, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize clerical assistance for the County Accountant of Madison County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Ashe County Board of Education to convey to the Trustees of the Warrensville Community Club the Warrensville school property no longer needed for school purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 602, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Warrenton.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 603, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year for Pitt County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 608, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 as it appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, so as to prohibit the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling, or clairvoyance in Moore County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 609, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 364 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 relative to the Consolidated Board of Health of New Hanover County and the City of Wilmington.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize a revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize Bertie County to borrow money to defray the expenses thereof.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 611, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the practice of phrenology, palmistry, clairvoyance, fortunetelling, or other craft of a similar kind in New Hanover County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 15, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 14 of the General Statutes by inserting therein a new section relating to the firing of weapons within one mile of the corporate limits of any municipality, relating only to Elizabeth City.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 91, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Stokes County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 100, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Lee County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Micro, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 120, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 273 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relative to the Board of Tax Supervision for Buncombe County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 136, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe additional costs to be charged in the Mayor's Court in the Town of Clinton, Sampson County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations, applicable only to Sampson County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 147, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 33 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the rabies law in Edgecombe County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 148, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Conetoe in Edgecombe County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 149, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 169 of the Private Laws of 1923 relating to the officers of the Town of Speed in Edgecombe County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 166, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 716 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Wake County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 170, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 362, Session Laws of 1947, so as to require the Town of Columbus to pay to Polk County the same jail and turnkey fees as are required to be paid by the Town of Tryon and Saluda.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 172, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the name of the Town of Cherryville in Gaston County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 177, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-390 relating to clerks of court, term of office, fees, bond, sheriff, relating only to Burke County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 130-159 relating to the construction and maintenance of sanitary privies in Rockingham County.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 203, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Halifax County Board of Education to convey title to certain school property located within the Weldon City Administrative School Unit to the Weldon City Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 237, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the City of Goldsboro and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the City of Goldsboro for a distance of one mile in all directions.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter and related Private Laws of the City of Goldsboro.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 248, a bill to be entitled An act amending S. B. 23, 1957 Session of the General Assembly, ratified on March 14, 1957, authorizing the County of Gaston to expend certain surplus debt service funds for public library purposes, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Charter 238 of the Public Laws of 1939 so as to provide for the appointment of a Vice-Recorder of the County Recorder's Court of Henderson County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 222, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 151, Private Laws of 1895, as amended by Chapter 1072, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the election of commissioners of the Town of Grifton.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 249, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election to determine whether the terms of office of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Bessemer City shall be staggered four-year terms.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Holly Ridge in Onslow County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 155, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Towns of Swansboro and Richlands in Onslow County.
With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 455, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the hospitalization of indigent patients of Richmond County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 456, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment and compensation of certain officials and employees of Richmond County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 457, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of the Richmond County Jail.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to establish, operate, maintain, and regulate off-street parking lots and to provide for the collection of tolls for the use thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 518, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Johnston County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 576, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Camden County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 584, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the governing body of the Town of Clinton to convey certain real estate to the Boy Scouts of America.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 612, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes so as to make said Article applicable to the cities and towns in Lenoir County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 613, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 578 of the Public-Local Laws of 1911, as amended, being the Charter of the City of Kinston, in respect to elections in said city.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 621, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 492 of the Public-Local and Private Laws of 1937 relating to costs in the Recorder's Court in the Town of Spencer.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 623, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1050 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the dumping and disposing of trash and garbage in rural areas outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wilson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 624, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Alamance County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 625, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with County Boards of Equalization and Review.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 99, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with County Boards of Equalization and Review, applicable to Lee County only.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 173, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 963 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the appointment of the Recorder of the Recorder's Court of Dallas in Gaston County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 211, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-135 relating to the letting of public contracts in Franklin County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 212, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-29 and fixing the compensation of members of the Franklin County Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 265, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Recorder's Court of Durham County and repealing Section 6 of Chapter 231 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 266, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 553 of the Session Laws of 1955 amending Chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887 relating to the terms of office of members of the Board of Trustees of Durham Special Charter School District.

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. Ross:

H. B. 626, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Bath.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Phelps:

H. B. 627, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the registration of licensed medical physicians every two years with the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Bynum:

H. B. 628, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes relating to the compensation of members of the County Board of Education of Richmond County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Holmes, Speight, Buchanan, Leake, and Gaither:

H. B. 629, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina changing and fixing the number and method of apportionment of senators and members of the House of Representatives.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

And,

H. B. 630, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 200, Public-Local Laws of 1939, so as to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hertford in Perquimans County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 631, a bill to be entitled An act to validate street assessments levied by the City Council of the City of Jacksonville.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Hicks, Snepp, Vogler, and Love:

H. B. 632, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-77.1 relating to opening of vaults and safes by banks which are closed on Saturday.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Murphy:
H. B. 633, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 9 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the transfer of delinquent tax collections to the General Fund of Pender County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 634, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Pender County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Reynolds:

H. B. 635, a bill to be entitled An act to require the inspection by the Department of Agriculture of seed planted by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 636, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of certain county officials of Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Pittman:

H. B. 637, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 193, Private Laws of 1923, as amended by Chapter 28, Private Laws of 1937, so as to increase the compensation of members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Enfield.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. McKnight:

H. B. 638, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary within the Town of Mooresville in Iredell County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 639, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the levying of special taxes for the expenses of certain officers and employees of Granville County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 640, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 82, Private Laws of 1901, so as to provide for the appointment of officers and employees of the Town of Fairmont and prescribing their duties.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
And,

H. B. 641, a bill to be entitled An act appointing certain members of the Fairmont City Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Floyd of Robeson and Reynolds:

H. B. 642, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1043, Session Laws of 1955, so as to exempt Robeson County from the provisions of said act.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Blue, Umstead, Hill, and Powe:

H. B. 643, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Board of Examiners in psychology, define the duties and powers of that board, to provide for the examination and certification of psychologists, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Referred to Committee on Health.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. B. 254, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the Private Laws of 1927 providing a method for the ultimate widening, extension and opening of streets; for the gradual acquisition of the lands necessary for such improvements; and for the assessment of the cost thereof so as to make said act applicable to the City of Hickory.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 266, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-85 so as to authorize the City of Concord to assess the total costs of concrete curb and gutter improvements against the owners of abutting property.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Broek, Buchanan, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin. Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 428, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 13, Public Local Laws of 1933, relating to the Law Library in Haywood County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 449, a bill to be entitled An act to create a Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund for the Peace Officers Association of Columbus County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 480, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Person County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers Etheridge, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Love, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Poe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Rodenbough,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Prison Department; to transfer control of the State Prison System from the State Highway and Public Works Commission to the State Prison Department; and to prescribe its powers and duties.

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

S. B. 22, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of raw sewerage, industrial waste and other noxious and deleterious substances into the waters of Neuse River or its tributaries which shall render said waters harmful to the public health and fish life.

Mr. Whitehurst sends forward an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Coates sends forward an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. White sends forward an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. White sends forward a second amendment which fails of adoption.

The bill passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment for concurrence in House amendment.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Hardy, 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. 133. An Act to ratify and validate the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Gaston County in constructing the Gaston County Agricultural Center.


H. B. 171. An Act to require a permit authorizing construction of buildings and improvements in Brunswick County.

H. B. 187. An Act making the office of County Accountant and Tax Collector of Graham County elective, and fixing the salary of said official.

H. B. 196. An Act to provide for use of temporary registration plates by purchasers of motor vehicles in lieu of the use of dealers’ registration plates.
H. B. 239. An Act to amend Chapter 1303 of the Session Laws of 1953 authorizing boards of county commissioners to fix fees charged by county officers, so as to make said act applicable to Columbus County.

H. B. 262. An Act to amend General Statutes 113-6 relating to meetings of the Board of Conservation and Development.

H. B. 267. An Act to amend General Statutes 1-65.1 to provide that the fee of the guardian ad litem in actions and special proceedings when any of the defendants are infants or persons non-compos mentis and have no general guardian be taxed as part of the costs.

H. B. 268. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-67 and General Statutes 14-144 relating to removing the conflict between the Statutes as to punishment for the offenses of burning and attempting to burn dwelling houses and certain other buildings.

H. B. 303. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to prohibit the operation of loudspeakers, amplifying, or public address systems in certain areas in said county.

H. B. 306. An Act amending General Statutes 162-7 so as to fix certain fees to be charged by the Sheriff of Madison County.

H. B. 309. An Act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Teachey, North Carolina.

H. B. 313. An Act to fix the compensation and mileage of members of the County Board of Commissioners of Alleghany County.

H. B. 323. An Act to provide for the fixing of the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Tabor City, and to provide for their election.

H. B. 387. An Act to amend Chapter 838 of the 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina relating to storage of property removed from premises under order or judgment in actions in ejectment in Guilford County.

H. B. 398. An Act amending Chapter 160, Private Laws of 1927, so as to fix the corporate boundaries of the Town of Cleveland in Rowan County.

H. B. 418. An Act to amend Chapter 212 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the compensation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount.

H. B. 443. An Act fixing salaries of officials and employees of Henderson County.

S. R. 286. A Joint Resolution inviting the Governor to address the General Assembly.

H. R. 580. A Joint Resolution honoring the life, memory, and achievements of Calvin Ransome Edney, a former Senator in the North Carolina General Assembly.

S. B. 184. An Act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina, Section 106-550, so as to provide for promotion of the use and sale of cotton.
H. B. 186. An Act amending General Statutes 115-168 so as to make it mandatory that the Graham County Board of Education employ a special attendance officer, and fixing his salary.

H. B. 366. An Act to amend General Statutes 115-35 relating to the powers and duties of county and city boards of education relative to extra curricular activities.


On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

FIFTY-FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, April 10, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Coats, H. B. 559 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14, relating to pensions of certain public teachers," is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to Judiciary No. 2.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett, Robert Dixon Floyd, son of Representative and Mrs. Floyd of Columbus County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, Charlotte Ann Kerr of Cabarrus County is made an honorary pageette of the House.

Mr. Lloyd is granted a leave of absence for the remainder of this week, April 10, 11 and 12.

On motion of Mr. Clark, consideration of the bills on the Public Calendar take precedence over consideration of the bills on the Public-Local Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Clark, S. B. 39 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Department of Administration" is placed at the head of the Public Calendar, after the roll call bills.
REPORT 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. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 585, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Burke County to adjust delinquent taxes accruing from foreclosure proceedings.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 622, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Burke County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 628, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes relating to the compensation of members of the County Board of Education of Richmond County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 142, a bill to be entitled An act to make certain amendments in the Uniform Driver's License Law.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the committee substitute bill is adopted.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Education.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 315, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for instruction and training for trainable mentally handicapped children.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hargett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

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

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 115-125 relating to the acquisition of school sites.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Hargett, the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 506, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-133 relating to the duty of Boards of Education to promulgate rules and regulations governing the use of school buildings.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 512, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-218, relating to school activity bus drivers.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 279 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of school bonds so as to provide for the extension and enlargement of the boundaries of such school districts and to provide for the issuance of additional school bonds, and validating the creation of school districts under said Chapter 279.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 565, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Henderson City Board of Education in Vance County to sell and convey the Junior High School property to the Board of County Commissioners of Vance County at private sale.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 582, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 252 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931 relating to districts for the selection of County Commissioners in Moore County and to amend Chapter 76 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to districts for the nomination of members of the Board of Education of Moore County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 583, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 143-135 of the General Statutes relating to public building contracts to regulate the construction of school buildings in Moore County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 244, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the members of the County Board of Education of Randolph County to seven members and to increase the terms of such members.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

H. B. 469, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsection 3 of General Statutes 7-29.1 relating to the duties of the administrative assistant to the Chief Justice.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 496, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate duplication among, and to improve the effectiveness of, the water resource programs of the State.
With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Sheriff of Beaufort County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 549, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9, as it appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Bertie County to fix fees charged by county officers.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 550, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-48.5 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, applicable to Bertie County and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said County to fix the compensation of all elective and appointive county officials and employees.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County.

With a favorable report.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 73, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of certain officers in Halifax County.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston the committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 117, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Halifax County to raise the salaries of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Halifax County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 220, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 relating to the fees to be charged by the Sheriff of Wayne County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 233, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain County officials and employees of Northampton County and to remove the restrictions on the salaries of certain employees of Northampton County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.
H. B. 569, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-178 relating to the marking of ballots in Primary elections in Davidson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 577, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-178 relating to the method of marking ballots in municipal elections in the Town of Gaston in Northampton County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 600, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 19, Chapter 163 of the General Statutes so as to remove Cherokee County from the operation of the statewide Primary Law for the purpose of nominating Democratic candidates for county offices and members of the General Assembly.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 185, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of the Town of Valdese the question of whether town commissioners shall be elected by the voters of the ward which the commissioner is to serve or by the people of the Town at large and to amend Chapter 181 of the Session Laws of 1947.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 210, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 6, Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to registration of voters.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Womble of Wake, Whitley, Hill and Powe:


Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Womble of Wake:

H. B. 645, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that benefits under the North Carolina Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System may be payable to certain members whose service is terminated prior to age 60.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

And,

H. B. 646, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that optional elections may be made of full force and effect upon the death of a member in service
after age 65 under the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System, and under the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System, and to clarify certain other provisions thereunder, including those relating to emergency expenses.

Referred to Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 647, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 648, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Cleveland County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 649, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 220 of the Private Laws of 1893 so as to change the time for elections held in the Town of Aberdeen in Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Wallace:

H. B. 650, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in unincorporated areas in Montgomery County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 651, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the term of office of the Judge of the Recorder's Court of Montgomery County from two to four years.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wooten:

H. B. 652, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of Greenville, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 653, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fees for collecting and disbursing drainage district funds.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
And,

H. B. 654, a bill to be entitled An act relating to prosecution bonds in actions to foreclose drainage assessments.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Vogler, Love, Snepp, Hicks, Jordan, Craig and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 655, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the acquisition and restoration of historic properties.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Williams of Yadkin:

H. B. 656, a bill to be entitled An act relating to procedure in the County Criminal Court of Yadkin County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 657, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees to be taxed in the bills of costs in the County Criminal Court of Yadkin County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Reynolds:

H. B. 658, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-18.1 so as to prohibit the State Highway and Public Works Commission and its agents and employees, and others, from planting or using Bermuda grass, nut grass, Johnson grass, or sand spurs on highway rights of way.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Reynolds and Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 659, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Red Springs.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Snepp, Vogler and Hicks:

H. B. 660, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the City Charter of the City of Charlotte relating to the schools of the Charlotte Administrative School Unit.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Snepp and Powe:

H. B. 661, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 44-78 relating to the place of filing a notice of assignment of accounts receivable.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:
H. B. 662, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-161 relating to the number of members appointed to the Recreation Commission in the Town of Whiteville.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Arledge:

H. B. 663, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint Trustees of the Tryon City Administrative School Unit in Polk County.

On motion of Mr. Arledge the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

And,

H. B. 664, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Polk County to adjust or cancel delinquent tax accounts for the period 1951 through 1953.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt, Kemp and Turner:

H. B. 665, a bill to be entitled An act to revise the Charter of the Town of Gibsonville.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 666, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 427 of the Public-Local Laws of 1927, as amended, relating to the compensation of certain officials in Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Turner, Hunt and Kemp:

H. B. 667, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 18-27 relating to local option elections on the sale of beer and wine.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 668, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 15 of the General Statutes so as to prohibit justices of the peace becoming bail for any prisoner for money or property.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Powe:
H. B. 669, a bill to be entitled An act relating to conveyances between husband and wife.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 670, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the provisions of Chapter 39 of the General Statutes, relating to bulk sales.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 671, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 20 of Chapter 28 of the General Statutes so as to clarify the powers of joint personal representatives.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 672, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 52-12 (a) relating to contracts of wife with husband so as to remove therefrom the words relating to personal property and to specifically include therein separation agreements and to amend General Statutes 47-39 so as to include a provision regarding private examination in the acknowledgment.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Yarborough of Cumberland and Henley:

H. B. 673, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 561 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to vacation and sick leave for employees of Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 674, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Wilmington to convey its interest in the Community Hospital to the County of New Hanover.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 675, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of Lewiston in Bertie County so as to extend the terms of office of the officials of the said Town.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Parker:

H. B. 676, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-335 so as to include Hertford County within the provisions thereof.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
By Mr. Fowler:

H. B. 677, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for investigation and payment of certain claims growing out of the disastrous destruction by fire of a school building in Surry County in February, 1957.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 386, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Bost, Long and Zollicoffer—3.

S. B. 39, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Department of Administration.

On motion of Mr. Clark the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Ross sends forward an amendment.

Mr. Falls moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Ross lie upon the table, which motion sustains.

Mr. Turner offers an amendment.

Mr. Holmes moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Turner be laid on the table. The motion sustains.

Mr. Clark calls the previous question. The call sustains.
The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its second and third readings, as amended.

The bill passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

On motion of Mr. Venters the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock noon.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives
Thursday, April 11, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake H. B. 645 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide that benefits under the North Carolina Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System may be payable to certain members whose service is terminated prior to age sixty," is taken from the Committee on Employment Security and recommitted to the Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

On motion of Mr. Turner H. B. 649 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 220 of the Private Laws of 1893 so as to change the time for elections held in the Town of Aberdeen in Moore County," is taken from the Committee on Local Government and placed on the Calendar.

Mr. Lloyd is granted an indefinite leave of absence due to illness.

Mr. Holmes is granted a leave of absence for April 12, 13, 15 and 16.

Mr. Buchanan is granted a leave of absence for the remainder of the week, April 12 and 13.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, L. A. Love, III, Reed Allen Love, Kent Edward Love and Deborah Jayne Love of Mecklenburg County are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, Becky Jane Lackey and William Ray Lackey, Jr., of Alexander County are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wall, Herbert Stevenson Hardy, John Carlton Hardy and Barbara Lynn Hardy, sons and daughter of Representative and Mrs.
Hardy of Greene County, are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Alan Dean Kemp and Jon Edward Kemp, sons of Representative and Mrs. Kemp of Guilford County, are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Valentine, Nancy Taylor Huckabee of Nash County is made an honorary pagette of the House.

On motion of Mr. Delamar, Julia Elizabeth Collier of Pamlico County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 85, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-230 of the General Statutes relative to the method of notifying corporations of suspensions of articles of incorporation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Hyde County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said county.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 556, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kure Beach, New Hanover County, to levy a tax for the purpose of encouraging the location of business and for advertising the recreational advantages and resources of said town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of Henderson Township as a recreation district and the levying of a recreation system tax.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize a revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize Bertie County to borrow money to defray the expenses thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9, Paragraph 6, so as to authorize Madison County to levy a tax for the
upkeep of county buildings, county homes for the aged and infirm, and other similar institutions.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 610, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1953 by reducing the amount included in the Superior Court costs for the support of the New Hanover Law Library and providing for the continuance of such item of costs.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 639, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the levying of special taxes for the expenses of certain officers and employees of Granville County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 377 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Johnston County Law Library.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 254, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the Private Laws of 1927 providing a method for the ultimate widening, extension and opening of streets; for the gradual acquisition of the lands necessary for such improvements; and for the assessment of the cost thereof so as to make said act applicable to the City of Hickory.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.

H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-213, Subsection (a) relating to the membership of the State Stream Sanitation Committee.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 208, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-129.1 relating to the sale of venus fly trap plants.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate the requirement that Highway Patrol cars be painted black and silver.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton, for the Committee on Health.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes 72, relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.
H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the taking of game from streets and highways within a defined area of Craven County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 294, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-103 so as to increase the jurisdiction of Domestic Relations Court.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 115-125 relating to the acquisition of school sites.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a seven year Statute of Limitations for actions by any municipality or county, owning and operating a hospital, for the collection of claims arising out of the operation of such hospital.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 668, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 15 of the General Statutes so as to prohibit justices of the peace becoming bail for any prisoner for money or property.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 56, a bill to be entitled An act amending certain sections of Chapters 121, 132 and 153 of the General Statutes relating to public records and the State Department of Archives and History.

With a favorable report.

S. R. 156, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to pass an act to provide for the labeling of cigarettes and other tobacco products which contain homogenized, reconstituted, or synthetic tobacco.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 175, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-70 relating to terms of Superior Court so as to authorize the Chief Justice to change the designation of statutory court terms from one designation to another where necessity is found.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 262, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
H. B. 517, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the County of Graham to expend certain surplus debt service funds for the erection of a building to be used as a Public Health Center.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 604, a bill to be entitled An act to confer jurisdiction upon the desk officers of the Police Department of Monroe to issue warrants.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 630, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 200, Public Local Laws of 1939 so as to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hertford in Perquimans County.

With a favorable report.


With a favorable report.

H. B. 650, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in unincorporated areas in Montgomery County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 651, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the term of office of the Judge of the Recorder's Court of Montgomery County from two to four years.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 640, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 82, Private Laws of 1901, so as to provide for the appointment of officers and employees of the Town of Fairmont and prescribing their duties.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 641, a bill to be entitled An act appointing certain members of the Fairmont City Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 642, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1043, Session Laws of 1955 so as to exempt Robeson County from the provisions of said act.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 656, a bill to be entitled An act relating to procedure in the County Criminal Court of Yadkin County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 657, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees to be taxed in the bills of costs in the County Criminal Court of Yadkin County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 659, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Red Springs.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 674, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Wilmington to convey its interest in the Community Hospital to the County of New Hanover.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 225, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Charlotte to compromise street assessments with respect to improvements on Stone-wall Street in said city.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 638, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary within the Town of Mooresville in Iredell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 664, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Polk County to adjust or cancel delinquent tax accounts for the period 1951 through 1953.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 675, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of Lewiston in Bertie County so as to extend the terms of office of the officials of the said town.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 188, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 25 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to the establishment of county recorder’s courts as it relates to such court in Bladen 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 Messrs. Jordan, Craig and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 678, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 605, Public-Local Laws of 1919, as amended, so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County to make certain appropriations for the use of the Asheville Agricultural Development Council.
Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 679, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the territorial jurisdiction of the police of the Town of Aberdeen.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Reynolds:

H. B. 680, a bill to be entitled An act to make the State Highway and Public Works Commission and others liable for damages resulting from interfering with the natural flow of water.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Ferebee:

H. B. 681, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the power board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said board, appointing members thereof and authorizing certain expenditures by said board.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Davis:

H. B. 682, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials and the fees of jurors in Rutherford County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 683, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the selection and term of office of members of the County Board of Education of Rutherford County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Floyd of Columbus and Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 684, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to Civil Defense.

Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. 685, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 108 of the Private Laws of 1907, so as to provide for the appointment of a tax collector in the Town of Goldston.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 686, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 164-13 so as to authorize the General Statutes commission to budget and expend funds made available for the commission.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

And,


Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Powe, Woodard of Wilson, Hill, Hostetler and Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 688, a bill to be entitled An act to increase coverage requirements of the Financial Responsibility Law.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 689, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Sheriff of Davidson County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Byrum:

H. B. 690, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make Paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Chowan County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

And,

H. B. 691, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain homeowners in Chowan County by allowing them to transport, over the public highways of the county, certain buildings which they are requested to remove by virtue of the expansion of the Naval Air Station in said county.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Arledge:

H. B. 692, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the nomination and election of members of the Board of Education of Polk County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

And,

H. B. 693, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation and expense allowances for the County Commissioners of Polk County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 694, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Saluda, Polk County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 695, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Tryon, Polk County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Burgess:

H. B. 696, a bill to be entitled An act relating to punishment for public drunkenness in Camden County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 697, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Camden County to fix the fees to be charged by various county officers.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 698, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 694 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to the Recorder's Court of Camden County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 699, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the election of members of county boards of education.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 700, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize revaluation of all property in Harnett County in the year 1958 or in the year 1959.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 701, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of the police officers of the Town of Lillington so as to include all territory within one mile of the corporate limits of said town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 702, a bill to be entitled An act to establish and fix the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Lillington.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
And,

H. B. 703, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain volunteer firemen of the fire department of the Town of Coats in Harnett County from jury duty.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Uzzell, Bost, Pittman and Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 704, a bill to be entitled An act to adjust gross receipts taxes paid by bus companies under General Statutes 20-87 (a) and 105-116 (3).

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Uzzell:

H. B. 705, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-96 relating to road or street not used within fifteen years after dedication deemed abandoned.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 706, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and repeal the Public-Local Laws applying to rural policemen, county policemen and deputy sheriffs in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 707, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the State Board of Education to provide a limited number of scholarships for certain school bus drivers from savings effected by said drivers in the operation of the school buses during the school year.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 708, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the transfer of surplus road bond funds of Franklinton Township in Franklin County to the school debt fund of Franklinton Township.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Whitehurst and Umstead:

H. R. 709, a joint resolution relating to the attendance of the members of the General Assembly at the inauguration of Honorable William C. Friday as President of the Consolidated University of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.
Rules suspended.

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

**By Mr. Venters:**

H. B. 710, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, to authorize the issuance of bonds to pay revenue bonds issued by any municipality under the provisions of the Revenue Bond Act of 1938.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

**By Messrs. Vogler, Snepp, Hicks and Love:**

H. B. 711, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to permanent registration of voters in certain counties of the state.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

**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. 192, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake the House fails to concur in the Senate amendment and requests conferees.

The bill remains on the Calendar pending appointment of conferees.

H. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4, as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Hariss of Rowan the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 267, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Davidson County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 271, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-79 relating to residence of domestic corporations for venue purposes.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 276, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-197 in respect to the use of profane or indecent language on the highways in Washington County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 80, a bill to be entitled An act creating an Interdepartmental Building Regulation Committee to coordinate the activities of State agencies in the field of building regulations.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

S. B. 81, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Building Code Council and authorizing it to adopt, amend, and interpret a State Building Code and hear appeals from agencies enforcing the Code.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

S. B. 250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 31-24 and General Statutes 31-25 relating to the probate of will when witnesses are non-residents.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Charter of the Town of Cove City in Craven County and to reactivate the municipal government of Cove City.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to establish, operate, maintain and regulate off-street parking lots and to provide for the collection of tolls for the use thereof.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 581, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Southern Pines, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Micro, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Bynum,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter, and related Private Laws, of the City of Goldsboro.

On motion of Mr. Holmes consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, April 17, 1957.

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 279 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of school bonds so as to provide for the extension and enlargement of the boundaries of such school districts and to provide for the issuance of additional school bonds, and validating the creation of school districts under said Chapter 279.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 142, a bill to be entitled An act to make certain amendments in the Uniform Driver's License Law.
On motion of Mr. Philpott consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 16, 1957.

H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-31 relating to disfigurement.

On motion of Mr. Bowman Committee amendment No. 1 is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Bowman Committee amendment No. 2 is adopted.

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

H. B. 469, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsection 3 of General Statutes 7-29.1 relating to the duties of the administrative assistant to the Chief Justices.

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

H. B. 477, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 81 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to weights and measures.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 490, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name of the draftsman.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-155 and General Statutes 7-164 relating to fees deposited for a jury trial before a Justice of the Peace.

On motion of Mr. Gavin Committee amendment No. 1 is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Thompson consideration of the bill is postponed until Monday Night, April 15, 1957.

H. B. 496, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate duplication among, and to improve the effectiveness of, the water resource programs of the state.

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

H. B. 506, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-133 relating to the duty of boards of education to promulgate rules and regulations governing the use of school buildings.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 512, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-218, relating to school activity bus drivers.

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

S. B. 210, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 6, Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to registration of voters.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. 22. An Act to prohibit the discharge of raw sewerage, industrial waste and other noxious and deleterious substances into the waters of Neuse River or its tributaries which shall render said waters harmful to the public health and fish life.

H. B. 421. An Act to permit the Commissioners of the Town of Hillsboro to convey certain land within said town to the Hillsboro Library Association and to the Hillsboro Presbyterian Church.

H. B. 462. An Act amending the County Finance Act to authorize the issuance of bonds by counties for water systems and sanitary sewer systems and fixing the maximum maturities of such bonds, and amending Section 153-9 of the General Statutes to authorize counties to acquire, construct, operate, lease and dispose of water systems and sanitary sewer systems and to contract for the operation and lease of such systems and for a supply of water and the disposal of sewage.

H. B. 605. An Act to amend Chapter 342 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, 1901, as amended, being the Charter of the Town of Scotland Neck relating to the election of the Mayor and Board of Commissioners.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House takes a recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House meets pursuant to its recess and resumes consideration of business, Mr. Speaker Doughton presiding.

Mr. Floyd of Robeson is granted a leave of absence for Friday, April 12, 1957.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 130, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Holly Ridge in Onslow County.

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 provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Towns of Swansboro and Richlands in Onslow County.

On motion of Mr. Johnson the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the sheriff of Beaufort County.

On motion of Mr. Ross the Committee amendments are adopted.

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

H. B. 365, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Lexington to allow telephone or telegraph companies to make attachments to its light poles, and to charge a rent for same.

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 amend Chapter 313 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the nomination of commissioners in Bladen County.

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

H. B. 510, a bill to be entitled An act amending a part of Section 12 and Section 23 of the Charter of the City of Lexington, as amended by Chapter 5 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941.

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

H. B. 514, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Stanly County to prohibit the operation of loudspeaker, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said county.

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

H. B. 518, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Johnston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 525, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Cherokee County to extend the time for listing property for taxation.

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

H. B. 532, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 452 of the Private Laws of 1913, the Charter of the Town of Sharpsburg, so as to increase the number of town commissioners from three to five, and to provide for the filing of notices of candidacy and payment of filing fees by candidates.

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

H. B. 533, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Public Works Commission of the City of Fayetteville.

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

H. B. 534, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 45-37 relating to cancellation of instruments in the office of the Register of Deeds of Dare County.

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

H. B. 535, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Dare County.

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 General Statutes 153-9, as it appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Bertie County to fix fees charged by county officers.

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

H. B. 550, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-48.5 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes so as to make the provisions of Article 6A, Chapter 153 of the General Statutes, applicable to Bertie County and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said county to fix the compensation of all elective and appointive county officials and employees.

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

H. B. 552, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 496 of the Session Laws of 1955, establishing a pension fund for the retirement and disability of members of the Police Department of the City of High Point.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 553, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1182 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission of the City of High Point.

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

H. B. 554, a bill to be entitled An act to amend S. B. 6, ratified 14 February 1957, relating to the Clerk and assistant Clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of High Point.

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

H. B. 555, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1067 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the selection of the governing body of the Town of Long Beach in Brunswick County.

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

H. B. 560, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Rowan County to regulate the parking of vehicles on the courthouse grounds of said county.

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

H. B. 561, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Register of Deeds of Rowan County.

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 amend Chapter 1066 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Rowan County.

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

H. B. 565, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Henderson City Board of Education in Vance County to sell and convey the Junior High School property to the Board of County Commissioners of Vance County at private sale.

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

H. B. 567, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit persons under certain conditions from parking motor vehicles or otherwise trespassing on church properties in Person County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 569, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-178 relating to the marking of ballots in primary elections in Davidson County.

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 authorize and empower the Town of Highlands to establish a reserve fund to provide for the expansion and improvement of its hydro-electric plant and distribution system.

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

H. B. 575, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Highlands, in Macon County, to change and amend the terms and conditions of a deed executed by it to the Highlands Biological Station, Inc.

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

H. B. 576, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Camden County.

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

H. B. 577, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-178 relating to the method of marking ballots in municipal elections in the Town of Gaston in Northampton County.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 578, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Board of Equalization and Review of Northampton County to complete its work.

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

H. B. 582, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 252 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931 relating to districts for the selection of County Commissioners in Moore County and to amend Chapter 76 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to districts for the nomination of members of the Board of Education of Moore County.

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

H. B. 583, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 143-135 of the General Statutes relating to public building contracts to regulate the construction of school buildings in Moore County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 584, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the governing body of the Town of Clinton to convey certain real estate to the Boy Scouts of America.

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

H. B. 585, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Burke County to adjust delinquent taxes accruing from foreclosure proceedings.

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

H. B. 590, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court so as to make said section applicable to Madison County.

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

H. B. 591, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize clerical assistance for the County Accountant of Madison County.

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

H. B. 598, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Ashe County Board of Education to convey to the Trustees of the Warrensville Community Club the Warrensville school property no longer needed for school purposes.

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

H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County.

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

H. B. 600, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 19, Chapter 163, of the General Statutes so as to remove Cherokee County from the operation of the statewide Primary Law for the purpose of nominating Democratic candidates for county offices and members of the General Assembly.

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

H. B. 603, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year for Pitt County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 607, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Moore County for industrial developments and other purposes.

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

H. B. 608, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5, as it appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, so as to prohibit the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance in Moore County.

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

H. B. 609, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 364 of the Public Local Laws of 1941 relative to the Consolidated Board of Health of New Hanover County and the City of Wilmington.

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

H. B. 611, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the practice of phrenology, palmistry, clairvoyance, fortunetelling, or other craft of a similar kind in New Hanover County.

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

H. B. 612, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes so as to make said article applicable to the cities and towns in Lenoir County.

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

H. B. 613, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 578 of the Public-Local Laws of 1911, as amended, being the Charter of the City of Kinston, in respect to elections in said city.

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

H. B. 618, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-78.1, relating to trading for corn so as to make said act applicable to Robeson County.

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

H. B. 621, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 492 of the Public-Local and Private Laws of 1937 relating to costs in the Recorder's Court in the Town of Spencer.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 622, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Burke County.

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

H. B. 623, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1050 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the dumping and disposing of trash and garbage in rural areas outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wilson County.

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

H. B. 624, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Alamance County.

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

H. B. 649, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 220 of the Private Laws of 1893 so as to change the time for elections held in the Town of Aberdeen in Moore County.

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

S. B. 15, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 14 of the General Statutes by inserting therein a new section relating to the firing of weapons within one mile of the corporate limits of any municipality, relating only to Elizabeth City.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 73, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of certain officers in Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered returned to the Senate for concurrence in House Substitute Bill.

S. B. 91, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Stokes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 99, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with county boards of equalization and review, applicable to Lee County only.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 100, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Lee County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 117, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Halifax County to raise the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 120, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 273 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relative to the Board of Tax Supervision for Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 136, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe additional costs to be charged in the Mayor's Court in the Town of Clinton, Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 137, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173, relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations, applicable only to Sampson County.

On motion of Mr. Vann the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 140, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 252 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935, so as to divest the County Recorder's Court of Bladen County of jurisdiction over divorce actions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 147, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 33 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the rabies law in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 148, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Conetoe, in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 149, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 169 of the Private Laws of 1923, relating to the officers of the Town of Speed in Edgecombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 166, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 716 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 170, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 362, Session Laws of 1947 so as to require the Town of Columbus to pay to Polk County the same jail and turnkey fees as are required to be paid by the Towns of Tryon and Saluda.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 172, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the name of the Town of Cherryville in Gaston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 173, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 963 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the appointment of the Recorder of the Recorder's Court of Dallas in Gaston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 177, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-390 relating to clerks of court; term of office; fees; bond; sheriff relating only to Burke County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 203, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Halifax County Board of Education to convey title to certain school property located within the Weldon City Administrative School Unit to the Weldon City Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 130-159 relating to the construction and maintenance of sanitary privies in Rockingham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 211, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-135 relating to the letting of public contracts in Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 212, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-29 and fixing the compensation of members of the Franklin County Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 238 of the Public Laws of 1939 so as to provide for the appointment of a Vice-Recorder of the County Recorder's Court of Henderson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 220, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 162-7 relating to the fees to be charged by the Sheriff of Wayne County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 222, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 151, Private Laws of 1895, as amended by Chapter 1072, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the election of Commissioners of the Town of Grifton.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 233, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain county officials and employees of Northampton County and to remove the restrictions on the salaries of certain employees of Northampton County.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 237, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the City of Goldsboro and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the City of Goldsboro for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 244, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the members of the County Board of Education of Randolph County to seven members and to increase the terms of such members.

On motion of Mr. Hargett the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 248, a bill to be entitled An act amending S. B. 23, 1957 Session of the General Assembly, ratified on March 14, 1957, authorizing the County of Gaston to expend certain surplus debt service funds for public library purposes, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 265, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Recorder’s Court of Durham County and repealing Section 6 of Chapter 231 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 266, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 553 of the Session Laws of 1955 amending Chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887 relating to the terms of office of members of the Board of Trustees of Durham Special Charter School District.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 249, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election to determine whether the terms of office of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Bessemer City shall be staggered four year terms.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o’clock A. M.
FIFTH-SEVENTH DAY

House of Representatives
Friday, April 12, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

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

On motion of Mr. Hardy, Artie Shields of Greene County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Ellen Barrier, Susan Barrier, and William Smith Barrier of Guilford County are made honorary pagettes and page, respectively, of the House.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 155, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Towns of Swansboro and Richlands in Onslow County.

H. B. 330, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Sheriff of Beaufort County.

H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-31 relating to disfigurement.

H. B. 477, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 81 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to weights and measures.

H. B. 490, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name of the draftsman.

H. B. 577, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 relating to the method of marking ballots in municipal elections in the Town of Gaston in Northampton County.

REPORT 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. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.
H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.3 so as to authorize municipalities to expend Powell Bill Funds to provide shelter for municipal street construction, repair, and maintenance equipment.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-128 relating to the depositing of trash near highways.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 63, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the rules of the road provisions of the Motor Vehicle Law.

Reported without prejudice.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 712, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-51.1 relating to retired Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Courts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Stone, Gobble, and Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 713, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1071, 1953 Session Laws, authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the government thereof so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the operation or use of race tracks for motor vehicle racing in Forsyth County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 714, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Wilmington to convey certain property at private sale to the United States of America.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 715, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the fees for the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerk of the Recorder's Court, and Sheriff of New Hanover County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 716, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-38 so as to classify as special mobile equipment trucks on which special equipment has been mounted and used by Shrine Temples for parade purposes.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 717, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Moore County to fix the salaries of the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 718, a bill to be entitled An act to validate deeds of conveyance executed by the Town of Southern Pines, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mrs. Rodenbough:

H. B. 719, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1 1/2 of Chapter 155, Public-Local Laws of 1935 as amended by Chapter 267, Public-Local Laws of 1939, so as to allow the present Clerk of the Superior Court for Stokes County to disburse certain funds on a pro rata basis to the persons entitled thereto.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 720, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 90-71 relating to the sale of drugs in Nash County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 721, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees to be paid to the Coroner of Granville County for holding an inquest over a dead body.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Hardy:

H. B. 722, a bill to be entitled An act to create bird sanctuaries within the Towns of Snow Hill, Walstonburg, and Hookerton in Greene County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Messrs. Snepp, Vogler, Love and Hicks:

H. B. 723, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 590 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the carrying of concealed weapons in Mecklenburg County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 724, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 128 of the General Statutes so as to prohibit certain officers and employees of the state from appearing before the Congress of the United States or any of its committees and urging the adoption, rejection, amendment, or repeal of any federal law.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 725, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the revaluation and reassessment of real property in Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

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. 49. a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 535 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 of North Carolina entitled, "An act to authorize the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds," and Chapter 91 of the 1955 Session Laws amending said Chapter 535.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 131, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 153 of the General Statutes so as to increase the maximum number of members who may serve on a county planning board.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 161, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 382 of the Session Laws of 1947, as amended by Chapter 575 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the issuance of school building bonds and the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest on such bonds.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 228, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-200 relating to the election of a clerk for the Municipal Recorder's Court for the City of Fayetteville, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:
H. B. 460, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Charter of the Town of Cove City in Craven County and to reactivate the municipal government of Cove City.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 474, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to establish, operate, maintain, and regulate off-street parking lots, and to provide for the collection of tolls for the use thereof.

Mr. Speaker Doughton defers consideration of the bill until Tuesday, April 16, 1957, as requested by Mr. Childers.

H. B. 581, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Southern Pines, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 556, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kure Beach, New Hanover County, to levy a tax for the purpose of encouraging the location of business and for advertising the recreational advantages and resources of said town.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of Henderson Township as a recreation district and the levying of a recreation system tax.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing a revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize Bertie County to borrow money to defray the expenses thereof.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9, Paragraph 6, so as to authorize Madison County to levy a tax for the upkeep of county buildings, county homes for the aged and infirm, and other similar institutions.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 610, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1953 by reducing the amount included in the Superior Court costs for the support of the New Hanover Law Library and providing for the continuance of such item of costs.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Bynum, Byrum, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 639, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the levying of special taxes for the expenses of certain officers and employees of Granville County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Micro, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Bynum, Byrum, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Long, Love, Martin, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth,
Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, and Yarborough of Franklin—91.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 377 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Johnston County Law Library.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 254, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the Private Laws of 1927 providing a method for the ultimate widening, extension, and opening of streets; for the gradual acquisition of the lands necessary for such improvements; and for the assessment of the cost thereof so as to make said act applicable to the City of Hickory.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the taking of game from streets and highways within a defined area of Craven County.

On motion of Mr. Hargett the committee amendments are adopted.

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

H. B. 455, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the hospitalization of indigent patients of Richmond County.

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

H. B. 456, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment and compensation of certain officials and employees of Richmond County.

On motion of Mr. Bynum the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H. B. 457, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of the Richmond County Jail.

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

H. B. 517, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the County of Graham to expend certain surplus Debt Service Funds for the erection of a building to be used as a Public Health Center.

On motion of Mr. Ferebee the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 604, a bill to be entitled An act to confer jurisdiction upon the desk officers of the Police Department of Monroe to issue warrants.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 628, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes relating to the compensation of members of the County Board of Education of Richmond County.

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

H. B. 630, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 200, Public Local Laws of 1939, so as to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hertford in Perquimans County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 638, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary within the Town of Mooresville in Iredell County.

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

H. B. 640, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 82, Private Laws of 1901, so as to provide for the appointment of officers and employees of the Town of Fairmont and prescribing their duties.

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

H. B. 641, a bill to be entitled An act appointing certain members of the Fairmont City Board of Education.

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

H. B. 642, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1043, Session Laws of 1955, so as to exempt Robeson County from the provisions of said act.

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


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

H. B. 650, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in unincorporated areas in Montgomery County.

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

H. B. 651, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the term of office of the Judge of the Recorder’s Court of Montgomery County from two to four years.

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

H. B. 656, a bill to be entitled An act relating to procedure in the County Criminal Court of Yadkin County.

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

H. B. 657, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees to be taxed in the bills of costs in the County Criminal Court of Yadkin County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 659, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Red Springs.

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

H. B. 664, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Polk County to adjust or cancel delinquent tax accounts for the period 1951 through 1953.

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

H. B. 674, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Wilmington to convey its interest in the Community Hospital to the County of New Hanover.

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

H. B. 675, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of Lewiston in Bertie County so as to extend the terms of office of the officials of the said town.

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

H. B. 524, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 279 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of school bonds so as to provide for the extension and enlargement of the boundaries of such school districts and to provide for the issuance of additional school bonds, and validating the creation of school districts under said Chapter 279.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, April 17, 1957.

H. B. 85, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-230 of the General Statutes relative to the method of notifying corporations of suspensions of articles of incorporation.

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 amend General Statutes 143-213, Subsection (a) relating to the membership of the State Stream Sanitation Committee.

On motion of Mr. Satterfield the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 294, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-103 so as to increase the jurisdiction of Domestic Relations Court.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 115-125 relating to the acquisition of school sites.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the committee amendments are adopted.

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

H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Hyde County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said county.

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

H. B. 452, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a seven-year statute of limitations for actions by any municipality or county, owning and operating a hospital, for the collection of claims arising out of the operation of such hospital.

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

S. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate the requirement that Highway Patrol cars be painted black and silver.
On motion of Mr. Philpott consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 16, 1957.

S. B. 188, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 25 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the establishment of county recorder's courts as it relates to such court in Bladen County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 225, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Charlotte to compromise street assessments with respect to improvements on Stonewall Street in said city.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 262, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling, or clairvoyance.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. 15. An Act to amend Chapter 14 of the General Statutes by inserting therein a new section relating to the firing of weapons within one mile of the corporate limits of any municipality.

S. B. 39. An Act establishing a Department of Administration.

S. B. 91. An Act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Stokes County.


S. B. 100. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Lee County.

S. B. 117. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Halifax County to raise the salaries of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Halifax County.

S. B. 120. An Act to amend Chapter 273 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relative to the Board of Tax Supervision for Buncombe County.

S. B. 136. An Act to prescribe additional costs to be charged in the Mayor's Court in the Town of Clinton, Sampson County.

S. B. 140. An Act to amend Chapter 252 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 so as to divest the County Recorder's Court of Bladen County of jurisdiction over divorce actions.

S. B. 147. An Act to repeal Chapter 33 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the rabies law in Edgecombe County.
S. B. 148. An Act to amend the Charter of the Town of Conetoe in Edgecombe County.

S. B. 149. An Act to amend Chapter 169 of the Private Laws of 1923 relating to the officers of the Town of Speed in Edgecombe County.

S. B. 166. An Act to amend Chapter 716 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Wake County.

S. B. 170. An Act amending Chapter 362, Session Laws of 1947, so as to require the Town of Columbus to pay to Polk County the same jail and turnkey fees as are required to be paid by the Towns of Tryon and Saluda.

S. B. 172. An Act relating to the name of the Town of Cherryville in Gaston County.


S. B. 177. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-390 relating to clerks of court, term of office, fees, bond, sheriff.

S. B. 180. An Act to amend General Statutes 130-159 relating to the construction and maintenance of sanitary privies in Rockingham County.

S. B. 203. An Act authorizing the Halifax County Board of Education to convey title to certain school property located within the Weldon City Administrative School Unit to the Weldon City Board of Education.

S. B. 210. An Act to amend Article 6, Chapter 163, of the General Statutes relating to registration of voters.

S. B. 211. An Act amending General Statutes 143-135 relating to the letting of public contracts in Franklin County.

S. B. 212. An Act amending General Statutes 115-29 and fixing the compensation of members of the Franklin County Board of Education.

S. B. 214. An Act to amend Chapter 238 of the Public Laws of 1939 so as to provide for the appointment of a Vice-Recorder of the County Recorder's Court of Henderson County.

S. B. 220. An Act amending General Statutes 162-7 relating to the fees to be charged by the Sheriff of Wayne County.

S. B. 222. An Act amending Chapter 151, Private Laws of 1895, as amended by Chapter 1072, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the election of Commissioners of the Town of Grifton.

S. B. 237. An Act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the City of Goldsboro and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the City of Goldsboro for a distance of one mile in all directions.

S. B. 249. An Act to provide for an election to determine whether the terms of office of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Bessemer City shall be staggered four-year terms.

S. B. 265. An Act relating to the Recorder's Court of Durham County and repealing Section 6 of Chapter 231 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931.

S. B. 266. An Act to amend Chapter 553 of the Session Laws of 1955 amending Chapter 86 of the Public Laws of 1887 relating to the terms of office of members of the Board of Trustees of Durham Special Charter School District.

H. B. 56. An Act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $20,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, notwithstanding any limitation of debt in the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, or in any other law.

H. B. 221. An Act to rewrite General Statutes 58-39.4 as it appears in the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the definition of insurance agents.

H. B. 265. An Act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord to pay employees' contributions to Social Security for a six-months period with respect to policemen.

H. B. 275. An Act relating to the concealment of goods and merchandise in mercantile establishments.

H. B. 446. An Act to provide for enlargement of rural fire protection districts in Orange County upon petition of a majority of property owners.

Mr. Pittman sends forward the following memorandum and asks that it be spread upon the Journal:

One Hundred and Eighty-one years ago today the Provincial Congress of North Carolina adopted the Halifax Resolve. It was the first declaration of independence adopted by any of the thirteen American Colonies. The date is commemorated on our State Flag, and as we adjourn today we do so commemorating this date.

Pursuant to the above memorandum and upon motion of Mr. Pittman the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time only local legislation will be considered.
FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, April 13, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Harris of Wake reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake the House adjourns and will meet Monday at 8 o'clock P. M.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday Night, April 15, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Powe, Dianne Watson of Durham County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston, Billy Harriett of Johnston County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Thompson, Carla Ann Butler of Chatham County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Eddie O'Neal, son of Representative and Mrs. O'Neal of Hyde County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

Pursuant to nonconcurrence in the Senate amendment to H. B. 192 entitled, "A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements," and a request for conferees, Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. Gregory, Harris of Wake and Hostetler, and the Senate is so notified.
Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be correct, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 110, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-213, Subsection (a) relating to the membership of the State Stream Sanitation Committee.

H. B. 294, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-103 so as to increase the jurisdiction of Domestic Relations Court.

H. B. 316, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 115-125 relating to the acquisition of school sites.

H. B. 441, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the taking of game from streets and highways within a defined area of Craven County.

H. B. 456, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment and compensation of certain officials and employees of Richmond County.

H. B. 517, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the County of Graham to expend certain surplus Debt Service Funds for the erection of a building to be used as a Public Health Center.

H. B. 604, a bill to be entitled An act to confer jurisdiction upon the desk officers of the Police Department of Monroe to issue warrants.

REPORT 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. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 690, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make Paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Chowan County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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. Pittman:

H. R. 726, a joint resolution honoring the memory of Doctor Mac Johnson, former Senator and member of the House of Representatives from Halifax County.

On motion of Mr. Pittman the rules are suspended and the resolution placed upon its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Johnson:

H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 596, Session Laws of 1949, relating to the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the corporate limits of said town and to extend the jurisdiction of the peace officers of said town.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 728, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the jurisdiction of the Mayor's Court to an area extending one and one-half miles in all directions from the corporate limits of said town, but not including any part of Pender County or the Town of Teacheys.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Dr. Phelps:

H. B. 729, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Washington County to adjust the salaries and allowances of certain elective and appointive officials and employees of Washington County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 730, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 so as to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year in Washington County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 731, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Washington County and his deputies.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. 732, a bill to be entitled An act relating to punishment for public drunkenness in Anson County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Thomas of Johnston and Coates:

H. B. 733, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Article 24, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes relating to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Recorder's Courts of Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 734, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Johnston County Recorder's Court.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Brock:

H. B. 735, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Davie County Board of Education to convey to the trustees of the Center Development Association the property known as the old public school property at Center no longer needed for school purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 736, a bill to be entitled An act to change the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerk of the County Criminal Court, the Register of Deeds, and the Sheriff's office of Davie County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wallace:

H. B. 737, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Montgomery County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 738, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Mount Gilead to employ policemen and to fix their salaries.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wall:

H. B. 739, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the public display of intoxicating liquors in McDowell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 740, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-4 relating to the manner of drawing the jury panel in Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wooten:

H. B. 741, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 401 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the compensation of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Pitt County Recorder's Court.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 742, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to call a special election for the authorization of an Industrial Development Tax for Pitt County and to create and fix the powers of an Industrial Development Commission for Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 745, a bill to be entitled An act providing that township officers in Rowan County shall be nominated and elected by townships.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

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. 66, a bill to be entitled An act relating to conveyances and mortgages of household and kitchen furniture.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the sentencing, quartering, and control of prisoners with work day release privileges.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 227, a bill to be entitled An act to enable employees of county and city administrative school units of Robeson County to participate voluntarily in a plan whereby monthly deductions are made from salaries paid to be used for the payment of premiums for hospitalization insurance and life insurance for the benefit of said employees.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 259, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Rutherford County for ad valorem tax purposes.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 269, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 24, Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to the establishment of a Recorder’s Court as it applies to such Court in the City of Belmont.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-202, relating to secretly peeping into a room occupied by a woman.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Thompson 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. 556, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kure Beach, New Hanover County, to levy a tax for the purpose of encouraging the location of business and for advertising the recreational advantages and resources of said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargrett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Long, Love, Martin, McKnight, Murphy, O’Neal, Parker, Phelps, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Wilson of Caswell,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of Henderson Township as a recreation district and the levying of a recreation system tax.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 579, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize a revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize Bertie County to borrow money to defray the expenses thereof.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—102.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 592, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9, Paragraph 6, so as to authorize Madison County to levy a tax for the upkeep of county buildings, county homes for the aged and infirm, and other similar institutions.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 610, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1953 by reducing the amount included in the Superior Court costs for the support of the New Hanover Law Library and providing for the continuance of such item of costs.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—102.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 639, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the levying of special taxes for the expenses of certain officers and employees of Granville County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 377 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Johnston County Law Library.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
S. B. 254, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the Private Laws of 1927 providing a method for the ultimate widening, extension and opening of streets; for the gradual acquisition of the lands necessary for such improvements; and for the assessment of the cost thereof so as to make said Act applicable to the City of Hickory.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.3 so as to authorize municipalities to expend Powell Bill funds to provide shelter for municipal street construction, repair and maintenance equipment.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the committee amendment is adopted.
Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-155 and General Statutes 7-164 relating to fees deposited for a jury trial before a justice of the peace.

On motion of Mr. Gavin the bill and all amendments are recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 542, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 50-12 relating to the resumption by a divorced woman of her maiden name or the name of a prior deceased husband.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-128, relating to the depositing of trash near highways.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the committee amendments are adopted.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment, which is adopted.
On motion of Mr. Uzzell the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing counties to pay reasonable fees for counsel employed to defend election officials.

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

H. B. 572, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws so as to validate certain amendments to corporate charters extending corporate existence.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 625, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with county boards of Equalization and Review.

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

H. B. 668, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 15 of the General Statutes so as to prohibit justices of the peace becoming bail for any prisoner for money or property.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendment is adopted.

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

S. B. 56, a bill to be entitled An act amending certain sections of Chapters 121, 132 and 153 of the General Statutes relating to public records and the State Department of Archives and History.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 59, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 52 of Chapter 14 of General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the parking of vehicles on school grounds.

Mr. Wicker withdraws the amendment heretofore offered.

Mr. Wilson of Union offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 87, a bill to be entitled An act to permit banks of this state to operate on a five day week when after hearing the Commissioner of Banks shall grant such authority in respect to the banks in any city or town.

On motion of Mr. Whitley consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 16, 1957.
S. B. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 15 of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of search warrant and to the competence of evidence obtained in making searches.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 145, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 23, Chapter 1 of the General Statutes to provide that the petitioner in all condemnation proceedings who submits to a voluntary nonsuit or otherwise abandons the proceeding be taxed with a reasonable fee for the respondent's attorney.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 16, 1957.

S. B. 153, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the procedure for execution on forfeited recognizances.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 175, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-70 relating to terms of Superior Court so as to authorize the Chief Justice to change the designation of statutory court terms from one designation to another where necessity is found.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 183, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the service of warrants in criminal actions.

Mr. Dill offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 208, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-129.1 relating to the sale of venus fly trap plants.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 246, a bill to be entitled An act to correct and clarify General Statutes 7-39.15 relating to retirement of Justices of the Supreme Court.

The bill passes its second reading.

Mr. Kiser objects to the third reading of the bill.

Mr. Uzzell moves that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on its third reading. The motion prevails.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Judy Cains, Patricia Dane Neal and James William Neal of Forsyth County are made honorary pagettes and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Powe, Robert Dillard Teer, Jr., and Marvin Roycroft Teer of Durham County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Quinn the following boys and girls of Cabarrus County are made honorary pages and pagettes, respectively, of the House: Jeffery Lee Brock, George E. Klutz, Timothy Owen Jenkins, Pamala Ann Brafford, Carolyn Jane Brafford, Gypsie Lynn Huntley, Jodie Elaine Huntley, Marilyn Kaye Klutz, Andre Wall and Anne Elizabeth Jenkins.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
April 16, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in Senate amendment to H. B. 192 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements," and request for a conference and the appointment of conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Hoyle and Williams, to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

Mr. Ross moves that S. R. 156 entitled, "a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to pass an act to provide for the labeling of cigarettes and other tobacco products which contain homogenized, reconstituted or synthetic tobacco," be taken from the unfavorable Calendar and placed on the Calendar.
On this motion Mr. Speight calls for the “ayes” and “noes,” the call is sustained.

The roll of the House is called and the motion offered by Mr. Ross fails to sustain by the following vote:


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Bell, Brinkley, Bynum, Childers, Clark, Craig, Davis, Delamar, Eggers, Falls, Ferebee, Gavin, Gobble, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hicks, Hill, Hughes, Jordan, Kemp, Leake, McKnight, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Shreve, Snepp, Stone, Taylor, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Umstead, Vogler, Wallace, Whitley, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—46.

SUBCOMMITTEE APPOINTMENT

Mr. Venters, for the Committee on Appropriations, announces the following as appointed to the House Appropriations Subcommittee:

Representatives Venters, Hewlett, Blue, Buchanan, Gobble, Gregory, Harriss of Rowan, Hill, Kerr, Phelps, McKnight, Thompson, Umstead, Williams of Yadkin and Yarborough of Franklin.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 180, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.3 so as to authorize municipalities to expend Powell Bill funds to provide shelter for municipal street construction, repair and maintenance equipment.

H. B. 572, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws so as to validate certain amendments to corporate charters extending corporate existence.

H. B. 668, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 15 of the General Statutes so as to prohibit justices of the peace becoming bail for any prisoner for money or property.
REPORT 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. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 408, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit insurance agents from representing unauthorized companies.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent tie-in sales with life insurance.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 412, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-44 relating to resident agents.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 134, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance adjusters.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Stone, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 85, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the City of Thomasville as contained in Chapter 196 of the Private Laws for the year 1929, to authorize calling of elections on extension of Thomasville city limits.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Wilson of Union, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 115, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-30 so as to provide for the disposition of the county dog damage fund at the end of each fiscal year.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 14-299 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to permit the confiscation of any motor vehicle used in the conduct of a lottery.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 448, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 51-8 and General Statutes 51-17 relating to proof of age of persons for a marriage license.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 498, a bill to be entitled An act relating to obligations of agencies supervised by the Farm Credit Administration as securities for deposits of public funds.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 499, a bill to be entitled An act relating to investments in obligations of agencies supervised by the Farm Credit Administration.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 570, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and clarify Chapter 65, Article 7, of the General Statutes relating to cemeteries operated for private gain.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 627, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the registration of licensed medical physicians every two years with the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled An act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the Charter of said city with respect thereto, authorizing said city to acquire property of Bessemer Sanitary District located within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of any such acquisition, and authorizing said city to contract with said district concerning the operation of water and sewer system.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 391, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the merger of the Town of Hamilton Lakes into the City of Greensboro, repealing the present charter of the Town of Hamilton Lakes, and authorizing and approving certain contracts and conveyances in connection therewith.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled An act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the charter of said city with reference to the corporate limits of said city, authorizing said city to acquire the property of any fire protection district within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of such acquisition, and authorizing said city to contract with any such district concerning the furnishing of fire protection.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Turner the Committee amendment is adopted.

H. B. 393, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 3A of Chapter 69 of the General Statutes to authorize any fire protection district to contract with a city or town to which all or a part of the area of such district shall be annexed concerning acquisition by such city or town or any property of the district and furnishing of fire protection.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 6 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes to authorize any sanitary district to contract with a city or town to which all or a part of the area of such district shall be annexed concerning acquisition by such city or town of water or sewer systems or other property of the district and the operation of such systems or other property.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 527, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 16, Private Laws of 1937, so as to change the membership of the Executive Board of the Peace Officers' Relief Association for Hertford County and to authorize the expenditure of $3500.00 for the construction of a building to be used as a meeting place for the association.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 545, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 relating to boxing exhibitions in the City of Charlotte.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 631, a bill to be entitled An act to validate street assessments levied by the City Council of the City of Jacksonville.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 634, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Pender County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 637, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 193, Private Laws of 1923, as amended by Chapter 28, Private Laws of 1937, so as to increase the compensation of members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Enfield.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 665, a bill to be entitled An act to revise the Charter of the Town of Gibsonville.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that the entering and acceptance of a plea of nolo contendere shall constitute a conviction within the meaning of the Uniform Driver's License Act.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the General Statutes relating to validation of corporate conveyances in which the corporate seal is omitted.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to the filing and registration of notice of assignment of accounts receivable.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 543, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 1-98.2 by adding a new subsection to provide for the service of summons by publication in those cases in which the defendant, a resident of this state, has departed therefrom or keeps himself concealed therein with intent to defraud his creditors or to avoid the service of summons.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 647, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 648, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Cleveland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 653, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fees for collecting and disbursing drainage district funds.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 654, a bill to be entitled An act relating to prosecution bonds in actions to foreclose drainage assessments.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 661, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 44-78 relating to the place of filing a notice of assignment of accounts receivable.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 696, a bill to be entitled An act relating to punishment for public drunkenness in Camden County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 723, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 590 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the carrying of concealed weapons in Mecklenburg County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 732, a bill to be entitled An act relating to punishment for public drunkenness in Anson County.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 276, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-197 in respect to the use of profane or indecent language on the highways in Washington County.

With a favorable report.

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. 205, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 90-97, relating to the sale of paregoric and similar medicinal preparations.

Referred to Committee on Health.

S. B. 229, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of Justices of the Peace of Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 280, a bill to be entitled An act amending subsection (2) of General Statutes 115-91 relating to the amount of the bond required of the treasurer of school funds.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 324, a joint resolution of respect to the memory of the Honorable Robert Eugene Little (Jr.) 1893-1956.

On motion of Mr. Taylor the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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. Zollicoffer:

H. R. 746, a joint resolution expressing regret and sympathy upon the death of Oscar Solomon Faulkner, former member of the General Assembly from Vance County.

On motion of Mr. Zollicoffer the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

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

A JOINT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING REGRET AND SYMPATHY UPON THE DEATH OF OSCAR SOLOMON FAULKNER, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FROM VANCE COUNTY.

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of North Carolina has been informed of the death of the Honorable Oscar Solomon Faulkner, a former member of the House of Representatives, and desires to make an official manifestation of the regret and sympathy, which is the sincere feeling of each member of the General Assembly, and desires to recognize and express appreciation for the life and contributions to public service of the said Oscar Solomon Faulkner, who died on April 10, 1957, in Henderson, North Carolina, and it is fitting and proper that the General Assembly should pause and pay tribute to the life, ability and service of this former member, and also call to mind some of his activities and public service; and

WHEREAS, Oscar Solomon Faulkner was born in Vance County, August 20, 1877, the son of Rufus H. and Nannie Clements Faulkner, married Miss Ruth Clements on June 25, 1901, served as a Deputy Sheriff of Vance County, Chief of Police of the City of Henderson, was a leader in the Farmers’ Mutual Insurance Company of Henderson, one of the founders of the Farmers’ Cooperative Exchange, served as a member of the House of Representatives during the Sessions of 1931 and 1933, and was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Henderson; and

WHEREAS, Oscar Solomon Faulkner, over a long period of years, was an active and successful farmer and enthusiastic leader, an honest, intelligent, loved and honored public official of his county and state; and

WHEREAS, the members of the General Assembly of North Carolina wish to express their heartfelt sympathy to the family of this distinguished citizen and to express their sorrow at his passing; NOW, THEREFORE, Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

Section 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina hereby expresses its sincere sorrow and sympathy to the family of Oscar Solomon Faulkner.

Sec. 2. A copy of this resolution shall be spread upon the minutes of the House of Representatives and a copy shall be sent to the family of Oscar Solomon Faulkner.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

By Messrs. Kerr and Thompson:

H. B. 747, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the practice of dentistry.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
By Messrs. Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer:

H. B. 748, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-70 so as to authorize the Franklin County Board of Education to appoint a school committeeman from the Epsom attendance area of Vance County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-37 relating to the apportionment of certain funds between municipalities.

Referred to Committee on Roads.

By Mr. Etheridge:

H. B. 750, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the distribution of alcoholic beverage control funds in Dare County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 751, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Leake:

H. B. 752, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-87 to provide that in case of a tie between the Board of Commissioners and the County Board of Education as to the school budget of Madison County, the Chairman of the Tax Equalization Board shall act as arbitrator.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 753, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to authorize cities and towns to construct water distribution and sewage collection and disposal facilities and systems outside the corporate limits.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Williams of Yadkin:

H. B. 754, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Yadkin, to construct and equip a new county building in Yadkinville, to issue bonds therefor, and to acquire necessary land for such purpose.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Childers and Falls, by request:

H. B. 755, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 40-2 so as to authorize the State Stream Sanitation Committee or the State Board of Health to authorize the exercise of the power of eminent domain
in order to effectuate the purposes of Article 21, Chapter 143 and Article 10, Chapter 130 of the General Statutes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Umstead:

H. B. 756, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 122 of the General Statutes relating to the mentally disordered and Chapter 35 of the General Statutes relating to persons with mental diseases and incompetents.

Referred to Committee on Mental Institutions.

By Mr. Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 757, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 50-16 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to alimony without divorce.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Gobble, Stone and Womble of Forsyth:

H. R. 758, a joint resolution honoring the life, memory and outstanding contributions of Santford Martin.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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. 142, a bill to be entitled An act to make certain amendments in the Uniform Driver's License Law.

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

S. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate the requirement that Highway Patrol cars be painted black and silver.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the Committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. White offers an amendment.

Mr. Floyd of Robeson moves that the amendment offered by Mr. White lie upon the table; the motion sustains.

Mr. Jordan offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Whitley offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

The bill passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Reynolds, 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. 188. An Act to amend Article 25 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to the establishment of county recorder's courts as it relates to such court in Bladen County.

S. B. 225. An Act authorizing the City of Charlotte to compromise street assessments with respect to improvements on Stonewall Street in said city.

S. B. 233. An Act to fix the compensation of certain county officials and employees of Northampton County and to remove the restrictions on the salaries of certain employees of Northampton County.

S. B. 244. An Act to increase the members of the County Board of Education of Randolph County to seven members and to increase the terms of such members.

S. B. 262. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling or clairvoyance.

H. B. 198. An Act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Burke County.

H. B. 217. An Act amending General Statutes 143-300 so as to provide for the destruction of records under the Tort Claims Act, by the authorization of the North Carolina Department of Archives and History.

H. B. 259. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-26 relating to the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Supreme Court and paid into the Treasury of the State, and to provide for the appointment of Deputy Clerks of the Supreme Court.

H. B. 302. An Act to prohibit carnivals and similar shows in Perquimans County.

H. B. 354. An Act to validate deeds of conveyance and other instruments executed prior to March 3, 1949 notwithstanding the fact that the instrument was not adjudged correct and ordered registered by the clerk.

H. B. 367. An Act relating to the fees of the Register of Deeds of Currituck County.
H. B. 372. An Act amending Chapter 262 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Vance County.

H. B. 383. An Act repealing the statutory provisions governing the officers, meetings and internal organizations of the State Association of County Commissioners.

H. B. 401. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Granville County to fix the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds.

H. B. 419. An Act to amend General Statutes 9-25 relating to grand juries in Camden County.


H. B. 450. An Act relating to meetings of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Forsyth, fixing the compensation of the members thereof, and repealing Chapter 81 of the 1947 Session Laws and Chapter 473 of the 1951 Session Laws pertaining to the same.

H. B. 463. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to increase the salaries of the officers and employees of said county.

H. B. 487. An Act to provide a uniform system for recording maps and plats in Surry County.

H. B. 489. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-335 so as to prescribe the punishment for public drunkenness in Randolph County.

H. B. 516. An Act to fix the fees of the Justices of the Peace of Transylvania County.

H. B. 520. An Act amending General Statutes 2-26 and fixing the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gates County.

H. B. 521. An Act amending General Statutes 162.7 so as to fix certain fees to be charged by the sheriff's office of Gates County.

H. B. 548. An Act to establish the compensation of various county officers of Davie County.

S. B. 56. An Act amending certain sections of Chapters 121, 132 and 153 of the General Statutes relating to public records and the State Department of Archives and History.

S. B. 73. An Act relating to the fees of certain officers in Halifax County.

S. B. 175. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-70 relating to terms of Superior Court so as to authorize the Chief Justice to change the designation of statutory court terms from one designation to another where necessity is found.

S. B. 208. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-129.1 relating to the sale of venus fly trap plants.

S. B. 231. An Act to amend Chapter 377 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Johnston County Law Library.

S. B. 246. An Act to correct and clarify General Statutes 7-39.15 relating to terms of Superior Court so as to authorize the Chief Justice to change the designation of statutory court terms from one designation to another where necessity is found.

S. B. 254. An Act to amend 156 of the Private Laws of 1927 providing a method for the ultimate widening, extension and opening of streets; for the gradual acquisition of the lands necessary for such improvements; and for the assessment of the cost thereof so as to make said act applicable to the City of Hickory.

H. B. 250. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-202, relating to secretly peeping into a room occupied by a woman.

H. B. 479. An Act to amend General Statutes 115-29, as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, relating to the compensation of the Chairman and the members of the County Board of Education in Harnett County.

H. B. 485. An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the City Court of Raleigh.

H. B. 486. An Act to fix the salary of the Mayor and members of the Council of the City of Raleigh.

H. B. 511. An Act to amend Chapter 26 of the Private Laws of 1935, as amended by Chapter 700 of the Session Laws of 1943, and as amended by Chapter 56 of the Session Laws of 1949, relating to appointment of members of the Board of Education of the Lexington City School Administrative Unit.

H. B. 519. An Act fixing the fees of the Jailer of Swain County.

H. B. 690. An Act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Chowan County.

On motion of Mr. Taylor the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the late Robert Eugene Little, Jr., of Anson County and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Pittman the following boys and girls of Halifax County are made honorary pages and pagettes, respectively, of the House of Representatives: Buzz Taylor, Ronnie Taylor, Frank Meacham, Jr., Chuck Wills, Martha Taylor, Mary Jane Meachum, and Sara Wills.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, Marshall I. Pickens, Jr., of Mecklenburg County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. McCravy, O. L. Yates, Jr., of Haywood County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Whitehurst is granted a leave of absence for Thursday and Friday, April 18 and 19, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Jo Ann Hester of Forsyth County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett H. B. 143 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide that the entering and acceptance of a plea of nolo contendre shall constitute a conviction within the meaning of the Uniform Driver’s License Act," is taken from unfavorable Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

On motion of Mr. Venters S. B. 55 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2, Chapter 371, Session Laws of 1955, authorizing appropriations for the support of Historical Societies," is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. White S. B. 164 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-47 to revise and extend the table of present cash values of annuities," is withdrawn from the Committee on Employment Security and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

REPORT 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. Craig, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.
Committee Substitute for H. B. 117, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-44 and General Statutes 7-45 fixing the compensation of the solicitors of the various Solicitorial Districts of North Carolina and providing that solicitors shall not be permitted to engage in the private practice of law while serving as such solicitors.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Craig the committee substitute bill is adopted.

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

H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the nomination and election of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the County Criminal Court of McDowell County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 36, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-64 relating to concurrent jurisdiction of superior and inferior courts in Gaston County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 128, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 110-22 of the General Statutes relating to the creation of juvenile courts and to the designation of judges thereof.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 213, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County to establish a general county court in said county under Subchapter VII of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1043 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the appointment of the Judge of the Juvenile Court of Henderson County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 594, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-53 so as to include activity school buses in its provisions.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 595, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to make certain corrections in the public school laws of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 596, a bill to be entitled An act relating to solicitations among teachers and pupils during school hours.
With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the bill is recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 597, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Article 31, Chapter 115, of the General Statutes of North Carolina as it relates to the licensing of business, trade, and correspondence schools and solicitors for such schools.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 748, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-70 so as to authorize the Franklin County Board of Education to appoint a school committeeman from the Epsom attendance area of Vance County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 280, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsection (2) of General Statutes 115-91 relating to the amount of the bond required of the treasurer of school funds.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 529, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Hertford County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 633, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 9 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the transfer of delinquent tax collections to the General Fund of Pender County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 676, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-335 so as to include Hertford County within the provisions thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 678, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 605, Public-Local Laws of 1919, as amended, so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County to make certain appropriations for the use of the Asheville Agricultural Development Council.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 706, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and repeal the Public-Local Laws applying to rural policemen, county policemen, and deputy sheriffs in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 708, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the transfer of surplus road bond funds of Franklinton Township in Franklin County to the School Debt Fund of Franklinton Township.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 741, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 401 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the compensation of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Pitt County Recorder’s Court.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 171, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Wilson County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 242, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of lost or stray dogs in Randolph County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 259, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Rutherford County for ad valorem tax purposes.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Womble of Wake, for the Committee on Employment Security.

H. B. 645, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that benefits under the North Carolina Local Governmental Employees’ Retirement System may be payable to certain members whose service is terminated prior to age 60.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 689, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Sheriff of Davidson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 721, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees to be paid to the Coroner of Granville County for holding an inquest over a dead body.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 729, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Washington County to adjust the salaries and allowances of certain elective and appointive officials and employees of Washington County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 731, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Washington County and his deputies.

With a favorable report.
Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 759, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Turlington Act, Article I, Chapter 18, as found in the General Statutes of North Carolina so as to include equipment or materials designed or intended for use in the manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Stone, Hewlett, Snepp, Hicks, Vogler, Gobble, and Mrs. Rodenbough:

H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

By Messrs. Satterfield, Clark, Vann, Coates, and Murphy:

H. B. 762, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for tax rebates on fuels not used upon the highways.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Britt:

H. B. 763, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-48.5 to authorize the county commissioners to fix the salaries of county officials and relating to the appointment of the Tax Collector and Auditor of Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 764, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the nomination and election of members of the County School Board of Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Britt, Brock, Thomas of Johnston, Brinkley, Satterfield, Anderson, Burleson, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Crawford of Swain, Eggers, Gregory, Hughes, Leake, Randall, Simpson, Taylor, Thomas of Stanly, Vann, Watkins, Williams of Yadkin, Woodard of Northampton, and Floyd of Columbus:
H. B. 765, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a statewide liquor, beer, and wine referendum at the November, 1958, general election.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Bost:

H. B. 766, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 147-45 relating to the distribution to the Utilities Commission of supreme court reports and session laws.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

And,

H. B. 767, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the North Carolina Utilities Commission to enact rules and regulations governing the internal affairs and business of said commission and to require the chairman of the commission to administer and execute said rules and regulations.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

And,

H. B. 768, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 62 of Volume 2B of the General Statutes relating to the issuance and distribution of reports of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, authorizing the use of certified mail in addition to registered mail for the purpose of serving certain notices, and to regulate the issuance of notices required by the Bus Act of 1949.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Kerr, by request:

H. B. 769, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 95 of the 1949 Session Laws relating to compensation of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Warrenton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Harris of Wake:

H. B. 770, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to permanent registration of voters in certain counties of the state, to the powers of county boards of elections, registrars and special registration commissioners in such counties, and to the assistance of certain voters in such counties.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mr. Bell:

H. B. 771, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,
H. B. 772, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Carteret County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 773, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-180 relating to fees of jailer for feeding persons in Carteret County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 774, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Beaufort to allow the Board of Commissioners to appoint a town manager.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Bell:

H. B. 775, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of police officers of the Town of Beaufort in Carteret County to the waters of Taylor's Creek, Gallant's Channel, Town Creek, and Beaufort Harbor.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Whitley, and Womble of Wake:

H. B. 776, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 4, Chapter 996, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Apex.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 777, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Garner to convey to the Trustees of Garner Lions Club certain lands located on Pearl Street in the Town of Garner.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wilson of Union:

H. B. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said district.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

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. 197, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, subject to the approval of the Advisory Budget Commission, to set the salaries of certain administrative officers exempt from the State Personnel Act.

Referred to Committee on State Government.
H. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Prison Department; to transfer control of the State Prison System from the State Highway and Public Works Commission to the State Prison Department, and to prescribe its powers and duties.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Clark 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. 474, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to establish, operate, maintain, and regulate off-street parking lots and to provide for the collection of tolls for the use thereof.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 390, a bill to be entitled An act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the charter of said city with respect thereto, authorizing said city to acquire property of Bessemer Sanitary District located within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of any such acquisition, and authorizing said city to contract with said district concerning the operation of water and sewer system.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 391, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the merger of the Town of Hamilton Lakes into the City of Greensboro, repealing the present charter of the Town of Hamilton Lakes, and authorizing and approving certain contracts and conveyances in connection therewith.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled An act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the charter of said city with reference to the corporate limits of said city, authorizing said city to acquire the property of any fire protection district within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and
conditions of such acquisition, and authorizing said city to contract with any such district concerning the furnishing of fire protection.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 527, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 570, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and clarify Chapter 65, Article 7, of the General Statutes relating to cemeteries operated for private gain.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 665, a bill to be entitled An act to revise the Charter of the Town of Gibsonville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 85, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the City of Thomasville as contained in Chapter 196 of the Private Laws for the year 1929, to authorize calling of elections on extension of Thomasville city limits.
On motion of Mr. Philpott the committee amendment is adopted.

The amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

S. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter, and related Private Laws, of the City of Goldsboro.

On motion of Mr. Stone the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 393, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 3A of Chapter 69 of the General Statutes to authorize any fire protection district to contract with a city or town to which all or a part of the area of such district shall be annexed concerning acquisition by such city or town of any property of the district and furnishing of fire protection.

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

H. B. 530, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 16, Private Laws of 1937, so as to change the membership of the Executive Board of the Peace Officers' Relief Association for Hertford County and to authorize the expenditure of $3500.00 for the construction of a building to be used as a meeting place for the Association.

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

H. B. 545, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 relating to boxing exhibitions in the City of Charlotte.

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

H. B. 631, a bill to be entitled An act to validate street assessments levied by the City Council of the City of Jacksonville.

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

H. B. 634, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Pender County.

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

H. B. 637, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 193, Private Laws of 1923, as amended by Chapter 28, Private Laws of 1937, so as to increase the compensation of members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Enfield.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 647, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

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

H. B. 648, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Cleveland County.

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

H. B. 696, a bill to be entitled An act relating to punishment for public drunkenness in Camden County.

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

H. B. 723, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 590 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the carrying of concealed weapons in Mecklenburg County.

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

H. B. 732, a bill to be entitled An act relating to punishment for public drunkenness in Anson County.

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

S. B. 276, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-197 in respect to the use of profane or indecent language on the highways in Washington County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 627, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the registration of licensed medical physicians every two years with the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Love, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

Mr. Jordan offers an amendment.

Mr. Kiser offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the bill and amendments are recommitted to the Committee on Health.

H. B. 115, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-30 so as to provide for the disposition of the county dog damage fund at the end of each fiscal year.

On motion of Mr. Valentine the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the General Statutes relating to validation of corporate conveyances in which the corporate seal is omitted.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Buchanan offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Uzzell offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 14-299 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to permit the confiscation of any motor vehicle used in the conduct of a lottery.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to the filing and registration of notice of assignment of accounts receivable.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the committee amendments are adopted.
Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 395, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 6 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes to authorize any sanitary district to contract with a city or town to which all or a part of the area of such district shall be annexed concerning acquisition by such city or town of water or sewer systems or other property of the district and the operation of such systems or other property.

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

H. B. 408, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit insurance agents from representing unauthorized companies.

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

H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent tie-in sales with life insurance.

On motion of Mr. Gregory the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 412, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-44 relating to resident agents.

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

H. B. 448, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 51-8 and General Statutes 51-17 relating to proof of age of persons for a marriage license.

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

H. B. 498, a bill to be entitled An act relating to obligations of agencies supervised by the Farm Credit Administration as securities for deposits of public funds.

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

H. B. 499, a bill to be entitled An act relating to investments in obligations of agencies supervised by the Farm Credit Administration.

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

S. B. 87, a bill to be entitled An act to permit banks of this state to operate on a five-day week when after hearing the Commissioner of Banks shall grant such authority in respect to the banks in any city or town.

Mr. Powe offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Ferebee offers an amendment which is adopted.
Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 183. An Act relating to the service of warrants in criminal actions.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

SIXTY-SECOND DAY

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Taylor, David Clark, Jr., son of Representative and Mrs. Clark of Lincoln County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Leake is granted a leave of absence for today and Friday, April 18 and 19.

Mr. Crawford of Swain is granted a leave of absence for Friday, April 19.

Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland is granted a leave of absence for Friday, April 19.

Mr. Speaker Doughton announces a Good Friday Worship Service for the Members and legislative employees will be held tomorrow morning at 11:00 o'clock A. M.
ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 115, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-30 so as to provide for the disposition of the county dog damage fund at the end of each fiscal year.

H. B. 170, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the General Statutes relating to validation of corporate conveyances in which the corporate seal is omitted.

H. B. 214, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 14-299 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to permit the confiscation of any motor vehicle used in the conduct of a lottery.

H. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to the filing and registration of notice of assignment of accounts receivable.

H. B. 409, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent tie-in sales with life insurance.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to modify the kennel tax provided for in the dog warden law.

With a favorable report.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 138, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt members of the armed forces of the United States and members of the United States Merchant Marines from the payment of poll taxes.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Falls the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-95 and General Statutes 113-144 relating to hunting and fishing license fees.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 353, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-297 so as to exempt from taxation certain personal property stored in Stokes County for shipment out of said county.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 461, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the garnishment and attachment provisions of the motor vehicle laws so as to make them conform to comparable provisions of the Revenue Act.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 606, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt agricultural products stored in Johnston County from ad valorem taxation for the year following the year in which grown.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 754, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the garnishment and attachment provisions of the motor vehicle laws so as to make them conform to comparable provisions of the Revenue Act.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said district.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 161, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 382 of the Session Laws of 1947, as amended by Chapter 575 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the issuance of school building bonds and the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest on such bonds.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 49, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 535 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 of North Carolina entitled “An act to authorize the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds,” and Chapter 91 of the 1955 Session Laws amending said Chapter 535.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 681, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the power board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said board, appointing members thereof and authorizing certain expenditures by said board.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 682, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials and the fees of jurors in Rutherford County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 685, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 108 of the Private Laws of 1907, so as to provide for the appointment of a tax collector in the Town of Goldston.
With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 693, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation and expense allowances for the County Commissioners of Polk County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 694, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Saluda, Polk County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 695, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Tryon, Polk County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 697, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Camden County to fix the fees to be charged by various county officers.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 698, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 694 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to the Recorder's Court of Camden County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 700, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize revaluation of all property in Harnett County in the year 1958 or in the year 1959.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 701, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of the police officers of the Town of Lillington so as to include all territory within one mile of the corporate limits of said Town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 702, a bill to be entitled An act to establish and fix the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Lillington.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 703, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain volunteer firemen of the fire department of the Town of Coats in Harnett County from jury duty.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 714, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Wilmington to convey certain property at private sale to the United States of America.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 715, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the fees for the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerk of the Recorder's Court, and Sheriff of New Hanover County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 717, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Moore County to fix the salaries of the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Moore County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 719, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1 1/2 of Chapter 155, Public-Local Laws of 1935, as amended by Chapter 267, Public-Local Laws of 1939, so as to allow the present Clerk of the Superior Court for Stokes County to disburse certain funds on a pro rata basis to the persons entitled thereto.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 720, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 90-71 relating to the sale of drugs in Nash County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 728, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the jurisdiction of the Mayor's Court to an area extending one and one-half miles in all directions from the corporate limits of said Town, but not including any part of Pender County or the Town of Teacheys.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 730, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 so as to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year in Washington County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 735, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Davie County Board of Education to convey to the trustees of the Center Development Association the property known as the old public school property at Center no longer needed for school purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 736, a bill to be entitled An act to change the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerk of the County Criminal Court, the Register of Deeds, and the Sheriff's Office of Davie County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 737, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Montgomery County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 738, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Mount Gilead to employ policemen and to fix their salaries.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 739, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the public display of intoxicating liquors in McDowell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 740, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-4 relating to the manner of drawing the jury panel in Pitt County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 752, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-87 to provide that in case of a tie between the Board of Commissioners and the County Board of Education as to the school budget of Madison County, the Chairman of the Tax Equalization Board shall act as arbitrator.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 763, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-48.5 to authorize the county commissioners to fix the salaries of county officials and relating to the appointment of the tax collector and auditor of Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 769, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 95 of the 1949 Session Laws, relating to compensation of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Warrenton.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 776, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 4, Chapter 996, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Apex.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 777, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Garner to convey to the Trustees of Garner Lions Club certain lands located on Pearl Street in the Town of Garner.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 202, a bill to be entitled An act to require certain State-owned motor vehicles to be painted in the same distinctive colors as those prescribed for State Highway Patrol cars.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 405, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for period of revocation of a driver's license upon conviction of second, third or subsequent offense of driving under influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug.

With a favorable report, as amended.
H. B. 433, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Uniform Driver's License Act by changing the definition of the word "Chauffeur."

With a favorable report.

H. B. 691, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain home-owners in Chowan County by allowing them to transport, over the public highways of the County, certain buildings which they are requested to remove by virtue of the expansion of the Naval Air Station in said County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 716, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-38 so as to classify as special mobile equipment trucks on which special equipment has been mounted and used by Shrine Temples for parade purposes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 182, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the issuance of a permit for emergency use of registration plates.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 711, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to permanent registration of voters in certain counties of the State.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 745, a bill to be entitled An act providing that Township officers in Rowan County shall be nominated and elected by townships.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 410, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 58-210 relating to the minimum number of persons required under a policy of group life insurance.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 227, a bill to be entitled An act to enable employees of county and city administrative school units of Robeson County to participate voluntarily in a plan whereby monthly deductions are made from salaries paid to be used for the payment of premiums for hospitalization insurance and life insurance for the benefit of said employees.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.
H. B. 429, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of raw sewerage, industrial waste and other noxious and deleterious substances into the waters of Tuckaseegee River or its tributaries which shall render said waters harmful to the public health and fish life.

With an unfavorable report.

S. R. 234, a joint resolution memorializing the Secretary of the Interior to issue a directive terminating plans for expansion of certain facilities on the Blue Ridge Parkway, and petitioning the members of the North Carolina Congressional delegation to assist in securing such directive.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 459, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-589 and General Statutes 8-59 so as to provide for the service of subpoenas and summonses for jurors by telegram or certified mail.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14, relating to the pensions of certain public school teachers.

With a favorable report, as amended.


With a favorable report.

S. B. 267, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Davidson County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 718, a bill to be entitled An act to validate deeds of conveyance executed by the Town of Southern Pines, North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 55, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2, Chapter 371, Session Laws of 1955, authorizing appropriations for the support of historical societies.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 167, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 161 of the Private Laws of 1911 relating to the Charter of the Town of Wagram in Scotland County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.
H. B. 662, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-161 relating to the number of members appointed to the Recreation Commission in the Town of Whiteville.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 596, Session Laws of 1949, relating to the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the corporate limits of said Town and to extend the jurisdiction of the peace officers of said Town.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 750, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the distribution of alcoholic beverage control funds in Dare County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 751, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 771, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 772, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 773, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-180 relating to fees of jailer for feeding persons in Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 774, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Beaufort to allow the Board of Commissioners to appoint a town manager.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 775, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of police officers of the Town of Beaufort in Carteret County to the waters of Taylor's Creek, Gallant's Channel, Town Creek and Beaufort Harbor.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 269, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 24, Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to the establishment of a Recorder's Court as it applies to such Court in the City of Belmont.

With a favorable report.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Holmes, Gregory and Stone:

H. B. 779, a bill to be entitled An act to permit municipalities to enforce collection of delinquent privilege license taxes in the same manner as the state and counties.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 780, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties and municipalities to appoint deputy tax collectors.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 781, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-59 relating to sale of municipal property.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Dill and Valentine:

H. B. 782, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount to call an election in the City of Rocky Mount to determine whether Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907, amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount, shall be further amended insofar as it pertains to the number and election of the members of the City Council and the Mayor of the City of Rocky Mount.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Dill:

H. B. 783, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for members of the Board of Commissioners of Edgecombe County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Crawford of Swain:

H. B. 784, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the term of office of the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Bryson City.

On motion of Mr. Crawford of Swain, the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

H. B. 785, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Mayor's Court of the Town of Bryson City.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 786, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the term of office of county commissioners of Swain County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Byrum:

H. B. 787, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 186 of the Private Laws of 1909 relating to a quorum at meetings of the Board of Public Works of the Town of Edenton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Britt:

H. B. 788, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsection 12a of General Statutes 153-9 to include Bladen County in the list of counties authorized to fix fees charged by county officers.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 789, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 101 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to names of persons.

Referred to Committee on Health.

By Messrs. Hill, Crawford of Buncombe and Clark:

H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-126 relating to building permits.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 791, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 83 of the General Statutes relating to architects.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 792, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to the procedure to be followed in voting a split ticket.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Messrs. Snepp, Vogler and Hicks:
H. B. 793, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to consent to suit in Superior Court (Mecklenburg County) by Ray G. Register, and should the said Ray G. Register obtain judgment or the matter be compromised, then to authorize the said Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay same.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 794, a bill to be entitled An act empowering the Charlotte City Board of Education to acquire title to land for school sites and title to or easements in land for street purposes where necessary to provide a means of ingress and egress to school sites.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 795, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 878 of Session Laws of 1953 to provide for the medical care of the indigent sick and afflicted poor.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 796, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations governing the parking of automobiles and other motor vehicles on property owned by Mecklenburg County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 797, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Mecklenburg County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 798, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366 of the Public-Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to the salaries of the mayor and councilmen of the City of Charlotte.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Whitley:

H. B. 799, a bill to be entitled An act to delete the appeal provisions of the Financial Responsibility Act and to provide for a suspension of registration for failure to comply with the Act.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.
By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. 800, a bill to be entitled An act to make it unlawful for any person to knowingly make false statements to officers constituting charges of the commission of crime.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 801, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 89-7 relating to licensing of engineers.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Parker:

H. B. 802, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election in the Town of Ahoskie, North Carolina, upon the question of adopting the city manager form of government.

On motion of Mr. Parker the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 803, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Davidson to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building or buildings, including parking facilities, in Lexington.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 804, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Lillington to fix and determine the tax values of all taxable property situate within the corporate limits of said Town.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Gaither:

H. B. 805, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-5 so as to increase the compensation of the coroner of Transylvania County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 806, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 40-20 relating to jury trials in certain eminent domain proceedings.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 807, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments at a certain State Historic site.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

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. 296, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 9-25 of the General Statutes to provide for the terms of service of grand jurors in Wilkes County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 300, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the discounts for prepayment of taxes in the Town of Boiling Springs in Cleveland County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 313, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the sale of sixteen feet of land heretofore dedicated and established as an alley-way leading into the Gaston County Courthouse site and which is no longer needed for any county purposes.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 623, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1050 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the dumping and disposing of trash and garbage in rural areas outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wilson County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Wilson 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. 390, a bill to be entitled An act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the Charter of said City with respect thereto, authorizing said City to acquire property of Bessemer Sanitary District located within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of any such acquisition, and authorizing said City to contract with said District concerning the operation of water and sewer system.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 391, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the merger of the Town of Hamilton Lakes into the City of Greensboro, repealing the present Charter of the Town of Hamilton Lakes, and authorizing and approving certain contracts and conveyances in connection therewith.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 392, a bill to be entitled An act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the Charter of said City with reference to the corporate limits of said City, authorizing said City to acquire the property of any fire protection district within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of such acquisition, and authorizing said City to contract with any such district concerning the furnishing of fire protection.
Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 527, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 665, a bill to be entitled An act to revise the Charter of the Town of Gibsonville.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burle-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 85, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the City of Thomasville as contained in Chapter 196 of the Private Laws of the year 1929, to authorize calling of elections on extension of Thomasville city limits.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Crawford of

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 259, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Rutherford County for ad valorem tax purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 426, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the nomination and election of the judge and prosecuting attorney of the County Criminal Court of McDowell County.

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

H. B. 529, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Hertford County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 633, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 9 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the transfer of delinquent tax collections to the General Fund of Pender County.

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

H. B. 676, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-335 so as to include Hertford County within the provisions thereof.

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

H. B. 678, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 605, Public-Local Laws of 1919, as amended, so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County to make certain appropriations for the use of the Asheville Agricultural Development Council.

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

H. B. 689, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Sheriff of Davidson County.

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

H. B. 706, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and repeal the Public-Local Laws applying to rural policemen, county policemen and deputy sheriffs in Cumberland County.

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

H. B. 708, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the transfer of surplus road bond funds of Franklinton Township in Franklin County to the School Debt Fund of Franklinton Township.

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

H. B. 721, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees to be paid to the Coroner of Granville County for holding an inquest over a dead body.

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

H. B. 729, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Washington County to adjust the salaries and allowances of certain elective and appointive officials and employees of Washington County.

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

H. B. 731, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Washington County and his deputies.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 741, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 401 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the compensation of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Pitt County Recorder's Court.

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

H. B. 748, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-70 so as to authorize the Franklin County Board of Education to appoint a school committeeman from the Epsom attendance area of Vance County.

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

S. B. 36, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-64, relating to concurrent jurisdiction of superior and inferior courts in Gaston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 171, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for the Wilson County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 213, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County to establish a General County Court in said County under Subchapter VII of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1043 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the appointment of the Judge of the Juvenile Court of Henderson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 242, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of lost or stray dogs in Randolph County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 570, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and clarify Chapter 65, Article 7 of the General Statutes relating to cemeteries operated for private gain.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 627, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the registration of licensed medical physicians every two years with the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 597, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Article 31, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes of North Carolina as it relates to the licensing of business, trade, and correspondence schools and solicitors for such schools.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 543, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 1-98.2 by adding a new subsection to provide for the service of summons by publication in those cases in which the defendant, a resident of this State, has departed therefrom or keeps himself concealed therein with intent to defraud his creditors or to avoid the service of summons.

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

H. B. 594, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-53 so as to include activity school buses in its provisions.

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 amending Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to make certain corrections in the public school laws of North Carolina.

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

H. B. 645, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that benefits under the North Carolina Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System may be payable to certain members whose service is terminated prior to age 60.

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

H. B. 653, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fees for collecting and disbursing drainage district funds.

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

H. B. 654, a bill to be entitled An act relating to prosecution bonds in actions to foreclose drainage assessments.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 661, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 44-78 relating to the place of filing a notice of assignment of accounts receivable.

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

S. B. 128, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 110-22 of the General Statutes relating to the creation of juvenile courts, and to the designation of judges thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 134, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance adjusters.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 145, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 23, Chapter 1 of the General Statutes to provide that the petitioner in all condemnation proceedings who submits to a voluntary nonsuit or otherwise abandons the proceeding be taxed with a reasonable fee for the respondent's attorney.

Passes its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Turner the passage of the third reading of the bill is deferred until Friday, April 19, 1957.

S. B. 280, a bill to be entitled An act amending subsection (2) of General Statutes 115-91 relating to the amount of the bond required of the treasurer of school funds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Reynolds, 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. R. 746. A Joint Resolution expressing regret and sympathy upon the death of Oscar Solomon Faulkner, former member of the General Assembly from Vance County.

H. R. 758. A Joint Resolution honoring the life, memory and outstanding contributions of Santford Martin.

S. B. 276. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-197 in respect to the use of profane or indecent language on the highways in Washington County.

H. B. 218. An Act to create a State Prison Department; to transfer control of the State Prison System from the State Highway and Public Works Commission to the State Prison Department; and to prescribe its powers and duties.

H. B. 399. An Act to amend General Statutes 53-77.1 relating to Saturday closing of banks.
H. B. 510. An Act amending a part of Section 12 and Section 23 of the Charter of the City of Lexington, as amended by Chapter 5 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941.

H. B. 549. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-9, as it appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Bertie County to fix fees charged by county officers.

H. B. 569. An Act to amend General Statutes 163-178 relating to the marking of ballots in Primary elections in Davidson County.

H. B. 576. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Camden County.

H. B. 608. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5, as it appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes, so as to prohibit the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortune telling or clairvoyance in Moore County.

H. B. 618. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-78.1, relating to trading for corn so as to make said Act applicable to Robeson County.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

SIXTY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Friday, April 19, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Snepp, Ted Hewlett, son of Representative and Mrs. Hewlett of New Hanover County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Messrs. Powe and Hill the following girls from Durham County are made honorary pagettes of the House: Tinga White, Hillary White, Dudley Hackney, Carolyn Hackney, Janet Jones and Donsay Jones.

On motion of Mr. Kerr, Louise Banks Powe, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Powe of Durham County, is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.
On motion of Mr. Kerr, Watts Hill III, son of Representative and Mrs. Hill of Durham County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Gobble, Russell Womble, son of Representative and Mrs. Womble of Forsyth County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Angie Davie of Guilford County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, "Sis" Strong of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Delamar the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Ted Collier of Pamlico County, a former member of the House.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Hargett for today, April 19, 1957.

EASTER SERVICES

The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived, Mr. Speaker Doughton announces a recess of the House in order that the members and Legislative employees may join in a Good Friday Worship Service conducted by the Chaplain, Mr. Jordan.

Pursuant to its recess and worship service, the House resumes consideration of its business, Mr. Speaker Doughton presiding.

On motion of Mr. Bell H. B. 774 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Beaufort to allow the Board of Commissioners to appoint a town manager," is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Local Government.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 710, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, to authorize the issuance of bonds to pay revenue bonds issued by any municipality under the provisions of the Revenue Bond Act of 1938.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 334, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-53 relating to the definition of occupational diseases.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

Mr. Gregory sends forward the following Conference Report on H. B. 192.
To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives

The following Conferees on the part of the Senate and the House, appointed to resolve the differences between the two bodies existing as to H. B. 192 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements," beg leave to report that we have agreed as follows:

1. That the House recede from its position in failing to adopt the Senate amendment.

2. That the House adopt the Senate amendment.

Signed Carson Gregory
          W. C. Harris Jr.
          Charles A. Hostetler
Conferees on the part of the House of Representatives
Signed J. W. Hoyle
          Staton P. Williams
Conferees on the part of the Senate

On motion of Mr. Gregory the Report of the Conferees is adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Jordan:

H. B. 808, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Subsection c, Section 74 of Chapter 452, Session Laws of 1947, which allows a commission of five per cent on funds paid to the Clerk of the Superior Court for Buncombe County for the use and benefit of a wife or children or other dependents.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 809, a bill to be entitled An act to require the inclusion, in the reports and recommendations of study commissions, information as to persons appearing before said commissions and material considered by said commissions during their study or in the preparation of their reports and recommendations.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. White:
H. B. 810, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the parking authority of the City of Kinston to issue its notices to raise funds to acquire real property for parking purposes and to secure the payment of such notes by deed of trust upon the real estate so acquired.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 811, a bill to be entitled An act relating to elections in Lenoir County and municipalities located therein.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Messrs. Thompson, Umstead, Buchanan, Hewlett, Jones of Ashe and Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 812, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 and General Statutes 135-18.2 so as to increase from $50 to $75 per month certain pensions paid certain retired teachers and minimum payments made to certain retired teachers and state employees, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Referred to Committee on Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement.

By Messrs. Coates and Thomas of Johnston:

H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled An act to create the Johnston County Peace Officers’ Relief Association.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Coates:

H. B. 814, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 12 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to public drunkenness in Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Whitley and Womble of Wake:

H. B. 815, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 28, Section 19 of the General Statutes of North Carolina fixing the penalty of the bond for the Public Administrator of Wake County and to provide for the payment of the premium on said bond from the general fund of the county.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 816, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-269 relating to the disposition of confiscated pistols or guns in Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,
H. B. 817, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-1 so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Wake to appoint an assistant coroner for Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
April 18, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate has failed to concur in House amendment to S. B. 33 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate the requirement that Highway Patrol cars be painted black and silver," and requests a conference thereon. To this end the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Jones and Moore to act with a like committee on the part of the House to the end that the differences existing between the two bodies may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message of nonconcurrence and request for conferees, Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. Philpott, Floyd of Robeson and Whitley and the Senate is so notified.

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. 162, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent unfair trade practices in the diamond industry.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said city.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 247, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-68.2, relating to disbursement by the Clerk of Superior Court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 294, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the outdoor advertising of prices of goods and commodities.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.
S. B. 311, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina Section 20-116, as amended, relative to the length of motor vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 315, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 141, 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina, entitled An act to amend Section 15-24 of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of warrants by justices of the peace.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 596, Session Laws of 1949, relating to the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the corporate limits of said town and to extend the jurisdiction of the peace officers of said town.

On motion of Mr. Johnston the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 754, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Yadkin to construct and equip a new county building in Yadkinville, to issue bonds therefor, and to acquire necessary land for such purpose.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Davis, Delamar, Etheridge, Falls, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 49, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 535 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 of North Carolina entitled, "An act to authorize the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds," and Chapter 91 of the 1955 Session Laws amending said Chapter 535.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 85, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the City of Thomasville as contained in Chapter 196 of the Private Laws of the year 1929, to authorize calling of elections on extension of Thomasville city limits.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered returned to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Broek, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Davis, Delamar, Etheridge, Falls, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Long, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, Parker, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 221, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 259, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Rutherford County for ad valorem tax purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
S. B. 161, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 382 of the Session Laws of 1947, as amended by Chapter 575 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the issuance of school building bonds and the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest on such bonds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 353, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-297 so as to exempt from taxation certain personal property stored in Stokes County for shipment out of said county.

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

H. B. 682, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials and the fees of jurors in Rutherford County.

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

H. B. 691, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain homeowners in Chowan County by allowing them to transport, over the public highways of the county, certain buildings which they are requested to remove by virtue of the expansion of the Naval Air Station in said county.

On motion of Mr. Byrum the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 606, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt agricultural products stored in Johnston County from ad valorem taxation for the year following the year in which grown.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 662, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-161 relating to the number of members appointed to the Recreation Commission in the Town of Whiteville.

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

H. B. 681, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the power board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said board, appointing members thereof and authorizing certain expenditures by said board.

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

H. B. 693, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation and expense allowances for the County Commissioners of Polk County.

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

H. B. 694, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Saluda, Polk County.

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

H. B. 695, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Tryon, Polk County.

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

H. B. 697, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Camden County to fix the fees to be charged by various county officers.

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

H. B. 698, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 694 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to the Recorder's Court of Camden County.

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

H. B. 700, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize revaluation of all property in Harnett County in the year 1958 or in the year 1959.

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

H. B. 701, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of the police officers of the Town of Lillington so as to include all territory within one mile of the corporate limits of said town.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 702, a bill to be entitled An act to establish and fix the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Lillington.

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

H. B. 703, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain volunteer firemen of the fire department of the Town of Coats in Harnett County from jury duty.

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

H. B. 714, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Wilmington to convey certain property at private sale to the United States of America.

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

H. B. 715, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the fees for the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerk of the Recorder's Court, and Sheriff of New Hanover County.

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

H. B. 717, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Moore County to fix the salaries of the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Moore County.

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

H. B. 718, a bill to be entitled An act to validate deeds of conveyance executed by the Town of Southern Pines, North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 719, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1½ of Chapter 155, Public-Local Laws of 1935 as amended by Chapter 267, Public-Local Laws of 1939, so as to allow the present Clerk of the Superior Court for Stokes County to disburse certain funds on a pro rata basis to the persons entitled thereto.

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

H. B. 720, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 90-71 relating to the sale of drugs in Nash County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 728, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the jurisdiction of the Mayor's Court to an area extending one and one-half miles in all directions from the corporate limits of said town but not including any part of Pender County or the Town of Teacheys.

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

H. B. 730, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 so as to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year in Washington County.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 735, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Davie County Board of Education to convey to the trustees of the Center Development Association the property known as the old public school property at Center no longer needed for school purposes.

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

H. B. 736, a bill to be entitled An act to change the fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerk of the County Criminal Court, the Register of Deeds, and the Sheriff's office of Davie County.

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

H. B. 737, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Montgomery County.

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

H. B. 738, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Mount Gilead to employ policemen and to fix their salaries.

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

H. B. 739, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the public display of intoxicating liquors in McDowell County.

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

H. B. 740, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-4 relating to the manner of drawing the jury panel in Pitt County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 745, a bill to be entitled An act providing that Township Officers in Rowan County shall be nominated and elected by townships.

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

H. B. 750, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the distribution of alcoholic beverage control funds in Dare County.

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

H. B. 751, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County.

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

H. B. 752, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-87 to provide that in case of a tie between the Board of Commissioners and the County Board of Education as to the school budget of Madison County, the Chairman of the Tax Equalization Board shall act as arbitrator.

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

H. B. 753, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 153-48.5 to authorize the County Commissioners to fix the salaries of county officials and relating to the appointment of the tax collector and auditor of Bladen County.

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

H. B. 769, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 95 of the 1949 Session Laws, relating to compensation of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Warrenton.

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

H. B. 771, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations.

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

H. B. 772, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Carteret County.

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

H. B. 773, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-180 relating to fees of jailor for feeding persons in Carteret County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 776, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 4, Chapter 996, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Apex.

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

H. B. 775, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of police officers of the Town of Beaufort in Carteret County to the waters of Taylor's Creek, Gallant's Channel, Town Creek and Beaufort Harbor.

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

H. B. 777, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Garner to convey to the Trustees of Garner Lions Club certain lands located on Pearl Street in the Town of Garner.

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

S. B. 227, a bill to be entitled An act to enable employees of county and city administrative school units of Robeson County to participate voluntarily in a plan whereby monthly deductions are made from salaries paid to be used for the payments of premiums for hospitalization insurance and life insurance for the benefit of said employees.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 269, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 24, Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to the establishment of a Recorder's Court as it applies to such Court in the City of Belmont.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 167, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 161 of the Private Laws of 1911 relating to the Charter of the Town of Wagram in Scotland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 267, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Davidson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 36. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-64, relating to concurrent jurisdiction of superior and inferior courts in Gaston County.
S. B. 87. An Act to permit banks of this state to operate on a five-day week when after hearing the Commissioner of Banks shall grant such authority in respect to the banks in any city or town.

S. B. 128. An Act to amend General Statutes 110-22 of the General Statutes relating to the creation of juvenile courts, and to the designation of judges thereof.

S. B. 134. An Act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes relating to the qualification of insurance adjusters.

S. B. 171. An Act to extend the time for the Wilson County Board of Equalization and Review to complete its work in 1957.

S. B. 213. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Henderson County to establish a general county court in said county under Subchapter VII of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes.

S. B. 215. An Act to amend Chapter 1043 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the appointment of the Judge of the Juvenile Court of Henderson County.

S. B. 242. An Act relating to the disposition of lost or stray dogs in Randolph County.

S. B. 280. An Act amending Subsection (2) of General Statutes 115-91 relating to the amount of the bond required of the treasurer of school funds.

H. B. 294. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-103 as to increase the jurisdiction of domestic relations court.

H. B. 163. An Act to require persons, other than certain Indians, living on Indian Reservations in Swain County to list and pay personal property taxes.

H. B. 314. An Act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Nash County for industrial development and other purposes.

H. B. 384. An Act to rewrite General Statutes 14-322 relating to criminal prosecutions for nonsupport of wife and children so as to provide that where a parent has not abandoned his children as now provided in General Statutes 14-322 or is not living with his wife and subject to prosecution under General Statutes 14-325, the wilful failure to support one's children is a misdemeanor whether the parent abandons them or not.


H. B. 468. An Act amending Chapter 424, Session Laws of 1953 so as to increase the amount of nontax funds that may be appropriated by the Town of Ayden for recreational purposes.

H. B. 469. An Act amending Subsection 3 of General Statutes 7-29.1 relating to the duties of the Administrative assistant to the Chief Justice.

H. B. 484. An Act to amend Chapter 28 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to authorize the allowance of counsel fees to attorneys serving as representatives.

H. B. 623. An Act to amend Chapter 1050 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the dumping and disposing of trash and garbage in rural areas outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wilson County.

H. B. 651. An Act to increase the term of office of the Judge of the Recorder's Court of Montgomery County from two to four years.

H. B. 656. An Act relating to procedure in the County Criminal Court of Yadkin County.

H. B. 657. An Act to fix the fees to be taxed in the bills of costs in the County Criminal Court of Yadkin County.

On motion of Mr. Byrum the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M. at which time only Public-Local legislation will be considered.

SIXTY-FOURTH DAY
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, April 20, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Whitley, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by Mr. Speight of Bertie County.

Mr. Parker, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Randall the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

SIXTY-FIFTH DAY
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday Night, April 22, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Hardy, Max Childers and David Childers, sons of Representative and Mrs. Childers, are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, James Michael Buchanan of Henderson County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Watkins the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Thomas Allen of Granville County, a former member of the House.

On motion of Mr. Wooten, Helen Russell Moseley and Elizabeth Pannill Moseley of Pitt County are made honorary pagettes of the House.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be correct, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 691, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain homeowners in Chowan County by allowing them to transport, over the public highways of the county, certain buildings which they are requested to remove by virtue of the expansion of the Naval Air Station in said county.

H. B. 718, a bill to be entitled An act to validate deeds of conveyance executed by the Town of Southern Pines, North Carolina.

H. B. 730, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 so as to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year in Washington County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Gaither:

H. B. 818, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 956 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the governing body of the Town of Brevard to appropriate nontax funds to the Transylvania County Historical Commission.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 819, a bill to be entitled An act to provide aid to applicants for welfare benefits in Beaufort County.
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Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 820, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of justices of the peace in Beaufort County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Houk:

H. B. 821, a bill to be entitled An act abolishing the office of Treasurer of Macon County, fixing the salaries of certain county officials and providing for the appointment of a county accountant who shall also serve as tax supervisor and county tax collector.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 822, a bill to be entitled An act providing for an adjustment of taxes between the seller and the buyer of real property as a condition precedent to the registration of a deed in Macon County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 823, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Sylva in Jackson County to establish a reserve fund for permanent improvement purposes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 824, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Harnett County Board of Commissioners to fix the compensation for services rendered by Jake T. Lamm as acting Solicitor of the Harnett County Recorder's Court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 825, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Harnett County Board of Commissioners to appoint an Assistant Solicitor for the Harnett County Recorder's Court during the absence or disability of the Solicitor.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 826, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 6 and 8, Chapter 156, of the General Statutes relating to drainage districts so as to fix the compensation of members of boards of drainage commissioners and to authorize the issuance of assessment anticipation notes in amounts not to exceed $50,000.00.

Referred to Committee on Drainage.
And,

H. B. 827, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Section 10, Chapter 217, Public Laws of 1923, and all of Chapter 556, Public-Local Laws of 1933, relating to drainage districts in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Drainage.

And,

H. B. 828, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 156-83 relating to supervision of drainage district construction in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Drainage.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
April 19, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on H. B. 192, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements," to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, you may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message, the House having heretofore adopted a similar report, the bill is ordered enrolled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. B. 174, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 50-1 limiting the granting of divorces in inferior courts to cases wherein personal service of process has been obtained.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 191, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain fox hounds in Martin County from ad valorem taxes.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 226, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing and empowering the City of Lumberton, formerly known as the Town of Lumberton, and the Lumberton Recreation Commission to sell at public auction the property
now held by said city and recreation commission as a public golf course and recreational grounds.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 235, a bill to be entitled An act to remove from the Sheriff of Wilkes County the duty of collecting taxes, to provide for the appointment of a tax collector for Wilkes County, and to define his duties.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 236, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Register of Deeds, and the Sheriff of Wilkes County, and to provide for additional office personnel therefor.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 261, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-324 to allow Pitt County to furnish a tax rate along with the tax receipts in lieu of printing the same on the tax receipt.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 285, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 466 of the 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina in extending the term of trustees hereafter appointed for the free public library of the Town of Tarboro and the County of Edgecombe from three to six years.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 299, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Statesville to sell certain real property at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 312, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motorboats and other craft on the Northeast Cape Fear River between Smith's Bridge and Lane's Ferry Bridge in Pender County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 596, Session Laws of 1949, relating to the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the corporate limits of said town and to extend the jurisdiction of the peace officers of said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Craw-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 754, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Yadkin to construct and equip a new county building in Yadkinville, to issue bonds therefor, and to acquire necessary land for such purpose.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the board of education for said district.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Everett, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 49, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 535 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 of North Carolina, entitled “An act to authorize the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds,” and Chapter 91 of the 1955 Session Laws amending said Chapter 535.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 161, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 382 of the Session Laws of 1947, as amended by Chapter 575 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the issuance of school building bonds and the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest on such bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Everett, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Love, Martin, McCravy, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Randall, Reynolds,
Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 597, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Article 31, Chapter 115, of the General Statutes of North Carolina as it relates to the licensing of business, trade, and correspondence schools and solicitors for such schools.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to modify the kennel tax provided for in the dog warden law.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-95 and General Statutes 113-144 relating to hunting and fishing license fees.

On motion of Mr. Hargett consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 23, 1957.

H. B. 710, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, to authorize the issuance of bonds to pay revenue bonds issued by any municipality under the provisions of the Revenue Bond Act of 1938.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 55, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2, Chapter 371, Session Laws of 1955, authorizing appropriations for the support of historical societies.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 182, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the issuance of a permit for emergency use of registration plates.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Pitt consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 30, 1957.

H. B. 138, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt members of the armed forces of the United States and members of the United States Merchant Marines from the payment of poll taxes.

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

H. B. 405, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for period of revocation of a driver's license upon conviction of second, third, or subsequent offense of driving under influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug.

On motion of Mr. Britt the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 334, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-53 relating to the definition of occupational diseases.

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

H. B. 433, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Uniform Driver's License Act by changing the definition of the word "chauffeur."
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 461, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the garnishment and attachment provisions of the motor vehicle laws so as to make them conform to comparable provisions of the Revenue Act.

On motion of Mr. Ross the bill is tabled.

H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 relating to the pensions of certain public school teachers.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the committee amendment is adopted.

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


On motion of Mr. Powe consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 23, 1957.

H. B. 711, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to permanent registration of voters in certain counties of the state.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 716, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-38 so as to clarify as special mobile equipment trucks on which special equipment has been mounted and used by Shrine Temples for parade purposes.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 145, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 23, Chapter 1, of the General Statutes to provide that the petitioner in all condemnation proceedings who submits to a voluntary nonsuit or otherwise abandons the proceedings be taxed with a reasonable fee for the respondent's attorney.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 234, a joint resolution memorializing the Secretary of the Interior to issue a directive terminating plans for expansion of certain facilities on the Blue Ridge Parkway, and petitioning the members of the North Carolina Congressional Delegation to assist in securing such directive.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Mr. Jeffers, Methodist minister of Farmington, N. C.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Britt the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Clarence Clark of Bladen County, a former member of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Edwin Henry Martinat, Jr. of Forsyth County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wooten, Helen Russell and Elizabeth Pannill Moseley of Pitt County are made honorary pageettes of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Jordan, Frances Craig and Mary Locke Davis, granddaughters of Representative Craig of Buncombe County are made honorary pageettes of the House.

Messrs. Ferebee and Burgess are granted leaves of absence for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, April 23, 24, 25 and 26.

On motion of Mr. Zollicoffer, H. B. 748 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-70 so as to authorize the Franklin County Board of Education to appoint a school committee man from the Epsom attendance area of Vance County," is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 405, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for period of revocation of a driver's license upon conviction of second, third or subsequent offense of driving under influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug.

H. B. 559, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14, relating to the pensions of certain public school teachers.

H. B. 711, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to permanent registration of voters in certain counties of the State.
H. B. 727, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 596, Session Laws of 1949, relating to the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the corporate limits of said Town and to extend the jurisdiction of the peace officers of said Town.

REPORT 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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 669, a bill to be entitled An act relating to conveyances between husband and wife.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 705, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-96 relating to road or street not used within fifteen years after dedication deemed abandoned.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 733, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Article 24, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes relating to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Recorder's Courts of Johnston County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 793, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to consent to suit in Superior Court (Mecklenburg County) by Ray G. Register, and should the said Ray G. Register obtain judgment or the matter be compromised, then to authorize the said Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay same.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 803, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Davidson to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building or buildings, including parking facilities, in Lexington.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 814, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 12 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to public drunkenness in Johnston County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-57 relating to testimony of husband or wife in prosecutions for bigamy and bigamous cohabitation.

With an unfavorable report.
S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said City.

Reported without prejudice.

Mr. Love moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Local Government. The motion prevails, and the bill is recommitted to the committee on Local Government.

S. B. 296, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said City.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 779, a bill to be entitled An act to permit municipalities to enforce collection of delinquent privilege license taxes in the same manner as the state and counties.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 780, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties and municipalities to appoint deputy tax collectors.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 781, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-59 relating to sale of municipal property.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 786, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the term of office of County Commissioners of Swain County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 787, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 186 of the Private Laws of 1909 relating to a quorum at meetings of the Board of Public Works of the Town of Edenton.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 788, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsection 12a of General Statutes 153-9 to include Bladen County in the list of counties authorized to fix fees charged by county officers.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 815, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 28, Section 19 of the General Statutes of North Carolina fixing the penalty of the bond
for the Public Administrator of Wake County and to provide for the payment of the premium on said bond from the General Fund of the County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 816, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-269 relating to the disposition of confiscated pistols or guns in Wake County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 817, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-1 so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Wake to appoint an assistant coroner for Wake County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 818, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 956 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the governing body of the Town of Brevard to appropriate nontax funds to the Transylvania County Historical Commission.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 821, a bill to be entitled An act abolishing the office of Treasurer of Macon County, fixing the salaries of certain county officials and providing for the appointment of a County Accountant who shall also serve as Tax Supervisor and County Tax Collector.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 824, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Harnett County Board of Commissioners to fix the compensation for services rendered by Jake T. Lamm as acting Solicitor of the Harnett County Recorder's Court.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 247, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-68.2, relating to disbursement by the Clerk of Superior Court.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 299, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Statesville to sell certain real property at private sale.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize governing bodies of municipalities in Guilford County to create organizations for emergency life saving and rescue services or to contract for such services and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Guilford County to participate in sharing expense thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 296, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-48.5 relating to county officials and employees to include Burke County.
With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 528, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Jefferson in Ashe County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 660, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the City Charter of the City of Charlotte relating to the schools of the Charlotte Administrative School Unit.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 666, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 427 of the Public-Local Laws of 1927, as amended, relating to the compensation of certain officials in Guilford County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 819, a bill to be entitled An act to provide aid to applicants for welfare benefits in Beaufort County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 820, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of justices of the peace in Beaufort County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 191, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain fox hounds in Martin County from ad valorem taxes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the number and salaries of personnel appointed by the Sheriff of Randolph County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 261, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-324 to allow Pitt County to furnish a tax rate along with the tax receipt in lieu of printing the same on the tax receipt.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 673, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 561 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to vacation and sick leave for employees of Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 679, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the territorial jurisdiction of the police of the Town of Aberdeen.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 725, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the revaluation and reassessment of real property in Onslow County.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 202, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the City of Raleigh to require the improvement of streets and to assess the cost of such improvements against abutting property owners without petition under certain conditions.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 223, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 77 of the Private Laws of 1883 relating to the corporate limits of the Town of Mt. Pleasant in Cabarrus County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Quinn, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 256, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the advertisement of alcoholic beverages on any sign or billboard in Burke County.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 667, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 18-27 relating to local option elections on the sale of beer and wine.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Whitley, for the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. B. 632, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-77.1 relating to opening of vaults and safes by banks which are closed on Saturday.

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. Buchanan:

H. B. 829, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-168 relating to school attendance officers.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 830, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Lake Waccamaw.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 831, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the payment of certain delinquent taxes into the General Fund of the Town of Belhaven.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Wilson of Union:

H. B. 832, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 445 of the Session Laws of 1945, relating to the Employees' Retirement System of Union County.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

By Mr. Carpenter:

H. B. 833, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Hickory to enlarge and adjust the ward boundaries so as to include additional territories heretofore and hereafter annexed to the City of Hickory under the provisions of Article 36 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 834, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 254 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the signing of public documents, vouchers and other records in Currituck County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 835, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Vice Recorder and Assistant Solicitor of the Harnett County Recorder's Court.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Jones of Pitt, Wooten, Hardy, Whitehurst, Floyd of Columbus, Johnson, Delamar, Everett and Phelps:

H. B. 836, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating $28,000.00 to the State Extension Service of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture for the purpose of acquiring lands for the establishment of a State Tobacco Research Farm in Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Holcombe:

H. B. 837, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 544, Session Laws of 1945, fixing the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of Yancey County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 838, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 402, Public-Local Laws of 1925, relating to fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Messrs. Womble of Wake, Kemp, Britt, Harris of Wake and Whitley:

H. B. 839, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4, Section 24 of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to provide terms of four years for constable.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Pittman:

H. B. 840, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 193, Private Laws of 1923, relating to the election of commissioners of the Town of Enfield.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. McCrary:

H. B. 841, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 429, Session Laws of 1951, and fixing the salary of the Tax Collector of Haywood County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Bell:

H. B. 842, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection 28 of General Statutes 160-200 relating to the condemnation and removal of buildings in the Town of Morehead City, Carteret County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 843, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Section 8 of Chapter 363 of the Public-Local Laws of 1929 relative to the issuance of bonds and notes of Carteret County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Wall and Gregory:

H. B. 844, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-84 relating to removal of cases in the Superior Court to adjacent counties.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Vogler, Hicks, Snepp and Love:

H. B. 845, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 269 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 to facilitate the listing and assessing of additions to buildings, new buildings, and appurtenances of Mecklenburg County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 846, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1334 of the Session Laws of 1955 to make the provisions thereof applicable to the Town of Davidson in Mecklenburg County.
Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 847, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the listing of taxes of all house trailers located in Mecklenburg County on January 1st.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 848, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to appropriate funds not derived from ad valorem taxation to be used for improvements in the marginal land area of the John H. Kerr reservoir, which is located in Granville County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gaither:

H. B. 849, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-4 relating to the number of jurors to be drawn in Transylvania County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

And,

H. B. 850, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Transylvania County for industrial developments and other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 851, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the procedure for letting of public contracts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Vogler:

H. B. 852, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-37 relative to the license taxation of moving picture or vaudeville shows.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 853, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-36.1 relative to the taxation of outdoor theatres.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

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. 295, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize calling of elections on extension of Red Springs town limits,
Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

S. B. 317, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 468 of the 1955 Session Laws of North Carolina to amend the Charter of the Town of Tarboro to establish the corporate boundaries thereof.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. R. 325, a joint resolution to amend the Southern Regional Education Compact to increase the number of members of the Board of Control for Southern Regional Education from four from each state to five from each state and to specify that one member from each state shall be appointed by the Governor from among the membership of the Legislature of that state.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 275, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1104 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the manner of voting for group candidates in Stokes County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

S. B. 290, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes."

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes."

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 316, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize and empower the Mayor and the Town Council of the Town of Tarboro, North Carolina, to convey, with or without money consideration, to the Trustees of Howard Memorial Presbyterian Church of Tarboro, North Carolina, a certain part of the Presbyterian Church of the United States of America, a certain lot of land belonging to the said Town, and to ratify and confirm a certain conveyance heretofore made by said Town of Tarboro to the Trustees of said Church.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 551, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing counties to pay reasonable fees for counsel employed to defend election officials.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Kerr the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 843, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-19 so as to fix the terms of office of members of the Durham County Board of Education.
Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Powe 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. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said District.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to modify the kennel tax provided for in the dog warden law.

Mr. Valentine offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Britt, Buchanan, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcomb, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Philpott, Powe, Powell, Randell, Rodenborough, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Umstead, Uzzell, Valen-

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Arledge, Combs, Delamar, Kerr, Kiser, Reynolds, Speight, Turner and Whitehurst—9.

H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-95 and General Statutes 113-144 relating to hunting and fishing license fees.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Crawford of Buncombe and White—2.

H. B. 710, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, to authorize the issuance of bonds to pay revenue bonds issued by any municipality under the provisions of the Revenue Bond Act of 1938.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcomb, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Love, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Phelps, Philpott, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner,
Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 55, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2, Chapter 371, Session Laws of 1955, authorizing appropriations for the support of historical societies.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 182, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the issuance of a permit for emergency use of registration plates.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—110.

Those voting in the negative are: None.


On motion of Mr. Powe the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 709. A Joint Resolution relating to the attendance of the Members of the General Assembly at the inauguration of Honorable William C. Friday as President of The Consolidated University of North Carolina.

S. B. 167. An Act to amend Chapter 161 of the Private Laws of 1911 relating to the Charter of the Town of Wagram in Scotland County.

S. B. 221. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

S. B. 227. An Act to enable employees of county and city administrative school units of Robeson County to participate voluntarily in a plan whereby monthly deductions are made from salaries paid to be used for the payment of premiums for hospitalization insurance and life insurance for the benefit of said employees.

S. B. 259. An Act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Rutherford County for ad valorem tax purposes.

S. B. 267. An Act relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Davidson County.

S. B. 269. An Act to amend Article 24, Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to the establishment of a Recorder's Court as it applies to such court in the City of Belmont.

H. B. 16. An Act to authorize the Wildlife Resources Commission to fix open season on doe deer.

H. B. 68. An Act relating to the rate of taxation in the Town of Gatesville in Gates County.

H. B. 374. An Act amending General Statutes 153-9 so as to include Chowan County within the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.
H. B. 376. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the levy of a special tax in Tyrrell County with respect to the Veterans Service Officer, the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent and the Home Demonstration Agent.

H. B. 380. An Act to amend General Statutes 147-58, relating to the duty of the State Auditor to charge and collect the cost of making audits of certain agencies.

H. B. 402. An Act to expedite the settling of claims against contractors and their sureties in cases involving public contracts let by the State and political subdivisions thereof.

H. B. 472. An Act in relation to the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest of bonds of the Town of Lewiston.

H. B. 532. An Act to amend Chapter 452 of the Private Laws of 1913, the Charter of the Town of Sharpsburg, so as to increase the number of town commissioners from three to five, and to provide for the filing of notices of candidacy and payment of filing fees by candidates.

H. B. 542. An Act amending General Statutes 50-12 relating to the resumption by a divorced woman of her maiden name or the name of a prior deceased husband.

H. B. 638. An Act to create a bird sanctuary within the Town of Mooresville in Iredell County.

H. B. 706. An Act to amend and repeal the Public-Local Laws applying to rural policemen, county policemen and deputy sheriff in Cumberland County.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

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SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, April 24, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Buchanan is granted a leave of absence for Thursday and Friday, April 25 and 26.
On motion of Mr. Lloyd the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable T. M. Jenkins, a former member of the House from Graham County.

On motion of Mr. Randall the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable William T. McShane, a former member of the House from Henderson County.

On motion of Mr. Dill the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Ben Fountain, a former member of the House from Edgecombe County.

Davis Doughton Gregory and JoLane Gregory, grandson and granddaughter of Mr. Speaker Doughton's, are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Hargett is granted a leave of absence for Thursday and Friday, April 25 and 26.

Mr. Floyd of Robeson is granted a leave of absence for Thursday and Friday, April 25 and 26.

On motion of Mr. Thompson, Sharon and Gayle Davis, daughters of Representative and Mrs. Davis of Rutherford County, are made honorary pagettes of the House.

REPORT 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. Shreve, for the Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws, being the Business Corporation Act, so as to clarify the status of corporations having less than three shareholders.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 271, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-79 relating to residence of domestic corporations for venue purposes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 290, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes."

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes."
With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 753, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to authorize cities and towns to construct water distribution and sewage collection and disposal facilities and systems outside the corporate limits.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 810, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the parking authority of the City of Kinston to issue its notes to raise funds to acquire real property for parking purposes and to secure the payment of such notes by deed of trust upon the real estate so acquired.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled An act to create the Johnston County Peace Officers' Relief Association.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Coates the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 823, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Sylva in Jackson County to establish a reserve fund for permanent improvement purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 843, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Section 8 of Chapter 363 of the Public-Local Laws of 1929 relative to the issuance of bonds and notes of Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 829, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-168 relating to school attendance officers.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendment is adopted.

The bill passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Davis:

H. B. 854, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 564 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to challenges in the Recorder's Court of Rutherford County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 855, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and rewrite the Municipal Capital Reserve Act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 856, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 33, Chapter 160 of the General Statutes, authorizing municipalities to invest funds.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 857, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of Burke County the question of whether the Board of Commissioners of Burke County shall be elected for staggered four-year terms.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 858, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 15, Chapter 1 of the General Statutes relating to the pleading and proof of contributory negligence in civil actions for damages.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 859, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 8 of the General Statutes relating to the competency of witnesses in civil actions.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Burleson:

H. B. 860, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the payment of taxes in Mitchell County and to cancel and abate certain interest and penalties on delinquent taxes in said county.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,
H. B. 861, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of Mitchell County to fix the salaries of the County Accountant and his deputies, clerks and assistants.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 862, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 1 of Chapter 401, Session Laws of 1951 fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Mitchell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 863, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a Law Library for the public officials and courts in Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 864, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 127-23.1 relating to brevet rank of retired officers and enlisted men of the National Guard.

Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 865, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 866, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-152 to require motor vehicles other than motor trucks to follow slowly moving vehicles at such distance as will permit faster moving vehicles to pass safely.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

CONFERENCE REPORT

To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Your Conference Committee appointed on S. B. 33 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate the requirement that Highway Patrol cars be painted black and silver," has carefully considered the differences existing between the two bodies and respectfully recommends as follows:

1. That the Senate concur in the committee amendment offered by Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland and the amendment offered by Mr. Jordan.
2. That the House of Representatives recede from the amendment offered by Mr. Snepp, and that in lieu thereof an amendment be adopted to read as follows:

Amend Section 1 of the bill by adding the following at the end thereof to be designated as Section 1½: "Every motor vehicle operated on the highways of the state by officers and members of the State Highway Patrol shall be equipped with a siren. Whenever any such officer or member operating any unmarked car shall overtake another vehicle on the highway after sunset of any day and before sunrise for the purpose of stopping the same or apprehending the driver thereof, he shall sound said siren before stopping such other vehicle."

Respectfully submitted,
Cutler Moore
Paul E. Jones
Conferees on the part of the Senate

H. Cloyd Philpott
Philip R. Whitley
F. Wayland Floyd
Conferees on the part of the House

Mr. Philpott moves adoption of the report.

Mr. White makes a substitute motion that the report be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, April 30, which motion fails of adoption.

The question now recurs to the adoption of the Conference Report.

The Conference Report is adopted and the Senate is so notified.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Mr. Falls, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, announces the appointment of the following members on the House Finance Subcommittee: Messrs. Falls, Chairman, Askew, Bost, Craig, Fowler, Gavin, Harris of Wake, Kemp, O'Neal, Philpott, Vogler, White, Wilson of Union, Yarborough of Cumberland and Zollicoffer.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Hardy, 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. R. 234. A Joint Resolution memorializing the Secretary of the Interior to issue a directive terminating plans for expansion of certain facilities on the Blue Ridge Parkway, and petitioning the members of the North Carolina Congressional delegation to assist in securing such directive.

H. R. 726. A Joint Resolution honoring the memory of Doctor Mac Johnson, former Senator and member of the House of Representatives, from Halifax County.
S. B. 49. An Act to re-enact Chapter 535 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 of North Carolina entitled, "An Act to authorize the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds," and Chapter 91 of the 1955 Session Laws amending said Chapter 535.

S. B. 55. An Act amending Section 2, Chapter 371, Session Laws of 1955, authorizing appropriations for the support of historical societies.

S. B. 85. An Act amending the Charter of the City of Thomasville as contained in Chapter 196 of the Private Laws for the year 1929, to authorize calling of elections on extension of Thomasville city limits.

S. B. 145. An Act amending Article 23, Chapter 1 of the General Statutes to provide that the petitioner in all condemnation proceedings who submits a voluntary nonsuit or otherwise abandons the proceeding be taxed with a reasonable fee for the respondent's attorney.

S. B. 161. An Act to re-enact Chapter 382 of the Session Laws of 1947, as amended by Chapter 575 of the Session Laws of 1953, relating to the issuance of school building bonds and the levy of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest on such bonds.

S. B. 182. An Act to provide for the issuance of a permit for emergency use of registration plates.


H. B. 130. An Act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Holly Ridge in Onslow County.

H. B. 155. An Act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the towns of Swansboro and Richlands in Onslow County.

H. B. 184. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with county boards of equalization and review.

H. B. 192. An Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina authorizing the Commissioner of Insurance to extend time for filing insurance company annual statements.

H. B. 255. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rowan County and the governing bodies of the incorporated cities and towns in said county to pay certain law enforcement officers' social security contributions or taxes resulting from retroactive social security coverage.

H. B. 260. An Act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Rowan County.

H. B. 266. An Act amending General Statutes 160-85, so as to authorize the City of Concord to assess the total costs of concrete curb and gutter improvements against the owners of abutting property.

H. B. 324. An Act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of St. Pauls, North Carolina.
H. B. 330. An Act relating to the fees of the Sheriff of Beaufort County.

H. B. 339. An Act to amend Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the Trial Justice and the Prosecuting Attorney for the Rowan County Court.

H. B. 365. An Act authorizing the City of Lexington to allow telephone or telegraph companies to make attachments to its light poles, and to charge a rent for same.

H. B. 349. An Act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Stanly County.

H. B. 386. An Act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in North Carolina.

H. B. 388. An Act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Woodland, in Northampton County.

H. B. 390. An Act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the Charter of said city with respect thereto, authorizing said city to acquire property of Bessemer Sanitary District located within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of any such acquisition, and authorizing said city to contract with said district concerning the operation of water and sewer system.

H. B. 391. An Act providing for the merger of the Town of Hamilton Lakes into the City of Greensboro, repealing the present charter of the Town of Hamilton Lakes, and authorizing and approving certain contracts and conveyances in connection therewith.

H. B. 392. An Act extending the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro and amending the Charter of said city with reference to the corporate limits of said city, authorizing said city to acquire the property of any fire protection district within said corporate limits as extended and to contract with reference to the terms and conditions of such acquisition, and authorizing said city to contract with any such district concerning the furnishing of fire protection.

H. B. 420. An Act to repeal Chapter 361 of the Private Laws of 1903, Chapter 378 of the Private Laws of 1907, Chapter 53 of the Private Laws of 1915 and all other acts amendatory thereof or pertaining thereto relating to the Town of South Mills in Camden County.

H. B. 449. An Act to create a law enforcement officers' relief fund for the Peace Officers Association of Columbus County.

H. B. 455. An Act relating to the hospitalization of indigent patients of Richmond County.

H. B. 456. An Act relating to the appointment and compensation of certain officials and employees of Richmond County.

H. B. 457. An Act relating to the operation of the Richmond County Jail.
H. B. 458. An Act to amend Chapter 342 of the 1949 Session Laws fixing the terms of office of County Commissioners of McDowell County.

H. B. 460. An Act to revise Chapter 64 of the Private Laws of 1907 relating to the Charter of the Town of Cove City in Craven County and to reactivate the municipal government of Cove City.

H. B. 466. An Act authorizing the Commissioners of Chowan County to create the separate office of Tax Collector for said county and to fix the compensation of such tax collector.

H. B. 483. An Act amending General Statutes 115-19 so as to fix the terms of office of members of the Durham County Board of Education.

H. B. 488. An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Surry County and the County Commissioners of Wilkes County to establish and declare the boundary line between Wilkes and Surry Counties.

H. B. 490. An Act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name of the draftsman.

H. B. 517. An Act authorizing the County of Graham to expend certain surplus debt service funds for the erection of a building to be used as a public health center.

H. B. 530. An Act amending Chapter 16, Private Laws of 1937, so as to change the membership of the Executive Board of the Peace Officers' Relief Association for Hertford County and to authorize the expenditure of $3500.00 for the construction of a building to be used as a meeting place for the association.

H. B. 544. An Act authorizing the Town of Boone to purchase thirty-five acres of land for the purpose of insuring a permanent home for the drama "Horn in the West," and for other park and recreational purposes, and to execute a deed of trust to secure a balance of the purchase price of said property.

H. B. 550. An Act amending General Statutes 153-48.5 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes so as to make the provisions of Article 6A, Chapter 153 of the General Statutes, applicable to Bertie County and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said county to fix the compensation of all elective and appointive county officials and employees.

H. B. 551. An Act authorizing counties to pay reasonable fees for counsel employed to defend election officials.

H. B. 554. An Act to amend S. B. 6, ratified 14 February 1957, relating to the clerk and assistant clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of High Point.

H. B. 555. An Act to amend Chapter 1067 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to selection of the governing body of the Town of Long Beach in Brunswick County.
H. B. 565. An Act to authorize the Henderson City Board of Education in Vance County to sell and convey the Junior High School property to the Board of County Commissioners of Vance County at private sale.


H. B. 579. An Act to authorize a revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize Bertie County to borrow money to defray the expenses thereof.


H. B. 584. An Act authorizing the governing body of the Town of Clinton to convey certain real estate to the Boy Scouts of America.

H. B. 591. An Act to authorize clerical assistance for the County Accountant of Madison County.

H. B. 598. An Act authorizing the Ashe County Board of Education to convey to the trustees of the Warrensville Community Club the Warrensville school property no longer needed for school purposes.

H. B. 612. An Act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes so as to make said article applicable to the cities and towns in Lenoir County.

H. B. 613. An Act to amend Chapter 578 of the Public-Local Laws of 1911, as amended, being the Charter of the City of Kinston, in respect to elections in said city.

H. B. 617. An Act relating to the election and terms of office of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Star.

H. B. 621. An Act to amend Chapter 492 of the Public-Local and Private Laws of 1937 relating to costs in the Recorder's Court in the Town of Spencer.

H. B. 625. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-327 dealing with county boards of equalization and review.

H. B. 628. An Act to amend General Statutes 115-29 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes relating to the compensation of members of the County Board of Education of Richmond County.

H. B. 640. An Act amending Chapter 82, Private Laws of 1901, so as to provide for the appointment of officers and employees of the Town of Fairmont and prescribing their duties.

H. B. 641. An Act appointing certain members of the Fairmont City Board of Education.

H. B. 642. An Act amending Chapter 1043, Session Laws of 1955 so as to exempt Robeson County from the provisions of said act.

H. B. 650. An Act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in unincorporated areas in Montgomery County.

H. B. 659. An Act relating to the election of the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Red Springs.

H. B. 663. An Act to appoint trustees of the Tryon City Administrative School Unit in Polk County.

H. B. 664. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Polk County to adjust or cancel delinquent tax accounts for the period 1951 through 1953.

H. B. 674. An Act to authorize the City of Wilmington to convey its interest in the community hospital to the County of New Hanover.

H. B. 675. An Act to amend the Charter of Lewiston in Bertie County so as to extend the terms of office of the officials of the said town.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock P. M.

SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, April 25, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by Mr. Billy Arthur, Reading Clerk of the House.

Mr. Womble of Forsyth reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Kerr is granted a leave of absence for Friday, April 26, 1957.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Burleson, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.
H. B. 114, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to modify the kennel tax provided for in the dog warden law.

REPORT 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. Wilson of Union, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Chapter 48 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the adoption of minors, and to amend Section 110-36 of the General Statutes relating to the authority of judges of juvenile courts.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 806, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 40-20 relating to jury trials in certain eminent domain proceedings.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 808, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Subsection c, Section 74 of Chapter 452, Session Laws of 1947, which allows a commission of five per cent on funds paid to the Clerk of the Superior Court for Buncombe County for the use and benefit of a wife or children or other dependents.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 822, a bill to be entitled An act providing for an adjustment of taxes between the seller and the buyer of real property as a condition precedent to the registration of a deed in Macon County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 15, of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of search warrants and to the competence of evidence obtained in making searches.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 144, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 20-125.1(b) and General Statutes 20-154 relating to directional signals on motor vehicles.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-47 to revise and extend the table of present cash values of annuities.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 226, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing and empowering the City of Lumberton, formerly known as the Town of Lumberton, and the Lumberton Recreation Commission to sell at public auction the property now held by said City and Recreation Commission as a public golf course and recreational grounds.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 315, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 141, 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina, entitled An Act to amend Section 15-24 of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of warrants by justices of the peace.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Hill, Woodard of Wilson, Powell and Philpott:

H. B. 867, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the sale of sodium hydroxide, or concentrated lye.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Gobble, Stone, and Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 868, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 845 of the Session Laws of 1951, being An Act to prohibit the operation of any moving picture show or theatre in Forsyth County during certain hours on Sunday.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 869, a bill to be entitled An act to impose a privilege license tax on medical doctors and to use the proceeds to aid in maintaining tax supported hospitals.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 870, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the deductibility of farming losses from other income.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. 871, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-13 (c) as it relates to compensation to be paid prisoners who are injured while performing assigned work.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Burleson:

H. B. 872, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-25 so as to provide that police officers of the Town of Bakersville need not be qualified voters therein.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 873, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Mitchell County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Clark:

H. B. 874, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to levy a special tax for the construction of county office buildings.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 875, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to regulate or prohibit the exhibition or operation of certain carnivals, circuses, and shows of like kind.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 876, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Lincolnton in Lincoln County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 877, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment of public drunkenness in Lincoln County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

April 23, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. 748, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-70 so as to authorize the Franklin County Board of Education to appoint a school committeeman from the Epsom attendance area of Vance County" for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk
On motion of Mr. Zollicoffer the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Zollicoffer the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

SENATE CHAMBER
April 24, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on S. B. 33, entitled "a bill to be entitled An Act to eliminate the requirement that highway patrol cars be painted black and silver," to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House we may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

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. 125, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 113-251 of the General Statutes relating to obstruction of passage of fish in streams.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

S. B. 273, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 9-1 to provide for appointment of jury commissioners and selection of jurors.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 291, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 26-5 relating to contribution among sureties.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 284, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Durham County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 304, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name of the draftsman.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 302, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the cancellation of deeds of trust.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Subsection 5 of General Statutes 18-109 relating to the powers of the State Board of Alcoholic Control with regard to hearings by the Wine Division.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 328, a bill to be entitled An act to include Carteret County within the provisions of General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment for public drunkenness.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 341, a bill to be entitled An act granting power and authority to the governing body of the City of Durham to provide by ordinance regulations for the use by vehicles of municipally-owned off-street parking facilities, and of off-street publicly-owned parks and grounds occupied by public buildings, the use by vehicles of privately-owned areas for public street purposes, the removal of vehicles from on-street places under certain conditions, and to prescribe and enforce criminal penalties for violation of such ordinances.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

CALANDAR

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

H. B. 292, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize governing bodies of municipalities in Guilford County to create organizations for emergency life saving and rescue services or to contract for such services and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Guilford County to participate in sharing expense thereof.

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

H. B. 666, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 427 of the Public-Local Laws of 1927, as amended, relating to the compensation of certain officials in Guilford County.

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

H. B. 673, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 561 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to vacation and sick leave for employees of Cumberland County.

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

H. B. 679, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the territorial jurisdiction of the police of the Town of Aberdeen.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 725, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the revaluation and reassessment of real property in Onslow County.

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

H. B. 733, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Article 24, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes relating to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Recorder's Courts of Johnston County.

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

H. B. 786, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the term of office of County Commissioners of Swain County.

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

H. B. 787, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 186 of the Private Laws of 1909 relating to a quorum at meetings of the Board of Public Works of the Town of Edenton.

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

H. B. 788, a bill to be entitled An act amending Subsection 12a of General Statutes 153-9 to include Bladen County in the list of counties authorized to fix fees charged by county officers.

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

H. B. 793, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to consent to suit in Superior Court (Mecklenburg County) by Ray G. Register and should the said Ray G. Register obtain judgment or the matter be compromised, then to authorize the said Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay same.

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

H. B. 803, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Davidson to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building, or buildings, including parking facilities in Lexington.

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

H. B. 810, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the parking authority of the City of Kinston to issue its notes to raise funds to acquire real property for parking purposes and to secure the payment of such notes by deed of trust upon the real estate so acquired.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 819, a bill to be entitled An act to provide aid to applicants for welfare benefits in Beaufort County.

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

H. B. 814, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 12 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to public drunkenness in Johnston County.

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

H. B. 815, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 28, Section 19, of the General Statutes of North Carolina fixing the penalty of the bond for the Public Administrator of Wake County and to provide for the payment of the premium on said bond from the general fund of the county.

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

H. B. 816, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-269 relating to the disposition of confiscated pistols or guns in Wake County.

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

H. B. 817, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-1 so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Wake to appoint an assistant coroner for Wake County.

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

H. B. 818, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 956 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the governing body of the Town of Brevard to appropriate nontax funds to the Transylvania County Historical Commission.

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

H. B. 820, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of Justices of the Peace in Beaufort County.

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

H. B. 821, a bill to be entitled An act abolishing the office of Treasurer of Macon County, fixing the salaries of certain county officials and providing for the appointment of a county accountant who shall also serve as tax supervisor and county tax collector.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 823, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Sylva in Jackson County to establish a reserve fund for permanent improvement purposes.

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

H. B. 824, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Harnett County Board of Commissioners to fix the compensation for services rendered by Jake T. Lamm as Acting Solicitor of the Harnett County Recorder's Court.

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

H. B. 843, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Section 8 of Chapter 363 of the Public-Local Laws of 1929 relative to the issuance of bonds and notes of Carteret County.

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

S. B. 191, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain fox hounds in Martin County from ad valorem taxes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the number and salaries of personnel appointed by the Sheriff of Randolph County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 261, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-324 to allow Pitt County to furnish a tax rate along with the tax receipt in lieu of printing the same on the tax receipt.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 296, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 9-25 of the General Statutes to provide for the terms of service of grand jurors in Wilkes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 299, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Statesville to sell certain real property at private sale.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Hill the following girls from Durham County are made honorary pagettes of the House: Anne Sledge, Charlotte Sledge, Tinker Goodall, Lucy Kramer, Lucy Stead and Ruby Farthing.

On motion of Mr. Crawford of Buncombe the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Ronald Finch, a former member of the House from Buncombe County.

Mr. Philpott is granted a leave of absence for Monday and Tuesday, April 29 and 30.

On motion of Mr. Fowler, Nancy Ellen Wilson and Henry Hall Wilson, III, daughter and son of Representative and Mrs. Wilson of Union County, are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House.

REPORT 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. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 294, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the outdoor advertising of prices of goods and commodities.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 311, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina Section 20-116 as amended relative to the length of motor vehicles.

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. Uzzell:

H. R. 878, a joint resolution expressing sympathy upon the death of Theodore Franklin Cummings, former member of the House of Representatives from Catawba County.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Wicker:

H. B. 879, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 880, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the qualified voters of the City of Southport to determine whether alcoholic beverage control stores shall be established in said city and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits thereof.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Vogler:

H. B. 881, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of out-of-state food manufacturers storing food in warehouses in this state.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 882, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the drivers' licenses of persons subject to convulsive seizures and similar conditions.

Referred to Committee on Health.

By Messrs. Snepp, Vogler and Hicks:

H. B. 883, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 141, ratified March 27, 1957, so as to appoint Robert I. Dalton, Jr. to the Mecklenburg County Board of Education.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.
Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Stone, Mrs. Rodenbough, Messrs. Gobble, Hewlett, Holmes and Speight:

H. B. 884, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the administration of a student loan fund for teacher education, to be known as the Scholarship Loan Fund for prospective teachers.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

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. 224, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 123 of the Session Laws of 1955, so as to require that proposed zoning amendments relating to the perimeter area surrounding the City of Charlotte be submitted for recommendation to the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Person County Criminal Court.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Satterfield the House fails to concur in the Senate amendment, and the bill is placed on the Calendar pending appointment of conferees.

S. B. 350, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the registration of voters and for the election of officers for the Town of Stanfield in Stanly County.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Stanly the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 528, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Jefferson in Ashe County.
On motion of Mr. Jones of Ashe the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 660, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the City Charter of the City of Charlotte relating to the schools of the Charlotte Administrative School Unit.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 202, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the City of Raleigh to require the improvement of streets and to assess the cost of such improvements against abutting property owners without petition under certain conditions.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Blue, Bowman, Britt, Brock, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 223, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 77 of the Private Laws of 1883 relating to the corporate limits of the Town of Mt. Pleasant in Cabarrus County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 808, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Subsection c, Section 74 of Chapter 452, Session Laws of 1947, which allows a commission of five per cent on funds paid to the Clerk of the Superior Court for Buncombe County for the use and benefit of a wife or children or other dependents.

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

H. B. 822, a bill to be entitled An act providing for an adjustment of taxes between the seller and the buyer of real property as a condition precedent to the registration of a deed in Macon County.

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

S. B. 226, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing and empowering the City of Lumberton, formerly known as the Town of Lumberton, and the Lumberton Recreation Commission, to sell at public auction the property now held by said city and Recreation Commission as a public golf course and recreational grounds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
H. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-95 and General Statutes 113-144 relating to hunting and fishing license fees.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 753, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to authorize cities and towns to construct water distribution and sewage collection and disposal facilities and systems outside the corporate limits.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Chapter 48 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the adoption of minors, and to amend Section 110-36 of the General Statutes, relating to the authority of judges of Juvenile Courts.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Venters offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws, being the Business Corporation Act, so as to clarify the status of corporations having less than three shareholders.

On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 632, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-77.1 relating to opening of vaults and safes by banks which are closed on Saturday.

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

H. B. 667, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 18-27 relating to local option elections on the sale of beer and wine.

On motion of Mr. Shreve consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, April 30, 1957.

H. B. 669, a bill to be entitled An act relating to conveyances between husband and wife.

On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 705, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-96 relating to road or street not used within fifteen years after dedication deemed abandoned.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Reynolds, 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. 518. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Johnston County.

H. B. 525. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Cherokee County to extend the time for listing property for taxation.

H. B. 534. An Act to amend General Statutes 45-37 relating to cancellation of instruments in the office of the Register of Deeds of Dare County.

H. B. 535. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Dare County.

H. B. 545. An Act to amend Chapter 366 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 relating to boxing exhibitions in the City of Charlotte.
H. B. 560. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Rowan County to regulate the parking of vehicles on the Courthouse grounds of said county.

H. B. 562. An Act to amend Chapter 1066 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Rowan County.

H. B. 590. An Act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to the filing of papers by the Clerk of the Superior Court so as to make said Section applicable to Madison County.

H. B. 609. An Act to amend Chapter 364 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 relative to the consolidated Board of Health of New Hanover County and the City of Wilmington.

H. B. 647. An Act relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

H. B. 648. An Act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Cleveland County.

H. B. 649. An Act to amend Chapter 220 of the Private Laws of 1893 so as to change the time for elections held in the Town of Aberdeen in Moore County.

H. B. 696. An Act relating to punishment for public drunkenness in Camden County.

H. B. 719. An Act rewriting Section 1½ of Chapter 155, Public-Local Laws of 1935 as amended by Chapter 267, Public-Local Laws of 1939, so as to allow the present clerk of the Superior Court for Stokes County to disburse certain funds on a pro rata basis to the persons entitled thereto.

H. B. 723. An Act to repeal Chapter 590 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the carrying of concealed weapons in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 802. An Act to provide for an election in the Town of Ahoskie, North Carolina, upon the question of adopting the City Manager Form of Government.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:00 o'clock A. M. at which time only Public-Local legislation will be considered.

SEVENTIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Saturday, April 27, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Harris of Wake designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.
Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Parker reports for the Committee on the Journal, that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. McCrary the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8:00 o'clock.

SEVENTY-FIRST DAY
House of Representatives
Monday Night, April 29, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Powe the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Victor S. Bryant, a former Speaker of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Falls the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Justice William B. Rodman, a former member of the House of Representatives from Beaufort County.

On motion of Mr. O'Neal the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable George T. Davis, a former member of the House from Hyde County.

Mr. Speaker Doughton extends the courtesies of the floor to the Honorable John Ragan, a former member of the House from Robeson County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, Hugh Brantley Hight, Darrell Burt Lancaster, Jr., and Penelope Dianne Lancaster of Franklin County, are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House.

On motion of Mr. Hill, Janice Harris of Durham County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Reynolds, Robert Francis Floyd, Jr., Charles Edward Floyd and Mary Ellen Floyd, grandchildren of Representative and Mrs. Floyd of Robeson County, are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Philpott for Monday Night, April 29 and Tuesday, April 30.
On motion of Mr. Thompson S. B. 25 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-57 relating to testimony of husband or wife in prosecutions for bigamy and bigamous cohabitation," is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Chapter 48 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the adoption of minors, and to amend Section 110-36 of the General Statutes, relating to the authority of judges of juvenile courts.

H. B. 507, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws, being the Business Corporation Act, so as to clarify the status of corporations having less than three shareholders.

H. B. 669, a bill to be entitled An act relating to conveyances between husband and wife.

REPORT 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. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-150 so as to place certain responsibility upon the principals of the public schools with regard to fire safety.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to prescribe regulations for the reduction of fire hazards and for the protection of life and property in public school facilities.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 69-7 relating to fire prevention and providing for "Fire Prevention Day."

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. Zollicoffer:

H. R. 885, a joint resolution expressing regret and sympathy upon the death of Robert Gilliam Kittrell, former member of the General Assembly from Vance County.

On motion of Mr. Zollicoffer the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

A JOINT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING REGRET AND SYMPATHY UPON THE DEATH OF ROBERT GILLIAM KITTRELL, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FROM VANCE COUNTY.

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of North Carolina, to the deeply felt sorrow of each member, has lately received news of the death of the Honorable Robert Gilliam Kittrell, a former member of the North Carolina House of Representatives, who died April 22, 1957, in Henderson, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Robert Gilliam Kittrell was born in 1877 in a portion of Granville County (now Vance), the son of George W. and Lucy Crudup Kittrell, married Miss Mary Perry, graduated from the University of North Carolina in 1899, then taught at Bingham Military Academy, later served as County School Superintendent in Edgecombe and Granville Counties, and City School Superintendent in Henderson. He entered the practice of law in 1914, later joining in the formation of the firm of Perry and Kittrell in 1920. He served as a member of the North Carolina House of Representatives, representing Vance County during the Sessions of 1915, 1917 and 1919, and had a son, Robert Gilliam Kittrell, Jr., who served as a member of the North Carolina House of Representatives, representing Vance County during the Session of 1955. Mr. Kittrell was a member of the Vance County and North Carolina Bar Associations, a member and past President of the Henderson Rotary Club, a member of Holy Innocents Episcopal Church, serving as a vestryman, and, for many years, as teacher of the Men's Bible Class; and

WHEREAS, Robert Gilliam Kittrell, throughout his long and fruitful life, was of great and lasting service to the people of his community and of his state; and

WHEREAS, each member of the General Assembly deeply and sincerely feels that, in the passing of Robert Gilliam Kittrell, there has been a great and irreparable loss, not merely to the family of Robert Gilliam great and irreparable loss, not merely to the family of Robert Gilliam FORE,
Section 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina hereby expresses its sincere sorrow and sympathy to the family of Robert Gilliam Kittrell.

Sec. 2. A copy of this resolution shall be spread upon the minutes of the House of Representatives and the Senate, and a copy shall be sent to the family of Robert Gilliam Kittrell.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

By Mr. Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 886, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a referendum on the question of extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Fairmont.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Mr. Vann sends forward the following House Resolution.

A HOUSE RESOLUTION INVITING MRS. MARY BURKE KERR TO PRESENT A GROUP OF SINGERS FROM Sampson County TO SING THE NORTH CAROLINA TOAST, "HERE'S TO THE LAND OF THE LONG LEAF PINE," TO THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WHEREAS, Mrs. Mary Burke Kerr, of Sampson County, North Carolina, has set to music the North Carolina Toast, "Here's to the Land of the Long Leaf Pine," and has dedicated this musical composition to the school children of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Mary Burke Kerr has trained a group of talented young singers to sing this Toast and it is deemed fitting and proper that Mrs. Kerr and this group be invited to sing this Toast to the members of the House of Representatives: NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

Section 1. That Mrs. Mary Burke Kerr of Sampson County, North Carolina, is hereby invited to present her group of talented young singers to the Hall of the House of Representatives on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 1957, and at the convening of the House on that date have them sing to the members thereof that famous North Carolina Toast, “Here’s to the Land of the Long Leaf Pine.”

Sec. 2. This Resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

On motion of Mr. Vann the resolution is adopted.

By Mr. Lloyd:

H. B. 887, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10, Chapter 130 of the General Statutes so as to make it unlawful to trespass upon watershed area of an unfiltered public water supply.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 888, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation and duties of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Graham County.
Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled An act to create a Cemetery Commission for the County of Graham, to fix its duties and to provide for the submission of the question of special tax for said purposes to the voters of the County of Graham at an election.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Holmes:

H. B. 890, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix certain terms of the Superior Court in Perquimans and Gates Counties.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 891, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 669 and Chapter 708 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the New Hanover County and the City of Wilmington retirement system.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

And,

H. B. 892, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to the securing of waiver of liens for labor, materials and equipment outstanding against construction projects.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 893, a bill to be entitled An act relating to election petitions one year after the date of issuance and to prohibit the holding thereafter of elections based upon such petitions.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 894, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for turnkey fees in bills of costs in courts of justices of the peace in Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Bynum:
H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the boundary lines of the Town of Rockingham in Richmond County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 896, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 11, Chapter 156 of the General Statutes by adding a new section at the end thereof to confer upon drainage districts the power of eminent domain and to authorize them to convey or lease to or lease from the federal government, the state government or any agency thereof property to be used in connection with the operation of drainage districts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Womble of Wake and Whitley:

H. B. 897, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Raleigh to sell certain property at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitley:

H. B. 898, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to liens on colts, calves and pigs.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Holcombe:

H. B. 899, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the investment of funds of mutual burial associations, and to empower the Burial Association Commissioner to subpoena witnesses and hold hearings.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 900, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating the sum of one thousand two hundred and thirty-three dollars ($1,233.00) to Mrs. Edna Bonham Keeler to compensate her for an error made as to her rating as a public school teacher.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Kennedy:

H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of a city liquor control store in the Town of Wilkesboro upon a vote of the people and providing for the allocation of the net proceeds from the operation of such store.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Messrs. Snepp, Shreve, Hicks, Vogler, Kemp, Hill, Powe, Hunt and Umstead:

H. R. 902, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the laws
of this state with respect to crimes against nature and other sex crimes, and to make a report and recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

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. 157, a bill to be entitled An act to establish minimum wages in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Manufacturers and Labor.
S. B. 307, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Article 36 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to plant pests.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 528, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Jefferson in Ashe County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 660, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the City Charter of the City of Charlotte relating to the schools of the Charlotte Administrative School Unit.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 202, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing body of the City of Raleigh to require the improvement of streets and to assess the cost of such improvements against abutting property owners without petition under certain conditions.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 223, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 77 of the Private Laws of 1883 relating to the corporate limits of the Town of Mt. Pleasant in Cabarrus County.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 753, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to authorize cities and towns to construct water distribution and sewage collection and disposal facilities and systems outside the corporate limits.

Mr. Bynum offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked.

On motion of Mr. White the committee amendment is adopted. The bill passes its second reading, as amended.

Mr. Womble of Wake objects to the third reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its third reading, as amended.

H. B. 779, a bill to be entitled An act to permit municipalities to enforce collection of delinquent privilege license taxes in the same manner as the state and counties.

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

H. B. 780, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties and municipalities to appoint deputy tax collectors.

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

H. B. 781, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-59 relating to sale of municipal property.

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

H. B. 806, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 40-20 relating to jury trials in certain eminent domain proceedings.

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

S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism.

Mr. Thompson moves the adoption of the committee amendment.

Mr. Arledge moves that the bill and amendment lie upon the table, which motion fails to sustain.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Wake the bill and amendment is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 122, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 15 of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of search warrants and to the competence of evidence obtained in making searches.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 144, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 20-125.1 (b) and General Statutes 20-154 relating to directional signals on motor vehicles.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-47 to revise and extend the table of present cash values of annuities.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 247, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-68.2, relating to disbursement by the Clerk of Superior Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 271, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-79 relating to residence of domestic corporations for venue purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 294, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the outdoor advertising of price of goods and commodities.

An amendment offered by Mr. White is adopted.

Mr. Whitley moves that the bill and amendment lie upon the table, which motion prevails.

Mr. Kerr moves that the vote by which the bill was tabled be reconsidered and that this motion do lie upon the table, the motion prevails.

S. B. 311, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina Section 20-116 as amended relative to the length of motor vehicles.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 315, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 141, 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina entitled, “An Act to amend Section 15-24 of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of warrants by justices of the peace.”

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, for the Committee on Enrolled, Bills, reports the following bill properly enrolled, and it is duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S. B. 350. An Act to provide for the registration of voters and for the election of officers for the Town of Stanfield in Stanly County.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.
SEVENTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, April 30, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Speaker Doughton extends the courtesies of the floor to the Honorable Howard Townsend, a former member of the House from Davidson County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Harry Greene, a former member of the House from Hoke County.

On motion of Mr. Hostetler, Betsy Ross Gatlin, Ann Gatlin, and Lynda Scarborough of Hoke County are made honorary pagettes of the House.

On motion of Mr. Wicker, Joseph W. Floyd, IV, son of Representative and Mrs. Floyd of Columbus County, is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. McKnight, Joseph Samuel Holbrook, Jr., Robert Holt Holbrook, and Nancy Cox Holbrook of Iredell County are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett S. B. 124, entitled “a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the sentencing, quartering, and control of prisoners with workday release privileges,” is taken from the Committee on Judiciary No. 2 and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett H. B. 867, entitled “a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the sale of sodium hydroxide, or concentrated lye,” is taken from the Committee on Judiciary No. 2 and recommitted to the Committee on Health.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 753, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to authorize cities and towns to construct water distribution and sewage collection and disposal facilities and systems outside the corporate limits.

H. B. 528, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Jefferson in Ashe County.
REPORT 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. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taking of catfish by the use of electrical devices in the commercial fishing waters of the Cape Fear River.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act amending Sections 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 174, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 50-1 limiting the granting of divorces in inferior courts to cases wherein personal service of process has been obtained.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Thompson, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 734, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Johnston County Recorder's Court.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 844, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-81 relating to removal of cases in the Superior Court to adjacent counties.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Wall the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

On motion of Mr. Wall the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 896, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 11, Chapter 156, of the General Statutes by adding a new section at the end thereof to confer upon drainage districts the power of eminent domain and to authorize them to convey or lease to, or lease from, the federal government, the state government, or any agency thereof property to be used in connection with the operation of drainage districts.

With a favorable report, as amended.
On motion of Mr. Wooten the rules are suspended and the bill placed on today's Calendar.

S. B. 316, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize and empower the Mayor and the Town Council of the Town of Tarboro, North Carolina, to convey, with or without money consideration, to the Trustees of Howard Memorial Presbyterian Church of Tarboro, North Carolina, a certain part of the Presbyterian Church of the United States of America, a certain lot of land belonging to the said town, and to ratify and confirm a certain conveyance heretofore made by said Town of Tarboro to the trustees of said church.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 328, a bill to be entitled An act to include Carteret County within the provisions of General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment for public drunkenness.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 626, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Bath.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 830, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Lake Waccamaw.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 888, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation and duties of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Graham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 894, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for turnkey fees in bills of costs in courts of justices of the peace in Onslow County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the boundary lines of the Town of Rockingham in Richmond County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 831, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the payment of certain delinquent taxes into the general fund of the Town of Belhaven.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 833, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Hickory to enlarge and adjust the ward boundaries so as to include additional territories heretofore and hereafter annexed to the City of Hickory under the provisions of Article 36 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 840, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 193, Private Laws of 1923, relating to the election of commissioners of the Town of Enfield.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 848, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to appropriate funds not derived from ad valorem taxation to be used for improvements in the marginal land area of the John H. Kerr reservoir which is located in Granville County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 850, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Transylvania County for industrial developments and other purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 860, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the payment of taxes in Mitchell County and to cancel and abate certain interest and penalties on delinquent taxes in said county.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 861, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of Mitchell County to fix the salaries of the County Accountant and his deputies, clerks, and assistants.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 862, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 1 of Chapter 401, Session Laws of 1951, fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Mitchell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 865, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make Paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Brunswick County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 868, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 845 of the Session Laws of 1951, being an Act to prohibit the operation of any moving picture show or theatre in Forsyth County during certain hours on Sunday.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 872, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-25 so as to provide that police officers of the Town of Bakersville need not be qualified voters therein.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 873, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Mitchell County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 875, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to regulate or prohibit the exhibition or operation of certain carnivals, circuses and shows of like kind.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 886, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a referendum on the question of extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Fairmont.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 897, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Raleigh to sell certain property at private sale.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 224, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 123 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to require that proposed zoning amendments relating to the perimeter area surrounding the City of Charlotte be submitted for recommendation to the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 785, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Mayor's Court of the Town of Bryson City.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 805, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-5 so as to increase the compensation of the Coroner of Transylvania County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 835, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Vice Recorder and Assistant Solicitor of the Harnett County Recorder's Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 837, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 544, Session Laws of 1945, fixing the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of Yancey County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 838, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 402, Public-Local Laws of 1925, relating to fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 841, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 429, Session Laws of 1951, and fixing the salary of the Tax Collector of Haywood County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 229, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of Justices of the Peace of Cumberland 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 Messrs. Clark, Kiser and Murphy:

H. B. 903, a bill to be entitled An act to require that at least one member of the Merit System Council shall have had experience in county government; that the Merit System Council and the State Personnel Council have two common members; to clarify the classification authority of the Merit System Council and the State Personnel Council; and to provide that certain regulations of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, the Merit System Council, the State Board of Health, and the State Board of Public Welfare shall under certain circumstances be advisory only.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. Kerr, by request:

H. B. 904, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Warren County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 905, a bill to be entitled An act to provide retirement benefits for solicitors of the Superior Court.

Referred to Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

By Mr. Womble of Wake:

H. B. 906, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-20 and General Statutes 47-23 as the same apply to registration of liens on motor vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.
By Messrs. Whitley, Womble, and Harris of Wake:

H. B. 907, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a uniform bill of costs for all courts of Wake County, North Carolina, inferior to the Wake County Superior Court, exclusive of the Wake County Domestic Relations Court and the Raleigh City Court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 908, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Article 2 through 9 of Chapter 116 of the General Statutes and substituting a new Article 2 in lieu thereof.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

By Mr. Henley:

H. B. 909, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 162-6 relating to the fees of the Sheriff of Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 910, a bill to be entitled An act amending North Carolina General Statutes 115-70 in respect of the nomination, election, and terms of district school committeeemen in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Fowler, by request:

H. B. 911, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Pilot Mountain in Surry County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Bowman, Holmes, Hewlett, Wooten, Venters, Whitehurst, Phelps, Etheridge, Jones of Pitt, Johnson, Bell, Griggs, O'Neal, Combs, Burgess, Ross, Williams of Pasquotank, Murphy, Floyd of Columbus, and Love:

H. B. 912, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize zoning of potential flood areas so as to make citizens of North Carolina eligible to receive benefits under the Federal Flood Insurance Act of 1956.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Parker:

H. B. 913, a bill to be entitled An act relating to special assessments levied by the Town of Ahoskie.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Speight:
H. B. 914, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 288 of Public-Local Laws of 1939 and to provide new registration of voters in the Town of Aulander in 1957 and every ten years thereafter.

On motion of Mr. Speight the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

And,

H. B. 915, a bill to be entitled An act to validate tax levies and tax sales of the Town of Aulander.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 916, a bill to be entitled An act setting the salaries of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Aulander.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 917, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30-9 of the General Statutes relating to conveyance of real estate by husband.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Wooten and Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 918, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1 of Chapter 754, Session Laws of 1953, so as to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Bethel in Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Wooten:

H. B. 919, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the General Statutes relative to drainage districts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 920, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 185 of the Private Laws of 1929 relating to the powers of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Vanceboro, Craven County, and to the salaries of certain employees thereof.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gregory:
H. B. 921, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Dunn Recorder's Court in Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Hunt, Hewlett, Shreve, Hicks, Vogler, and Snepp:

H. B. 922, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-45 (o) so as to authorize county and municipal boards of alcoholic control, in their discretion, to expend not more than five per cent of their total profits for education as to the effects of the use of alcohol.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 896, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 11, Chapter 156, of the General Statutes by adding a new section at the end thereof to confer upon drainage districts the power of eminent domain and to authorize them to convey or lease to or lease from the federal government, the state government, or any agency thereof property to be used in connection with the operation of drainage districts.

On motion of Mr. Wooten the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked.

Passes its third reading, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles.

Mr. Jones of Pitt offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Kerr offers an amendment.

Mr. Harris of Wake moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Holmes moves that the motion offered by Mr. Harris of Wake lie upon the table, the motion sustains.

The question recurs to the amendment offered by Mr. Kerr.

Mr. Uzzell moves that the bill be recommitted to a Judiciary Committee, which motion fails.

Mr. Kerr calls the previous question, the call sustains.
The question now recurs to the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Kerr.

The amendment offered by Mr. Kerr is adopted.

Mr. Jones of Pitt calls the previous question on the passage of the bill as amended.

Mr. Falls moves adjournment, which motion fails.

The previous question called by Mr. Jones of Pitt is now put. On this question Mr. Uzzell calls for the “ayes” and “noes,” the call is sustained.

The bill passes its second reading, as amended, by the following vote.


Those voting present are: Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland—1.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Blue, Byrum, Childers, Craig, Davis, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gavin, Gobble, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hill, Holcombe, Hostetler, Jordan, Kiser, Martin, Murphy, Pittman, Snepp, Taylor, Uzzell, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitley, Wilson of Union, Wombell of Forsyth, Wombell of Wake, Woodard of Wilson, and Zollicoffer—33.

The following pairs are announced: Mr. Powe votes “No,” and Mr. Speight votes “Aye.”

Mr. Snepp objects to the third reading.

Mr. Holmes moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on its third reading, as amended; the call fails to sustain, and the bill remains on the Calendar for its third reading, as amended.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Hardy, 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. R. 878. A Joint Resolution expressing sympathy upon the death of Theodore Franklin Cummings, former member of the House of Representatives from Catawba County.
S. B. 33. An Act to eliminate the requirement that highway patrol cars be painted black and silver.

S. B. 191. An Act to exempt certain fox hounds in Martin County from ad valorem taxes.

S. B. 226. An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Lumberton, formerly known as the Town of Lumberton, and the Lumberton Recreation Commission, to sell at public auction the property now held by said city and recreation commission as a public golf course and recreational grounds.

S. B. 243. An Act to regulate the number and salaries of personnel appointed by the Sheriff of Randolph County.

S. B. 261. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-324 to allow Pitt County to furnish a tax rate along with the tax receipt in lieu of printing the same on the tax receipt.

S. B. 296. An Act to amend Section 9-25 of the General Statutes to provide for the terms of service of grand jurors in Wilkes County.

S. B. 299. An Act to authorize the City of Statesville to sell certain real property at private sale.

H. B. 426. An Act to provide for the nomination and election of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the County Criminal Court of McDowell County.

H. B. 567. An Act to prohibit persons under certain conditions from parking motor vehicles or otherwise trespassing on church properties in Person County.

S. B. 144. An Act amending General Statutes 20-125.1 (b) and General Statutes 20-154 relating to directional signals on motor vehicles.

S. B. 202. An Act to authorize the governing body of the City of Raleigh to require the improvement of streets and to assess the cost of such improvements against abutting property owners without petition under certain conditions.

S. B. 223. An Act to amend Chapter 77 of the Private Laws of 1883 relating to the corporate limits of the Town of Mt. Pleasant in Cabarrus County.

S. B. 247. An Act to amend General Statutes 28-68.2, relating to disbursement by the Clerk of Superior Court.

S. B. 271. An Act to amend General Statutes 1-79 relating to residence of domestic corporations for venue purposes.


H. B. 883. An Act to amend H. B. 141, ratified March 27, 1957, so as to appoint Robert I. Dalton, Jr., to the Mecklenburg County Board of Education.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

SEVENTY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 1, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Larry Wayne McClenny of Forsyth County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Speaker Doughton extends the courtesies of the floor to the Honorable Larry I. Moore, a former Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Floyd of Robeson is granted a leave of absence for Thursday and Friday, May 2 and 3.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked.

REPORT 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. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 683, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the selection and term of office of members of the County Board of Education of Rutherford County.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 764, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the nomination and election of members of the county school board of Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 910, a bill to be entitled An act amending North Carolina General Statutes 115-70 in respect of the nomination, election and terms of district school committeemen in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

S. R. 325, a joint resolution to amend the Southern Regional Education Compact to increase the number of members of the Board of Control for Southern Regional Education from four from each state to five from each state and to specify that one member from each state shall be appointed by the Governor from among the membership of the Legislature of that State.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Drainage.

H. B. 826, a bill to be entitled An act amending Articles 6 and 8, Chapter 156 of the General Statutes relating to drainage districts so as to fix the compensation of members of boards of drainage commissioners and to authorize the issuance of assessment anticipation notes in amounts not to exceed $50,000.00.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 827, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Section 10, Chapter 217, Public Laws of 1923, and all of Chapter 556, Public-Local Laws of 1933, relating to drainage districts in Hyde County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 828, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 156-83 relating to supervision of drainage district construction in Hyde County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

S. B. 197, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, subject to the approval of the Advisory Budget Commission, to set the salaries of certain administrative officers exempt from the State Personnel Act.

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 Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:
H. B. 923, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Spencer to lease to the Rowan County Rescue Squad, Inc. a certain lot of land located in the said Town of Spencer, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. McCrary:

H. B. 924, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 226, Public-Local Laws of 1935, so as to create the separate office of Tax Supervisor for Haywood County, to appoint the first supervisor and provide that the county commissioners shall fix his compensation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wooten:

H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of forest districts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Umstead:

H. B. 926, a bill to be entitled An act to postpone revaluation in Orange County for a period of three years.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 927, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 527 of the Session Laws of 1953 and Chapter 939 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to transfer certain extra territorial zoning and sub-division regulation jurisdiction from the Town of Chapel Hill to the Town of Carrboro.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 928, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 647, ratified 26 April 1957, relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Philpott and Falls:

H. B. 929, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 8, Article 18 of Chapter 160, relating to the authority of a municipality to acquire and maintain light, water, sewer and gas facilities.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 930, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite a portion of Article 13 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, entitled "Embalmers and Funeral Directors."
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 931, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate six thousand dollars ($6,000.00) to the Department of Conservation and Development for the purpose of replacing a walk at Lake Waccamaw in Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. Uzzell, Powell, Dill and Valentine:

H. B. 932, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 95 of the General Statutes so as to empower the North Carolina Department of Labor to make, promulgate and enforce rules and regulations to provide for the safety, sanitation, health and well-being of the employees of railroads or railways.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 933, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 relating to pensions paid certain former teachers and state employees.

Referred to Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 934, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Burlington Industries, Inc.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 935, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-346 relating to the salaries of Mayor and City Councilmen in the City of Burlington.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled An act to require that manufacturers of household cleaners which contain volatile substances capable of producing toxic effect shall label such cleaners with a warning as to their contents and with directions as to their safe use.

Referred to Committee on Health.

By Mr. Anderson:

H. B. 937, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Caldwell County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Wallace:
H. B. 938, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments at Town Creek Indian Mound state historic site in Montgomery County.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 939, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the appointment of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Aurora.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Lloyd:

H. B. 940, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the foreclosure and collection of delinquent tax sale certificates in Graham County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wicker:

H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment of members of the Board of Veterans Affairs for Lee County.

Referred to Committee on Veteran's Legislation.

And,

H. B. 942, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-408 relating to the hours of sale of livestock at auction in Lee County.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Messrs. Jordan, Craig and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 943, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1083, Session Laws of 1947, so as to authorize the City of Asheville Board of Alcoholic Control, in its discretion, to expend not more than five per cent of its Law Enforcement Funds for education as to the effects of the use of alcohol.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Turner, Shreve, Kemp and Hunt:

H. B. 944, a bill to be entitled An act amending H. B. 392 relating to the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Bell:

H. B. 945, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Carteret County to require the removal of horses known as "Banks ponies" from certain territory in Carteret County under certain terms and conditions.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.
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. 323, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the practice of dentistry.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 332, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15, Chapter 14 of the General Statutes to provide that the burning of a building or structure in the process of construction be a criminal offense.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 833, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Hickory to enlarge and adjust the ward boundaries so as to include additional territories heretofore and hereafter annexed to the City of Hickory under the provisions of Article 36 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 886, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a referendum on the question of extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Fairmont.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 229, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of justices of the peace of Cumberland County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 734, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Johnston County Recorder's Court.

On motion of Mr. Thomas the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 831, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the payment of certain delinquent taxes into the General Fund of the Town of Belhaven.

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

H. B. 805, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 152-5 so as to increase the compensation of the coroner of Transylvania County.

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

H. B. 785, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of the Mayor's Court of the Town of Bryson City.

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

H. B. 835, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Vice Recorder and Assistant Solicitor of the Harnett County Recorder's Court.

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

H. B. 837, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 544, Session Laws of 1945, fixing the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of Yancey County.

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

H. B. 838, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 402, Public-Local Laws of 1925, relating to fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County.

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

H. B. 840, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 193, Private Laws of 1923 relating to the election of commissioners of the Town of Enfield.

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

H. B. 841, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 429, Session Laws of 1951 and fixing the salary of the Tax Collector of Haywood County.

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

H. B. 848, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to appropriate funds not derived from ad valorem taxation to be used for improvements in the marginal land area of the John H. Kerr reservoir which is located in Granville County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 850, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Transylvania County for industrial developments and other purposes.

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

H. B. 860, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the payment of taxes in Mitchell County and to cancel and abate certain interest and penalties on delinquent taxes in said County.

On motion of Mr. Burleson the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 861, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of Mitchell County to fix the salaries of the County Accountant and his deputies, clerks and assistants.

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

H. B. 862, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 1 of Chapter 401, Session Laws of 1951, fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Mitchell County.

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

H. B. 865, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make Paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Brunswick County.

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

H. B. 868, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 845 of the Session Laws of 1951, being An Act to prohibit the operation of any moving picture show or theatre in Forsyth County during certain hours on Sunday.

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

H. B. 872, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 160-25 so as to provide that police officers of the Town of Bakersville need not be qualified voters therein.

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

H. B. 875, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to regulate or prohibit the exhibition or operation of certain carnivals, circuses and shows of like kind.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 873, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Mitchell County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

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

H. B. 888, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation and duties of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Graham County.

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

H. B. 894, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for turnkey fees in bills of costs in courts of Justices of the Peace in Onslow County.

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

H. B. 897, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Raleigh to sell certain property at private sale.

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

S. B. 224, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 123 of the Session Laws of 1955, so as to require that proposed zoning amendments relating to the perimeter area surrounding the City of Charlotte be submitted for recommendation to the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 316, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize and empower the Mayor and the Town Council of the Town of Tarboro, North Carolina, to convey, with or without money consideration, to the Trustees of Howard Memorial Presbyterian Church of Tarboro, North Carolina, a certain part of the Presbyterian Church of the United States of America, a certain lot of land belonging to the said town, and to ratify and confirm a certain conveyance heretofore made by said Town of Tarboro to the Trustees of said Church.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 328, a bill to be entitled An act to include Carteret County within the provisions of General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment for public drunkenness.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles.

Mr. Hewlett offers an amendment, which is adopted.
Mr. Holmes calls the previous question, the question being the passage of the bill on its third reading as amended. The call prevails.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 885. A Joint Resolution expressing regret and sympathy upon the death of Robert Gilliam Kittrell, former member of the General Assembly from Vance County.

S. B. 122. An Act amending Article 4, Chapter 15 of the General Statutes relating to the issuance of search warrants and to the competence of evidence obtained in making searches.

S. B. 164. An Act to amend General Statutes 8-47 to revise and extend the table of present cash values of annuities.

H. B. 85. An Act to amend Section 105-230 of the General Statutes relative to the method of notifying corporations of suspensions of articles of incorporation.

H. B. 142. An Act to make certain amendments in the Uniform Driver's License Law.

H. B. 170. An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the General Statutes relating to validation of corporate conveyances in which the corporate seal is omitted.

H. B. 214. An Act amending Section 14-299 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to permit the confiscation of any motor vehicle used in the conduct of a lottery.


H. B. 328. An Act to amend General Statutes 152-7 relating to the duties of coroners.


H. B. 364. An Act to amend General Statutes 45-21.42 so as to validate sales made under mortgages and deeds of trust prior to the first day of March, 1957, where there is no order of confirmation or record of same other than recitals in deeds executed pursuant to such sales.

H. B. 448. An Act amending General Statutes 51-8 and General Statutes 51-17 relating to proof of age of persons applying for a marriage license.
H. B. 498. An Act relating to obligations of agencies supervised by the Farm Credit Administration as securities for deposits of public funds.

H. B. 499. An Act relating to investments in obligations of agencies supervised by the Farm Credit Administration.

H. B. 572. An Act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws so as to validate certain amendments to corporate charters extending corporate existence.

On motion of Mr. Speight the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock Noon.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 2, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Harvey Morris and Honorable Charley Gillette, two former members of the House from Mecklenburg County.

On motion of Mr. Valentine the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Tom Williams, a former member of the House from Nash County.

On motion of Mr. Pittman, Frances Jane Branch and James C. Branch of Halifax County are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House.

On motion of Mr. Gregory, Jimmie Gregory, Gary Gregory and Teresa Humphrey of Harnett County are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland, Nancy Clark of Cumberland County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake, Lane Darden Allen of Wake County is made an honorary pagette of the House.

On motion of Mr. Powe, Doris Goerch Horton of Chatham County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.
On motion of Mr. Wooten, William Thomas Rivers and Helen Bethea Rivers of Pitt County are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Thompson S. B. 323 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the practice of dentistry," is taken from the Committee on Judiciary No. 1 and placed on today's Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Thompson H. B. 747 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the practice of dentistry," is taken from the Committee on Judiciary No. 2 and placed on today's Calendar.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 860, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the payment of taxes in Mitchell County and to cancel and abate certain interest and penalties on delinquent taxes in said county.

H. B. 734, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Johnston County Recorder's Court.

H. B. 116, a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles.

REPORT 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. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 230, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-73.4 relating to the eligibility of persons for public assistance.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by justices of the peace.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-128, relating to the depositing of trash near highways.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 42, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52A of the General Statutes relating to the Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act.
With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the sentencing, quartering, and control of prisoners with work day release privileges.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 159, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 8 of the General Statutes, relating to evidence, so as to authorize the admission in evidence of reproductions of records of building and savings and loan associations.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 31-24 and General Statutes 31-25 relating to the probate of will when witnesses are nonresidents.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton, for the Committee on Health.

H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled An act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126-1 relating to employees of the Hospitals Board of Control.

With a favorable report.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 205, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 90-97, relating to the sale of paregoric and similar medicinal preparations.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

H. B. 620, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-11 relating to taking of foxes in Granville County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 722, a bill to be entitled An act to create bird sanctuaries within the Towns of Snow Hill, Walstonburg, and Hookerton in Greene County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 685, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 108 of the Private Laws of 1907, so as to provide for the appointment of a Tax Collector in the Town of Goldston.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.
On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 782, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount to call an election in the City of Rocky Mount to determine whether Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907 amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount shall be further amended insofar as it pertains to the number and election of the members of the City Council and the Mayor of the City of Rocky Mount.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 783, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount to call an election in the City of Rocky Mount to determine whether Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907 amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount shall be further amended insofar as it pertains to the number and election of the members of the City Council and the Mayor of the City of Rocky Mount.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 904, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Warren County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 907, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a uniform bill of costs for all courts of Wake County, North Carolina, inferior to the Wake County Superior Court, exclusive of the Wake County Domestic Relations Court and the Raleigh City Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 911, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Pilot Mountain in Surry County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 920, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 185 of the Private Laws of 1929 relating to the powers of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Vanceboro, Craven County, and to the salaries of certain employees thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 923, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Spencer to lease to the Rowan County Rescue Squad, Inc., a certain lot of land located in the said town of Spencer, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 926, a bill to be entitled An act to postpone revaluation in Orange County for a period of three years.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 927, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 527 of the Session Laws of 1953 and Chapter 939 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to
transfer certain extraterritorial zoning and subdivision-regulation jurisdiction from the Town of Chapel Hill to the Town of Carrboro.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 928, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 647, ratified 26 April 1957, relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 934, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Burlington Industries, Inc.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 935, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-346 relating to the salaries of mayor and City Councilmen in the City of Burlington.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 939, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the appointment of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Aurora.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 940, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the foreclosure and collection of delinquent tax sale certificates in Graham County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter, and related Private Laws, of the City of Goldsboro.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 252, a bill to be entitled An act to forbid automobile and motorcycle racing events in Orange County on Sundays, and to require insurance coverage for the protection of spectators, racing competitors, and employed race track workers, attending, taking part in, or assisting in automobile and/or motorcycle racing events presented or conducted in Orange County, and to provide for further regulation of such racing events.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 285, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 466 of the 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina in extending the term of trustees hereafter appointed for the free public library of the Town of Tarboro and the County of Edgecombe from three to six years.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 317, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 468 of the 1955 Session Laws of North Carolina to amend the Charter of the Town of Tarboro to establish the corporate boundaries thereof.

With a favorable report.
By Mr. Bell, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 944, a bill to be entitled An act amending H. B. 392 relating to the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

S. B. 44, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for more efficient and economical procedures for the acquisition, management, and disposition of real property by the state and by the agencies and institutions of the state.

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. Arledge:

H. R. 946, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to modify or rescind agreements and treaties with foreign nations with respect to trials of members of the armed forces of the United States who are or may be charged with criminal offenses.

Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 947, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-145 relating to filling vacancies among candidates.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mr. Holmes, by request:

H. B. 948, a bill to be entitled An act to provide an effective method for collecting taxes on personal property transferred by the listing taxpayer to another between the listing date and the due date thereof.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Fowler:

H. B. 949, a bill to be entitled An act to amend paragraph (b) of General Statutes 97-2 so as to bring under the Workmen's Compensation Act all officers and employees of municipal corporations and political subdivisions of the state, except those elected by the people.

Referred to Committee on Employment Security.

By Messrs. Woodard of Wilson, Hunt, Hardy, Wilson of Caswell and Hill:

H. B. 950, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the distribution of automobile registration plates by persons selling automobile insurance.
Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 951, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-104 relating to service of process outside the state.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Taylor, Zollicoffer, Ross, Harris of Wake, Thompson and Hill:

H. B. 952, a bill to be entitled An act pertaining to notice to property owners by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Gobble:

H. B. 953, a bill to be entitled An act adopting daylight savings time for this state for the period from the last Sunday in April until the last Sunday in October of each year.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Yarborough of Cumberland and Henley:

H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4C of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to structural pest control.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Eggers, by request:

H. B. 955, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Watauga County to appropriate not exceeding $10,000 for the construction of water and sewer lines from the corporate limits of municipalities therein to unincorporated communities within the county, in which industrial plants are located.

On motion of Mr. Eggers the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. 956, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that in Chatham County certain delinquent taxes, when collected, shall be paid into the general fund of the county.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 957, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Chatham County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 958, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that no dog tax credit shall be allowed in Chatham County for the payment of a rabies vaccination fee.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 959, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Nash County to fix the fees charged by certain county officers.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 960, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Nash County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Umstead:

H. B. 961, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-41 to exempt from privilege license taxes persons practicing the professional art of healing through prayer or spiritual means.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Wooten and Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 962, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 3 of Chapter 222, Private Laws of 1893, as rewritten by Section 1 of Chapter 231, Session Laws of 1943, relating to the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Grimesland and creating the office of Judge of the Municipal Court of said town.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 963, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $50,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, and repealing H. B. 56, ratified on April 12, 1957, relating to the issuance of bonds by said town.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. Rodenbough:

H. B. 964, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Rule g. appearing in General Statutes 163-25 relating to residence of electors.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Pittman:
H. B. 965, a bill to be entitled An act to license importers of beer and wine.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 966, a bill to be entitled An act to establish certain fees and mileage payments as to township constables and town policemen in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 967, a bill to be entitled An act to equalize the gross premiums tax on established life insurance companies.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Uzzell:

H. B. 968, a bill to be entitled An act relative to taxpaid beer crown and lid denominations.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

Thursday, May 2, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent the House of Representatives requesting the return of S. B. 125 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 113-251 of the General Statutes, relating to obstruction of passage of fish in streams," for further consideration by the Senate.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message and upon motion the bill is returned to the Senate for further consideration.

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. 352, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Rockingham County to defer and postpone the reassessment and revaluation of real property in said county until the year 1959.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 353, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-136 relating to the issuance and contents of summons in courts of justices of the peace.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 359, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 54 of the General Statutes relating to books and records of building and loan associations.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

S. R. 367, a joint resolution of respect to the memory of the Honorable James Paul Lowder (Sr.) 1893-1957.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Stanly the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 77-14 relating to obstructions in creeks, streams, rivers and farmland drainage ditches.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Johnson the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 7, Chapter 17 of the General Statutes relating to habeas corpus for custody of children to provide an additional use of habeas corpus in the discretion of the judge for determining the custody of minor children and to authorize the award of custody to such person, organization, agency or institution as will, in the court's opinion, best promote the welfare of such children, the present provisions as to habeas corpus now contained in the statute to remain unchanged.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

Placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 342, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to provide that partially destroyed buildings and parts thereof be included under the terms of the statute.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 343, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the terms of Superior Court in Hertford County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 351, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 57 of the General Statutes so as to permit contracts for payment to dentists for certain services.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 305, a bill to be entitled An act establishing an official toast to the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 326, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain provisions of Chapter 86 of the General Statutes of North Carolina entitled "Barbers."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-48 so as to make it illegal to possess or cause to be manufactured counterfeit or unauthorized beverage control stamps.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 833, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Hickory to enlarge and adjust the ward boundaries so as to include additional territories heretofore and hereafter annexed to the City of Hickory under the provisions of Article 36 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 886, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a referendum on the question of extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Fairmont.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 229, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of justices of the peace of Cumberland County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 683, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the selection and terms of office of members of the County Board of Education of Rutherford County.

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

H. B. 764, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the nomination and election of members of the County School Board of Bladen County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 827, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Section 10, Chapter 217, Public Laws of 1923, and all of Chapter 556, Public-Local Laws of 1933, relating to drainage districts in Hyde County.

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

H. B. 828, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 156-83 relating to supervision of drainage districts construction in Hyde County.

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

H. B. 910, a bill to be entitled An act amending North Carolina General Statutes 115-70 in respect of the nomination, election and terms of district school committeemen in Cumberland County.

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

H. B. 826, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 6 and 8, Chapter 156, of the General Statutes relating to drainage districts so as to fix the compensation of members of boards of drainage commissioners and to authorize the issuance of assessment anticipation notes in amounts not to exceed $50,000.00.

On motion of Mr. Askew the committee amendment is adopted.

The amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taking of catfish by the use of electrical devices in the commercial fishing waters of the Cape Fear River.

On motion of Mr. Britt the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-150 so as to place certain responsibility upon the principals of the public schools with regard to fire safety.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, May 8, 1957.

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to prescribe regulations for the reduction of fire hazards and for the protection of life and property in public school facilities.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 69-7 relating to fire prevention and providing for "Fire Prevention Day."
On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, May 8, 1957.

H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendments are adopted.

On motion of Mr. Venters the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 667, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 18-27 relating to local option elections on the sale of beer and wine.

Mr. Shreve offers two amendments which are adopted.

Mr. Satterfield offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. Kiser calls for the “Ayes” and “Noes” on the second reading of the bill, as amended, the call is sustained.

The bill passes its second reading, as amended by the following vote.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Bost, Bowman, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Clark, Combs, Craig, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Houk, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Lloyd, Long, McCrary, McKnight, O'Neal, Parker, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Quinn, Ross, Shreve, Snepp, Stone, Taylor, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Wilson of Caswell, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—70.


Mr. Britt objects to the third reading of the bill.

Mr. Shreve moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on its third reading, as amended, the call sustains.

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

S. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act amending Sections 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving.

On motion of Mr. Bost the committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments,
S. B. 197, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, subject to the approval of the Advisory Budget Commission, to set the salaries of certain administrative officers exempt from the State Personnel Act.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

S. B. 323, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the practice of dentistry.

Mr. Thompson offers three amendments which are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

S. R. 325, a joint resolution to amend the Southern Regional Education Compact to increase the number of members of the Board of Control for Southern Regional Education from four from each state to five from each state and to specify that one member from each state shall be appointed by the Governor from among the membership of the Legislature of that state.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 747, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the practice of dentistry.

On motion of Mr. Thompson consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Hardy, 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. 224. An Act to amend Chapter 123 of the Session Laws of 1955, so as to require that proposed zoning amendments relating to the perimeter area surrounding the City of Charlotte be submitted for recommendation to the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission, and to provide for re-zoning of any territory in the perimeter area incorporated in the city limits of the City of Charlotte.

S. B. 316. An Act to authorize and empower the Mayor and the Town Council of the Town of Tarboro, North Carolina, to convey, with or without money consideration, to the trustees of the Howard Memorial Presbyterian Church of Tarboro, North Carolina, a part of the Presbyterian Church of the United States of America, a certain lot of land belonging to the said town, and to ratify and confirm a certain conveyance heretofore made by said town of Tarboro to the trustees of said church.

S. B. 328. An Act to include Carteret County within the provisions of General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment for public drunkenness.

H. B. 396. An Act to amend Chapter 41 of the General Statutes to provide for trying title to land claimed by the state and other parties.

H. B. 405. An Act to provide for period of revocation of a driver's license upon conviction of second, third or subsequent offense of driving under influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug.

H. B. 514. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Stanly County to prohibit the operation of loudspeaker, amplifying or public address systems in certain areas in said county.

H. B. 705. An Act to amend General Statutes 136-96 relating to road or street not used within fifteen years after dedication deemed abandoned.


H. B. 793. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to consent to suit in Superior Court (Mecklenburg County) by Ray G. Register and should the said Ray G. Register obtain judgment or the matter be compromised, then to authorize the said Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to pay same.


H. B. 822. An Act providing for an adjustment of taxes between the seller and the buyer of real property as a condition precedent to the registration of a deed in Macon County.

H. B. 914. An Act to amend Chapter 288 of Public-Local Laws of 1939 and to provide new registration of voters in the Town of Aulander in 1957 and every ten years thereafter.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock.

SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 3, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Bost, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.
On motion of Mr. Powell the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Clarence Stone, a former member of the House from Rockingham County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, Glenn Haywood Person, Jr., of Guilford County is made an honorary page of the House.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taking of catfish by the use of electrical devices in the commercial fishing waters of the Cape Fear River.

H. B. 667, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 18-127 relating to local option elections on the sale of beer and wine.

REPORT 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. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 493, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 relating to the manner of marking ballots.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 770, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to permanent registration of voters in certain counties of the state; to the powers of county boards of elections, registrars and special registration commissioners in such counties, and to the assistance of certain voters in such counties.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 792, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to the procedure to be followed in voting a split ticket.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 811, a bill to be entitled An act relating to elections in Lenoir County and municipalities located therein.

With a favorable report, as amended.
S. B. 275, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1104 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the manner of voting for group candidates in Stokes County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 471, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-74 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes relating to the consolidation of city and county administrative units and the continuance of the tax in the former city administrative unit.

Reported without prejudice.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the bill is recommitted to Committee on Education.

H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to the sale or delivery of obscene literature.

With a favorable report, as amended.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 712, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-51.1 relating to retired Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Courts.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Kerr the bill is placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, May 7, 1957.

H. B. 854, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 564 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to challenges in the Recorder's Court of Rutherford County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 855, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and rewrite the Municipal Capital Reserve Act.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 856, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 33, Chapter 160, of the General Statutes authorizing municipalities to invest funds.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 898, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to liens on colts, calves and pigs.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 162, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent unfair trade practices in the diamond industry.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Wicker, for the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

H. B. 879, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint Justices of the Peace for the several counties of North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Craig, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of the City Court of Raleigh.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 373, a bill to be entitled An act to abolish jury trial in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Chowan County and to transfer criminal cases in which jury trial is requested to the superior court of said county.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 825, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Harnett County Board of Commissioners to appoint an Assistant Solicitor for the Harnett County Recorder's Court during the absence or disability of the Solicitor.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 849, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-4 relating to the number of jurors to be drawn in Transylvania County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 890, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix certain terms of the Superior Court in Perquimans and Gates Counties.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the planning, designation, establishment, use, regulation, alteration, improvement, maintenance, and vacation of controlled-access facilities; the acquisition of lands required therefor; the restriction of intersections and control of approaches; the establishment of local service or frontage roads; the prohibition of certain acts thereon; and for other purposes.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the committee substitute bill is adopted.
On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 9, 1957.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public-Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said city.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the bill is placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, May 7, 1957.

S. B. 312, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor-boats and other craft on the northeast Cape Fear River between Smith’s Bridge and Lane’s Ferry Bridge in Pender 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 Messrs. Lloyd, Crawford of Swain, and Martin:

H. B. 969, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 1 of Article 3 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes relating to old age assistance liens.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 970, a bill to be entitled An act requiring all teachers in the public schools of North Carolina holding graduate certificates to take national teachers examinations to be conducted under the supervision of the State Board of Education and to be rated according to the scores made on such tests.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Woodard of Northampton, Speight, Parker, and Pittman:

H. B. 971, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 972, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Franklin County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,
H. B. 973, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County to fix hours of employment, sick leave, and vacation periods of officers and employees of said county.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mrs. Rodenbough:

H. R. 974, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to study the cause and control of cancer in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Health.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 975, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of the City of Jacksonville in Onslow County the question of whether or not the city council shall be elected by the voters of the city at large.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 976, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the size of and method of using fishing nets in that part of Currituck Sound in Currituck County.

Referred to Committee on Commercial Fisheries.

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 977, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the appointment of an authority to control the management of a memorial stadium to be erected by Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 978, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Personal Loan Authority and providing for the administration, cost and maintenance thereof, and regulating the making of loans in amounts of $300.00 or less; limiting and restricting the amounts of interest, fees, insurance and charges made in connection therewith and prescribing penalties, punishment and injunctive relief for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 979, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Alamance County to levy annually a special tax for the construction of an addition to the County Courthouse to house the general county offices and to construct a building or buildings for the Alamance County Department of Public Welfare.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,
H. B. 980, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 238 of the Private Laws of 1935 relating to the maintenance of "junk yards" within the Town of Graham, Alamance County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 981, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 741 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to increase the annual contribution from the Town of Graham to the Graham Public Library.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Turner, Kemp, Stone, Love, Crawford of Buncombe, Gobble, Hill, Snepp, Hicks, Vogler, Shreve, Womble of Forsyth, and Powell:

H. B. 982, a bill to be entitled An act to define and establish the senatorial districts of the state, and to make the apportionment of the senators.

Referred to Committee on Senatorial Districts.

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. 204, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the term of office of the County Commissioners of Stanly County from two to four years.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 277, a bill to be entitled An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and real estate salesmen in North Carolina, and to create the North Carolina Real Estate Licensing Board and define its powers and duties, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of the act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 309, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 333, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Hickory.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 9 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to liens or assessments for local improvements.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Hendersonville and the County of Henderson to convey their undivided interest in the
Asheville-Hendersonville Airport upon completion of a new airport by the City of Asheville.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 691, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain homeowners in Chowan County by allowing them to transport, over the public highways of the county, certain buildings which they are requested to remove by virtue of the expansion of the Naval Air Station in said county.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Byrum 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. 904, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Warren County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 911, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Pilot Mountain in Surry County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Clark, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Gaither,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 944, a bill to be entitled An act amending H. B. 392 relating to the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter and related Private Laws of the City of Goldsboro.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Clark, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Love, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Parker, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Rodenbaugh, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Valentine, Vann,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 317, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 468 of the 1955 Session Laws of North Carolina to amend the Charter of the Town of Tarboro to establish the corporate boundaries thereof.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 620, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-11 relating to taking of foxes in Granville County.

On motion of Mr. Watkins the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 685, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 108 of the Private Laws of 1907 so as to provide for the appointment of a Tax Collector in the Town of Goldston.

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

H. B. 722, a bill to be entitled An act to create bird sanctuaries within the Towns of Snow Hill, Walstonburg, and Hookerton in Greene County.

On motion of Mr. Hardy the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 782, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount to call an election in the City of Rocky Mount
to determine whether Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907 amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount shall be further amended insofar as it pertains to the number and election of the members of the City Council and the Mayor of the City of Rocky Mount.

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

H. B. 783, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for members of the Board of Commissioners of Edgecombe County.

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

H. B. 907, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a uniform bill of costs for all courts of Wake County, North Carolina, inferior to the Wake County Superior Court, exclusive of the Wake County Domestic Relations Court and the Raleigh City Court.

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

H. B. 920, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 185 of the Private Laws of 1929 relating to the powers of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Vanceboro, Craven County, and to the salaries of certain employees thereof.

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

H. B. 923, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Spencer to lease to the Rowan County Rescue Squad, Inc., a certain lot of land located in the said Town of Spencer, North Carolina.

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

H. B. 926, a bill to be entitled An act to postpone revaluation in Orange County for a period of three years.

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

H. B. 927, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 527 of the Session Laws of 1953 and Chapter 939 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to transfer certain extraterritorial zoning and subdivision-regulation jurisdiction from the Town of Chapel Hill in the Town of Carrboro.

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

H. B. 928, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 647, ratified 26 April 1957, relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 934, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Burlington Industries, Inc.

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

H. B. 935, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-346 relating to the salaries of Mayor and City Councilmen in the City of Burlington.

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

H. B. 939, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the appointment of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Aurora.

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

H. B. 940, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the foreclosure and collection of delinquent tax sale certificates in Graham County.

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

S. B. 285, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 466 of the 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina in extending the term of trustees hereafter appointed for the free public library of the Town of Tarboro and the County of Edgecombe from three to six years.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 826, a bill to be entitled An act amending Articles 6 and 8, Chapter 156, of the General Statutes relating to drainage districts so as to fix the compensation of members of boards of drainage commissioners and to authorize the issuance of assessment anticipation notes in amounts not to exceed $50,000.00.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 280, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 7, Chapter 17, of the General Statutes relating to habeas corpus for custody of children to provide an additional use of habeas corpus in the discretion of the judge for determining the custody of minor children and to authorize the award of custody to such person, organization, agency, or institution as will, in the court’s opinion, best promote the welfare of such children, the present provisions as to habeas corpus now contained in the statute to remain unchanged.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled An act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126-1 relating to employees of the Hospitals Board of Control.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 7, 1957.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by Justices of the Peace.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 7, 1957.

H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-128 relating to the depositing of trash near highways.

Mr. Wilson of Union moves that the vote by which the amendment offered by Mr. Uzzell was adopted be reconsidered, the motion prevails.

Mr. Wilson of Union moves that the vote by which the amendment offered by Mr. Snepp was adopted be reconsidered, the motion prevails.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the committee amendment is adopted.

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

S. B. 44, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for more efficient and economical procedures for the acquisition, management, and disposition of real property by the state and by the agencies and institutions of the state.

On motion of Mr. Clark the four committee amendments are adopted.

Mr. Clark offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

S. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the sentencing, quartering, and control of prisoners with workday release privileges.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 205, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 90-97 relating to the sale of paregoric and similar medicinal preparations.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 31-24 and General Statutes 31-25 relating to the probate of will when witnesses are nonresidents.

On motion of Mr. Valentine the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time only Public-Local legislation will be considered.

SEVENTY-SIXTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Saturday, May 4, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Buchanan, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Ferebee reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday Night, May 6, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst, Betsy and Selma Falls, daughters of Representative and Mrs. Falls of Cleveland County, are made honorary pargettes of the House.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, Ralph Moore of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mrs. Rodenbough the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Mrs. R. S. Ferguson, a former member of the House from Stokes County.

On motion of Mr. Falls, H. B. 915 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to validate tax levies and tax sales of the Town of Aulander" is taken from the Committee on Finance and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 558, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-128 relating to the depositing of trash near highways.

H. B. 620, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-111 relating to taking of foxes in Granville County.

H. B. 722, a bill to be entitled An act to create bird sanctuaries within the Towns of Snow Hill, Walstonburg, and Hookerton in Greene County.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 434, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain agriculture products from ad valorem taxes in Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 830, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Lake Waccamaw.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 863, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a Law Library for the public officials and courts in Onslow County.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 874, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to levy a special tax for the construction of county office buildings.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled An act to create a Cemetery Commission for the County of Graham, to fix its duties and to provide for the submission of the question of special tax for said purposes to the voters of the County of Graham at an election.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the boundary lines of the Town of Rockingham in Richmond County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 913, a bill to be entitled An act relating to special assessments levied by the Town of Ahoskie.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 963, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $50,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, and repealing H. B. 56 ratified on April 12, 1957, relating to the issuance of bonds by said town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 979, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Alamance County to levy annually a special tax for the construction of an addition to the County Courthouse to house the general county offices and to construct a building or buildings for the Alamance County Department of Public Welfare.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Jordan, Craig and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 983, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-286 relating to the jurisdiction of general county courts in civil actions.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Satterfield, Everett, Phelps, Kerr, Thomas of Johnston, Watkins, Speight, Murphy and Vann:

H. B. 984, a bill to be entitled An act to require corporations organized for certain objects to file with the Secretary of State annual reports showing their members in North Carolina and other information.
Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Askew:

H. B. 985, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statute 14-335 so as to include Gates County within the provisions thereof.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hardy:

H. B. 986, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Greene County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 987, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling and clairvoyance in Greene County.

Referred to Committee on Health.

And,

H. B. 988, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-516.1 relating to carnivals and similar amusements in Greene County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Reynolds and Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 989, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Lumberton City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Lumberton.

Referred to Committee on Education.

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. 201, a bill to be entitled An act to secure compliance with the highway fuel use tax law by providing a penalty for failure to register.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 264, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to make special provisions with respect to the kennel tax on fox hounds in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 272, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-20.2 (b) relating to the place of registration of mortgages on personal property and to amend certain parts of Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) and Section 1 of Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act).
Referred to Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 274, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor and Council of State to convey certain property located in the City of Raleigh to Shaw University.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 306, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the enforcement of tax liens in Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 334, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of Justices of the Peace in Catawba County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 339, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-63 relating to the amount to be paid by the Commissioner of Insurance for publication of financial statements of insurance companies.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 344, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Tarboro to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-56.1 relating to federal income tax refunds.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 371, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the execution of process on Sunday.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 717, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Moore County to fix the salaries of the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Moore County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Blue the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said district.

Returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the House concurs in the Senate amendments; the amendments being material, the bill is placed on the Calendar for its second roll call reading.

S. B. 363, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Motor Vehicle Laws relating to the licensing of tractors and semi-trailers.
Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 368, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions of property lying and being in Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 370, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Murfreesboro to convey certain land at private sale to the Hertford County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 904, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Warren County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 911, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Pilot Mountain in Surry County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 944, a bill to be entitled An act amending H. B. 392 relating to the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter, and related Private Laws, of the City of Goldsboro.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Love, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbourgh, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 317, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 468 of the 1955 Session Laws of North Carolina to amend the Charter of the Town of Tarboro to establish the corporate boundaries thereof.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 194, a bill to be entitled An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of the City Court of Raleigh.

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 abolish jury trial in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Chowan County and to transfer criminal cases in which jury trial is requested to the Superior Court of said county.

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

H. B. 811, a bill to be entitled An act relating to elections in Lenoir County and municipalities located therein.

On motion of Mr. White the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 825, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Harnett County Board of Commissioners to appoint an Assistant Solicitor for the Harnett County Recorder's Court during the absence or disability of the Solicitor.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 849, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-4 relating to the number of jurors to be drawn in Transylvania County.

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

H. B. 854, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 564 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to challenges in the Recorder's Court of Rutherford County.

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

H. B. 890, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix certain terms of the Superior Court in Perquimans and Gates Counties.

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

S. B. 252, a bill to be entitled An act to forbid automobile and motorcycle racing events in Orange County on Sundays, and to require insurance coverage for the protection of spectators, racing competitors, and employed race track workers, attending, taking part in, or assisting in automobile and/or motorcycle racing events presented or conducted in Orange County, and to provide for further regulation of such racing events.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 275, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1104 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the manner of voting for group candidates in Stokes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 312, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motorboats and other craft on the northeast Cape Fear River between Smith's Bridge and Lane's Ferry Bridge in Pender County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 826, a bill to be entitled An act amending Articles 6 and 8, Chapter 156 of the General Statutes relating to drainage districts so as to fix the compensation of members of boards of drainage commissioners and to authorize the issuance of assessment anticipation notes in amounts not to exceed $50,000.00.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 493, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 relating to the manner of marking ballots.

On motion of Mr. Dill consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

On motion of Mr. Dill consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to the sale or delivery of obscene literature.

On motion of Mr. Dill consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 770, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to permanent registration of voters in certain counties of the State, to the powers of County Boards of Elections, registrars and special registration commissioners in such counties, and to the assistance of certain voters in such counties.

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

H. B. 855, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and rewrite the Municipal Capital Reserve Act.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 856, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 33, Chapter 160 of the General Statutes, authorizing municipalities to invest funds.
On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 879, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Wicker the committee amendment is adopted.
Mr. Gregory offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Valentine offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Coates offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Speight offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Clark offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Askew offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Floyd of Robeson offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Ferebee offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 898, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to liens on colts, calves and pigs.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 7, 1957.

S. B. 162, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent unfair trade practices in the diamond industry.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Kiser, the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock Noon.

SEVENTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 7, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.
On motion of Mr. Stone, Henry Burton Whicker, Jr., William Blair Gray, Johnny G. Plemons, James N. Brinson and Thomas Frederick Stock of Forsyth County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hostetler, Elizabeth Lee Ponton of Wake County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Zollicoffer the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Elvin Faulkner, a former member of the House from Vance County.

On motion of Mr. Turner S. B. 375 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Hendersonville and the County of Henderson to convey their undivided interest in the Asheville-Hendersonville Airport upon completion of a new airport by the City of Asheville," is taken from the Committee on Local Government and placed on today's Calendar.

On motion of Mr. Askew H. B. 890 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix certain terms of the Superior Court in Perquimans and Gates Counties," is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.

**ENGROSSED BILLS**

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 811, a bill to be entitled An act relating to elections in Lenoir County and municipalities located therein.

H. B. 826, a bill to be entitled An act amending Articles 6 and 8, Chapter 156, of the General Statutes relating to drainage districts so as to fix the compensation of members of boards of drainage commissioners and to authorize the issuance of assessment anticipation notes in amounts not to exceed $50,000.00.

**REPORT 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. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 261, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the sentencing, quartering, and control of prisoners with work day release privileges.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 357, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 50-13 relating to the custody of children in divorce.

With an unfavorable report.
H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes relating to the practice of optometry.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 495, a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Luther Seavy Cain for personal injuries sustained in an accident as a result of negligence of an employee of the State Highway and Public Works Commission of September 3, 1955.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 526, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 44-52 relating to agricultural liens so as to require the lienholder to notify the landlord of the existence of such lien.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 88, a bill to be entitled An act repealing the proviso appearing at the end of the first paragraph of General Statutes 115-120, relating to the calling of elections to consolidate a part of a county school district with an adjoining city administration unit.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 302, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the cancellation of deeds of trust.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 652, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of Greenville, North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 742, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to call a special election for the authorization of an Industrial Development Tax for Pitt County and to create and fix the powers of an Industrial Development Commission for Pitt County.

With a favorable report.

The bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 794, a bill to be entitled An act empowering the Charlotte City Board of Education to acquire title to land for school sites and title to or easements in land for street purposes where necessary to provide a means of ingress and egress to school sites.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 795, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 878 of Session Laws of 1953 to provide for the medical care of the indigent sick and afflicted poor.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 796, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to promulgate ordinances, rules, and regulations governing the parking of automobiles and other motor vehicles on property owned by Mecklenburg County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 797, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Mecklenburg.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 842, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection 28 of General Statutes 160-200 relating to the condemnation and removal of buildings in the Town of Morehead City, Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 845, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 269 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 to facilitate the listing and assessing of additions to buildings, new buildings, and appurtenances of Mecklenburg County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 846, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1334 of the Session Laws of 1955 to make the provisions thereof applicable to the Town of Davidson in Mecklenburg County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 847, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the listing of taxes of all house trailers located in Mecklenburg County on January 1st.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 918, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section One of Chapter 754, Session Laws of 1953, so as to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Bethel in Pitt County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 943, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1083, Session Laws of 1947, so as to authorize the City of Asheville Board of Alcoholic Control, in its discretion, to expend not more than five per cent of its law enforcement funds for education as to the effects of the use of alcohol.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29 relating to the compensation of members of the Board of Education of Rockingham County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 235, a bill to be entitled An act to remove from the Sheriff of Wilkes County the duty of collecting taxes, to provide for the appointment of a Tax Collector for Wilkes County and to define his duties.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 236, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Register of Deeds, and the Sheriff of Wilkes County, and to provide for additional office personnel therefor.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 284, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Durham County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

With a favorable report.

The bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 9 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to liens of assessments for local improvements.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 341, a bill to be entitled An act granting power and authority to the governing body of the City of Durham to provide by ordinance regulations for the use by vehicle of municipally owned off-street parking facilities, and of off-street publicly owned parks and grounds occupied by public buildings, the use by vehicles of privately owned areas for public street purposes, the removal of vehicles from on-street places under certain conditions, and to prescribe and enforce criminal penalties for violation of such ordinances.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 368, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions of property lying and being in Durham County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to prescribe regulations for the reduction of fire hazards and for the protection of life and property in public school facilities.

With a favorable report, as amended.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 327, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-568.25 relating to the effect of taking and introducing a deposition.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee substitute bill is adopted.
H. B. 491, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-155 and General Statutes 7-164 relating to fees deposited for a jury trial before a justice of the peace.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 658, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-18.1 so as to prohibit the State Highway and Public Works Commission and its agents and employees, and others, from planting or using bermuda grass, nut grass, johnson grass, or sand spurs on Highway rights of way.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 876, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Lincolnton in Lincoln County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 877, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment of public drunkenness in Lincoln County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 887, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10, Chapter 130 of the General Statutes so as to make it unlawful to trespass upon the watershed area of an unfiltered public water supply.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth, for the Committee on Higher Education.

H. B. 908, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Articles 2 through 9 of Chapter 116 of the General Statutes and substituting a new Article 2 in lieu thereof.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 942, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-408 relating to the hours of sale of livestock at auction in Lee County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 971, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 307, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Article 36 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to plant pests.
With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the bill is placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Craig and Jordan:
H. B. 990, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 7, Chapter 113 of the General Statutes so as to legalize the possession, sale and transportation of ringneck pheasants and chukar partridges propagated in captivity.
Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Messrs. Clark, Kerr, Kiser and Murphy:
H. B. 991, a bill to be entitled An act regulating occupational licensing boards.
Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. Blue and Gregory:
H. B. 992, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating $3,600 for additions and betterments at the House in the Horseshoe State Historic Site.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:
H. B. 993, a bill to be entitled An act relating to costs in criminal cases in the Town of Woodland.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,
H. B. 994, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1301 of the Session Laws if 1953 regulating the cutting of forest seed trees in Gates County so as to make the provisions of said chapter applicable to Northampton County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Talton and Parker:
H. B. 995, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 131-54 relating to admission of indigent patients to state sanatoria for tuberculosis.
Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Taylor:
H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-116 so as to authorize county-wide supplemental tax elections prior to the
consolidation of city administrative units with the county administrative unit.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Floyd of Robeson and Reynolds:

H. B. 997, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of the Town of Fairmont to lease or sell at private sale its ice plant property.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 998, a bill to be entitled An act granting power and authority to the governing bodies of cities and towns to provide by ordinance regulations for the use by vehicles of municipally owned off-street parking facilities and the removal of vehicles therefrom.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bynum:

H. B. 999, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Richmond County to levy taxes to pay the salary and office expenses of the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent and the Home Demonstration Agent and the Veteran's Service Officer.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Umstead and Hunt:

H. B. 1000, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-211.2 relating to the definitions of employee life insurance.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Wall:

H. B. 1001, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-134 so as to fix the fees to be charged by Justices of the Peace of McDowell County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Venter, Bell, Bowman, Whitehurst, Delamar, Burgess and Etheridge:

H. B. 1002, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of mosquito control districts and to define their powers and duties.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1003, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1197, Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Salt Marsh Mosquito Study Commission.
Referred to Committee on Health.

By Messrs. Venters, Bell, Bowman, Whitehurst, Delamar, Etheridge and Burgess:

H. B. 1004, a bill to be entitled An act relating to mosquito control in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Health.

By Mr. Fowler:

H. B. 1005, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 13C of Chapter 131, 1955 Supplement to Volume 3B of the General Statutes, authorizing counties to borrow money on behalf of hospital districts to pay appropriations and maturing principal and interest on bonds of said districts.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Britt:

H. B. 1006, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Elizabethtown in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

And,

H. B. 1007, a bill to be entitled An act to restore to the residents of Bladen County the privilege of hunting and fishing without purchase of a state hunting or fishing license in that part of Robeson County known and designated as "The Big Swamp."

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Wooten:

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor boats, power boats and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Wicker:

H. B. 1009, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize and empower the Board of Commissioners of Lee County to appropriate funds to the Recreation Department of the City of Sanford.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 109-11 relating to the acknowledgment and registration of official bonds.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Britt:
H. R. 1011, a joint resolution calling upon the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to provide air conditioning for the Senate and House Chambers.

Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

May 3, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate has failed to concur in House amendment to S. B. 123 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving," and requests a conference thereon. To this end the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Graves and Aydlett to act with a like committee on the part of the House to the end that the differences existing between the two bodies may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message of nonconcurrence Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. White, Craig and Williams of Yadkin and the Senate is so notified.

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. 30, a bill to be entitled An act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126.1 relating to employees of the hospitals board of control.

Referred to Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

S. B. 86, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Thomasville to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 366, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 181, Session Laws of 1949 so as to fix the term of office of Mayor of the Town of Conover at two years and to extend the term of the Mayor elected in 1957.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 373, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 496 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Board of Trustees of the Daniel Boone Association.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
S. B. 374, a bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxes on the property of Calvary Baptist Church of Hamlet, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

H. B. 844, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-84 relating to removal of cases in the Superior Court to adjacent counties.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wall 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. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said district.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 830, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Lake Waccamaw.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 863, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a law library for the public officials and courts in Onslow County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: Mr. Womble of Wake—1.

H. B. 874, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to levy a special tax for the construction of county office buildings.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled An act to create a Cemetery Commission for the County of Graham, to fix its duties and to provide for the submission of the question of special tax for said purposes to the voters of the County of Graham at an election.

On motion of Mr. Lloyd the committee amendment is adopted; the amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading
of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second roll call reading, as amended.

H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the boundary lines of the Town of Rockingham in Richmond County.

On motion of Mr. Bynum the committee amendment is adopted; the amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second roll call reading, as amended.

H. B. 963, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $50,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, and repealing H. B. 56 ratified on April 12, 1957, relating to the issuance of bonds by said town.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 979, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Alamance County to levy annually a special tax for the construction of an addition to the county courthouse to house the general county offices and to construct a building or buildings for the Alamance County Department of Public Welfare.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said city.

Mr. Love offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Arledge, Britt, Burgress, Burleson, Carpenter, Combs, Delamar, Everett, Floyd of Columbus, Griggs, Hargett, Houk, Johnson, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Love, McCrary, Phelps, Quinn, Ross, White, Wicker, Woodard of Northampton, Wooten and Yarborough of Franklin—27.

H. B. 434, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt certain agriculture products from ad valorem taxes in Harnett County.

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

H. B. 913, a bill to be entitled An act relating to special assessment levied by the Town of Ahoskie.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Hendersonville and the County of Henderson to convey their undivided interest in the Asheville-Hendersonville Airport upon completion of a new airport by the City of Asheville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled An act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126-1 relating to employees of the hospitals board of control.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by justices of the peace.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the committee amendments are adopted.

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

H. B. 712, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-51.1 relating to retired Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Courts.

On motion of Mr. Kerr consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 9, 1957.

H. B. 898, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to liens on colts, calves and pigs.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. R. 325. A Joint Resolution to amend the Southern Regional Education Compact to increase the number of members of the Board of Control for Southern Regional Education from four from each state to five from each state and to specify that one member from each state shall be appointed by the Governor from among the membership of the Legislature of that state.

S. B. 229. An Act relating to the fees of Justices of the Peace of Cumberland County.
H. B. 245. An Act rewriting General Statutes 77-14 relating to obstructions in creeks, streams, rivers and farmland drainage ditches.

H. B. 292. An Act to authorize governing bodies of municipalities in Guilford County to create organizations for emergency life saving and rescue services or to contract for such services and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Guilford County to participate in sharing expense thereof.

H. B. 393. An Act amending Article 3A of Chapter 69 of the General Statutes to authorize any fire protection district to contract with a city or town to which all or a part of the area of such district shall be annexed concerning acquisition by such city or town of any property of the district and furnishing of fire protection.

H. B. 395. An Act amending Article 6 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes to authorize any sanitary district to contract with a city or town to which all or a part of the area of such district shall be annexed concerning acquisition by such city or town of water or sewer systems or other property of the district and the operation of such systems or other property.

H. B. 529. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Hertford County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

H. B. 570. An Act to amend and clarify Chapter 65, Article 7, of the General Statutes relating to cemeteries operated for private gain.

H. B. 578. An Act to extend the time for the Board of Equalization and Review of Northampton County to complete its work.

H. B. 603. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-345 to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year for Pitt County.

H. B. 607. An Act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Moore County for industrial developments and other purposes.

H. B. 624. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Alamance County.

H. B. 631. An Act to validate street assessments levied by the City Council of the City of Jacksonville.

H. B. 633. An Act to repeal Chapter 9 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the transfer of delinquent tax collections to the general fund of Pender County.

H. B. 634. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Pender County.

H. B. 780. An Act to authorize counties and municipalities to appoint deputy tax collectors.
H. B. 843. An Act repealing Section 8 of Chapter 363 of the Public-Local Laws of 1929 relative to the issuance of bonds and notes of Carteret County.

H. B. 896. An Act amending Article 11, Chapter 156 of the General Statutes by adding a new section at the end thereof to confer upon drainage districts the power of eminent domain and to authorize them to convey or lease to or lease from the Federal Government, the State Government or any agency thereof property to be used in connection with the operation of drainage districts.

S. B. 124. An Act to provide for the sentencing, quartering, and control of prisoners with workday release privileges.

S. B. 197. An Act to authorize the Governor, subject to the approval of the Advisory Budget Commission, to set the salaries of certain administrative officers exempt from the State Personnel Act.

S. B. 205. An Act to amend General Statutes 90-97, relating to the sale of paregoric and similar medicinal preparations.

S. B. 285. An Act to amend Chapter 466 of the 1953 Session Laws of North Carolina in extending the term of trustees hereafter appointed for the free public library of the Town of Tarboro and the County of Edgecombe from three to six years.

H. B. 222. An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy a special tax for the construction of a new county jail.

H. B. 280. An Act amending Article 7, Chapter 17 of the General Statutes relating to habeas corpus for custody of children to provide an additional use of habeas corpus in the discretion of the judge for determining the custody of minor children and to authorize the award of custody to such person, organization, agency or institution as will, in the court's opinion, best promote the welfare of such children, the present provisions as to habeas corpus now contained in the statute to remain unchanged.


H. B. 408. An Act to prohibit insurance agents from representing unauthorized companies.


H. B. 474. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Gaston County to establish, operate, maintain and regulate off-street parking lots and to provide for the collection of tolls for the use thereof.

H. B. 507. An Act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws, being the Business Corporation Act, so as to clarify the status of corporations having less than three shareholders.
H. B. 527. An Act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

H. B. 528. An Act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Jefferson in Ashe County.

H. B. 543. An Act amending General Statutes 1-98.2 by adding a new subsection to provide for the service of summons by publication in those cases in which the defendant, a resident of this state, has departed therefrom or keeps himself concealed therein with intent to defraud his creditors or to avoid the service of summons.

H. B. 553. An Act to amend Chapter 1182 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission of the City of High Point.

H. B. 556. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kure Beach, New Hanover County, to levy a tax for the purpose of encouraging the location of business and for advertising the recreational advantages and resources of said town.

H. B. 561. An Act to fix the fees of the Register of Deeds of Rowan County.

H. B. 592. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-9, paragraph 6, so as to authorize Madison County to levy a tax for the upkeep of county buildings, county homes for the aged and infirm, and other similar institutions.

H. B. 610. An Act to amend Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1953 by reducing the amount included in the superior court costs for the support of the New Hanover County Law Library and providing for the continuance of such item of costs.

H. B. 630. An Act amending Chapter 200 Public-Local Laws of 1939 so as to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Hertford in Perquimans County.

H. B. 637. An Act amending Chapter 193, Private Laws of 1923, as amended by Chapter 28, Private Laws of 1937, so as to increase the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Enfield.

H. B. 639. An Act relating to the levying of special taxes for the expenses of certain officers and employees of Granville County.

H. B. 653. An Act relative to fees for collecting and disbursing drainage district funds.

H. B. 654. An Act relating to prosecution bonds in actions to foreclose drainage assessments.

H. B. 661. An Act to amend General Statutes 44-78 relating to the place of filing a notice of assignment of accounts receivable.
H. B. 666. An Act to amend Chapter 427 of the Public-Local Laws of 1927 as amended relating to the compensation of certain officials in Guilford County.

H. B. 682. An Act to fix the salaries of certain officials and the fees of jurors in Rutherford County.

H. B. 689. An Act to fix the fees of the Sheriff of Davidson County.

H. B. 691. An Act to give relief to certain homeowners in Chowan County by allowing them to transport, over the public highways of the county, certain buildings which they are required to remove by virtue of the expansion of the Naval Air Station in said county.

H. B. 695. An Act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Tryon, Polk County.

H. B. 697. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Camden County to fix the fees to be charged by various county officers.

H. B. 702. An Act to establish and fix the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Lillington.

H. B. 721. An Act to fix the fees to be paid the Coroner of Granville County for holding an inquest over a dead body.

H. B. 729. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Washington County to adjust the salaries and allowances of certain elective and appointive officials and employees of Washington County.

H. B. 730. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-345 so as to discontinue the allowance of prepayment of taxes until August first of each year in Washington County.

H. B. 731. An Act fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Washington County and his deputies.


H. B. 741. An Act to amend Chapter 401 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the compensation of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Pitt County Recorder's Court.

H. B. 751. An Act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Dare County.

H. B. 754. An Act to authorize the County of Yadkin to construct and equip a new county building in Yadkinville, to issue bonds therefor, and to acquire necessary land for such purpose.

H. B. 763. An Act amending General Statutes 153-48.5 to authorize the County Commissioners to fix the salaries of county officials and relating to the appointment of the Tax Collector and Auditor of Bladen County.

H. B. 776. An Act amending Section 4, Chapter 996, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Apex.
H. B. 806. An Act to amend General Statutes 40-20 relating to jury trials in certain eminent domain proceedings.

H. B. 955. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Watauga County to appropriate not exceeding $10,000.00 for the construction of water and sewer lines from the corporate limits of municipalities therein to unincorporated communities within the county, in which industrial plants are located.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 9 o'clock A. M.

SEVENTY-NINTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 8, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. 44. An Act to provide for more efficient and economical procedures for the acquisition, management, and disposition of real property by the state and by the agencies and institutions of the state.

S. B. 162. An Act to prevent unfair trade practices in the diamond industry.

S. B. 245. An Act to amend the Charter, and related private laws, of the City of Goldsboro.

S. B. 250. An Act to amend General Statutes 31-24 and General Statutes 31-25 relating to the probate of will when witnesses are nonresidents.

S. B. 252. An Act to forbid automobile and motorcycle racing events in Orange County on Sundays, and to require insurance coverage for the protection of spectators, racing competitors, and employed race track workers, attending, taking part in, or assisting in automobile and/or motorcycle racing events presented or conducted in Orange County, and to provide for further regulation of such racing events.
S. B. 275. An Act to amend Chapter 1104 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the manner of voting for group candidates in Stokes County.

S. B. 312. An Act to regulate the operation of motorboats and other craft on the waters of the Northeast Cape Fear River between Smith's Bridge and Lane's Ferry Bridge in Pender County.

S. B. 317. An Act to amend Chapter 468 of the 1955 Session Laws of North Carolina to amend the Charter of the Town of Tarboro to establish the corporate boundaries thereof.


S. B. 375. An Act to authorize the City of Hendersonville and the County of Henderson to convey their undivided interest in the Asheville-Hendersonville Airport upon completion of a new airport by the City of Asheville.

H. B. 114. An Act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to modify the kennel tax provided for in the Dog Warden Law.


H. B. 582. An Act to amend Chapter 252 of the Public-Local Laws of 1931 relating to districts for the selection of County Commissioners in Moore County and to amend Chapter 76 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to districts for the nomination of members of the Board of Education of Moore County.

H. B. 627. An Act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the registration of licensed medical physicians every two years with the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 669. An Act relating to conveyances between husband and wife.

H. B. 717. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Moore County to fix the salaries of the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Moore County.


H. B. 844. An Act to amend General Statutes 1-84 relating to removal of cases in the Superior Court to adjacent counties.

H. B. 891. An Act to amend Chapter 669 and Chapter 708 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the New Hanover County and the City of Wilmington retirement systems.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, seconded by Mr. Blue, the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the Honorable J. Roy Parker, Sr., member of the House from Hertford County, whose death occurred this A. M., and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by
Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend E. N. Orr, Pastor of the Presbyterian
Church of Mooresville, North Carolina.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal
of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the
same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Thompson, Amelia Fay Bryan of Chatham County is
made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Robeson, Frank Ward, Jr. of Robeson County
is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the courtesies of the floor are extended the
Honorable J. Lambeth, a former member of the House from Davidson
County.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the courtesies of the floor are extended the
Honorable Fred Bynum, Sr., father of Representative Fred Bynum, Jr.,
and former member of the House from Rockingham County.

On motion of Mr. Dill, Stephen May and Mark Lee Valentine, sons of
Representative and Mrs. Valentine of Nash County, are made honorary
pages of the House.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the
following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly en-
grossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 879, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint justices of the peace
for the several counties of North Carolina.

H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants
and receipts by justices of the peace.

REPORT 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. Whitehurst, for the Committee on Veterans Legislation.
H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment of members of the Board of Veterans Affairs for Lee County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 571, a bill to be entitled An act to abolish the rule in Shelly's case.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 596, a bill to be entitled An act relating to solicitations among teachers and pupils during school hours.

With an unfavorable report.


With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-126 relating to building permits.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 791, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 83 of the General Statutes relating to architects.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 851, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the procedure for letting of public contracts.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 858, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 15, Chapter 1 of the General Statutes relating to the pleading and proof of contributory negligence in civil actions for damages.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 912, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize zoning of potential flood areas so as to make citizens of North Carolina eligible to receive benefits under the Federal Flood Insurance Act of 1956.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 956, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that in Chatham County certain delinquent taxes when collected, shall be paid into the General Fund of the County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 957, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Chatham County.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 958, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that no dog tax credit shall be allowed in Chatham County for the payment of a rabies vaccination fee.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 973, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County to fix hours of employment, sick leave and vacation periods of officers and employees of said County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 977, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the appointment of an authority to control the management of a memorial stadium to be erected by Durham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor boats, power boats and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 273, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 9-1 to provide for appointment of jury commissioners and selection of jurors.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 351, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 57 of the General Statutes so as to permit contracts for payment to dentists for certain services.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 363, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Motor Vehicle Laws relating to the licensing of tractors and semi-trailers.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 713, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1071, 1953 Session Laws, authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the government thereof so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the operation or use of race tracks for motor vehicle racing in Forsyth County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 924, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 226, Public-Local Laws of 1935 so as to create the separate office of Tax Supervisor for
Haywood County, to appoint the first supervisor and provide that the county commissioners shall fix his compensation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 948, a bill to be entitled An act to provide an effective method for collecting taxes on personal property transferred by the listing taxpayer to another between the listing date and the due date thereof.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 960, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Nash County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 966, a bill to be entitled An act to establish certain fees and mileage payments as to township constables and town policemen in Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 985, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-335 so as to include Gates County within the provisions thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 986, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Greene County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 988, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-516.1 relating to carnivals and similar amusements in Greene County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 993, a bill to be entitled An act relating to costs in criminal cases in the Town of Woodland.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 994, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1301 of the Session Laws of 1953 regulating the cutting of forest seed trees in Gates County so as to make the provisions of said Chapter applicable to Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 344, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Tarboro to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 352, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of County
Commissioners of Rockingham County to defer and postpone the reassessment and revaluation of real property in said county until the year 1959.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 366, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 181, Session Laws of 1949, so as to fix the term of office of Mayor of the Town of Conover at two years and to extend the term of the Mayor elected in 1957.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 370, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Murfreesboro to convey certain land at private sale to the Hertford County Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 373, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 496 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Board of Trustees of the Daniel Boone Association.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Wilson of Union, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 980, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 238 of the Private Laws of 1935 relating to the maintenance of “junk yards” within the Town of Graham, Alamance County, North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 981, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 741 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to increase the annual contribution from the Town of Graham to the Graham Public Library.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 997, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of the Town of Fairmont to lease or sell at Private sale its ice plant property.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 204, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the term of office of the County Commissioners of Stanly County from two to four years.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 909, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 162-6, relating to the fees of the Sheriff of Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 916, a bill to be entitled An act setting the salaries of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Aulander.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 921, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Dunn Recorder's Court in Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 937, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Caldwell County.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 959, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Nash County to fix the fees charged by certain county officers.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1001, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-134 so as to fix the fees to be charged by justices of the peace of McDowell County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 334, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of justices of the peace in Catawba County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.

H. B. 241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-38 relating to the distribution of funds from the sale of forest lands.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the Outer Banks.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 400, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize creation within the Department of Conservation and Development a division of community planning and assign powers and duties thereto.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 945, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Carteret County to require the removal of horses known as "Banks Ponies" from certain territory in Carteret County under certain terms and conditions.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Long, for the Committee on Public Utilities.

H. B. 132, a bill to be entitled An act to redefine certain carriers within the meaning of the Motor Vehicle Law.

With a favorable report.
By Mr. Womble of Forsyth, for the Committee on Higher Education.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth, the committee substitute bill is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Bell, for the Committee on Local Government.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 774, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Beaufort to allow the Board of Commissioners to appoint a Town Manager.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Bell the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 834, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 254 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the signing of public documents, vouchers and other records in Currituck County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 300, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the discounts for pre-payment of taxes in the Town of Boiling Springs in Cleveland County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 306, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the enforcement of tax liens in Sampson County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 309, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Halifax County.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Falls:

H. R. 1012, a joint resolution providing for a joint session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina, for the purpose of accepting portraits of Governor Clyde R. Hoey and Governor O. Max Gardner.
On motion of Mr. Falls the rules are suspended and the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Umstead, Pittman and Speight:

H. R. 1013, a joint resolution honoring the memory of Honorable J. Roy Parker, Sr., former member of the House of Representatives from Hertford County.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Messrs. Clark and Holmes:

H. R. 1014, a joint resolution requesting Congress to call a convention for proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and the Vice-President.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Uzzell:

H. B. 1015, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Subsection (d) of General Statutes 48-21 relating to the termination of the probationary period in adoption proceedings.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 1016, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a Town Manager for the Town of Spencer, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 1017, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Spencer to sell certain property at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 1018, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Spencer and its governing body to the territory
beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Spencer for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 1019, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 178 of the Private Laws of 1929 as it relates to the salaries of the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Salisbury.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the City of Salisbury and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the City of Salisbury for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Zollicoffer, Kerr, Yarborough of Franklin and Watkins:

H. B. 1021, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1097 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the Quad-County Peace Officers' Relief Association.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Zollicoffer:

H. B. 1022, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 28 of the General Statutes so as to authorize a special proceeding against the unknown heirs or next of kin, if any of a decedent before the distribution of the assets of the estate of such decedent.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 1023, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 340 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Buchanan and Holcombe:

H. B. 1024, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-147 so as to conform to the federal law certain percentage depletion allowances therein authorized for state income tax purposes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a new registration of voters in the Town of Sylva in Jackson County.
Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 1026, a bill to be entitled An act prescribing the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Lloyd:

H. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Graham County for industrial developments and other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 191, Session Laws of 1947, so as to fix the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Graham County for his services as Judge of the Juvenile Court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Holmes, Buchanan, Hill, Watkins and Zollicoffer:

H. B. 1029, a bill to be entitled An act relating to fees on remittances covering checks.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 1030, a bill to be entitled An act for mandatory disposition of detainers within the State.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 1031, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 164-10 relating to the supplements to the General Statutes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Hill and Powe:

H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Durham.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Kemp, Hunt and Turner:

H. B. 1033, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize boards of county commissioners to designate the names of roads or streets in unincorporated areas.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
By Messrs. Shreve, Turner, Kemp and Hunt:

H. B. 1034, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-250 so as to authorize the marking of county-owned vehicles with the county seal.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt, Kemp and Turner:

H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 239 of the 1955 Session Laws providing for the creation of planning and zoning areas in certain portions of Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Jordan, Craig and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 1036, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-107 to provide for the appointment of a counselor for the Domestic Relations Court of Buncombe County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Burgess:

H. B. 1037, a bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of the Register of Deeds and Coroner of Camden County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 1038, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Chadbourn in Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Britt:

H. B. 1039, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe compensation for Aldermen of the Town of Bladenboro in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Jones of Ashe:

H. B. 1040, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 82 of the Public Laws of 1913 relative to the boundaries of the counties of Ashe and Wilkes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Venters and Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 1041, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation and expense allowance of Superior Court Judges.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Hughes:
H. B. 1042, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the justices of the peace in Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 1043, a bill to be entitled An act to require that the names of persons in Avery County reporting violations of the law shall appear on the warrant of arrest.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 1044, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the law relating to the Municipal-County Court of the City of Kinston and County of Lenoir.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

And,

H. B. 1045, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 7-456 relating to the salary of the Executive Secretary of the Judicial Council and as to the performance of such duties as may be assigned to him by the Chief Justice in addition to his duties as Secretary to the Council.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. Kemp, Hunt, Turner and Shreve:

H. B. 1046, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 293 Public-Local and Private Laws of 1941, as amended, relating to the establishment of a pension fund for the retirement and disability of the members of the Fire Department of the City of High Point.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Kennedy:

H. B. 1047, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 405 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to payment to the Chief Deputy Sheriff of Wilkes County of the sum of $600.00 for the operation of automobiles.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 1048, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate to Mrs. J. P. Morgan, Sr., the sum of $256.71 to reimburse her for damages done to her automobile by escaping convict.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 1049, a bill to be entitled An act relating to fire protection in Granville County.
Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Bell:

H. B. 1050, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 1, Chapter 570 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina to provide twenty-five dollars ($25.00) for monthly expense of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Carteret County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Wooten:

H. B. 1051, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting all of Article 36, Subchapter VI, Chapter 160 of the General Statutes entitled, "Extension of Corporate Limits."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 1052, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 7-274 of the General Statutes relating to the authority of the Clerk of the General County Court to issue warrants so as to make the third sentence of said Section applicable to Alamance County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 1053, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 6-5 of the General Statutes so as to eliminate inclusion of the jury tax in costs in criminal courts not having juries.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 1054, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Ann May Jennings.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 1055, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Russell Gant, his heirs and assigns.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Turner, Shreve, Kemp and Hunt:

H. B. 1056, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 6 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes to authorize any sanitary district upon entering into a contract with a city or town to which all of such district shall be annexed to transfer and convey to a non-profit and non-stock corporation, organized under Chapter 55 or other applicable chapters of the General Statutes of North Carolina for recreational purposes, and providing for
the continuance in office of members of a Sanitary District Board and
defining the duties of such board when the areas included within the limits
of a sanitary district are annexed to an incorporated city or town.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

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. 176, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 113-111
by adding Franklin to the list of counties in which there is no closed
season for fox hunting.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

S. B. 377, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-135
relating to the letting of public contracts in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335
so as to fix the punishment for public drunkenness in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 206, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of firearms
outside of and within one-quarter mile of the corporate limits of the City
of Greenville, North Carolina, and prescribing a penalty for its violation.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 281, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Subsection 5 of General
Statutes 115-183 relating to the purposes for which school buses may be
used.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 282, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15 of Chapter 115
of the General Statutes so as to require boards of education and the tax
levying authorities to protect the investment in public school buildings
and equipment.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 283, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1146 of the
Session Laws of 1955, relating to business development corporations, so
as to prescribe a method of taxation with respect thereto, and so as to
increase the maximum number of directors to 21, and so as to permit a
lower loan limit for building and loan association members.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 391, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-219
so as to provide for a substitute recorder of the County Recorder's Court
in Hertford County.
On motion of Mr. Holmes the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 379, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the vesting of title to certain school property in the Gastonia City Board of Education and authorizing the conveyance of the legal title thereto to said Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 135, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of property owned by certain charitable organizations in Rowan County.

Returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 694, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Saluda, Polk County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

The bill is placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 728, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the jurisdiction of the Mayor's Court to an area extending one and one-half miles in all directions from the corporate limits of said town, but not including any part of Pender County or the Town of Teacheys.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Johnson the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 803, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County of Davidson to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building or buildings, including parking facilities, in Lexington.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Philpott 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. 830, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Lake Waccamaw.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 863, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a Law Library for the public officials and courts in Onslow County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 874, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to levy a special tax for the construction of county office buildings.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 963, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $50,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, and repealing H. B. 56 ratified on April 12, 1957, relating to the issuance of bonds by said town.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 979, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Alamance County to levy annually a special tax for the construction of an addition to the County Courthouse to house the general county offices and to construct a building or buildings for the Alamance County Department of Public Welfare.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 652, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of Greenville, North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Pitt the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled An act to create a Cemetery Commission for the County of Graham, to fix its duties and to provide for the submission of the question of special tax for said purposes to the voters of the County of Graham at an election.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the boundary lines of the Town of Reckingham in Richmond County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 918, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section One of Chapter 754, Session Laws of 1953, so as to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Bethel in Pitt County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pitt-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 602, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Warrenton.

On motion of Mr. Kerr the bill is recommitted to the committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 794, a bill to be entitled An act empowering the Charlotte City Board of Education to acquire title to land for school sites and title to or easements in land for street purposes where necessary to provide a means of ingress and egress to school sites.

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

H. B. 795, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 878 of Session Laws of 1953 to provide for the medical care of the indigent sick and afflicted poor.

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

H. B. 796, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations governing the parking of automobiles and other motor vehicles on property owned by Mecklenburg County.

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

H. B. 797, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Mecklenburg County.

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

H. B. 842, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection 28 of General Statutes 160-200 relating to the condemnation and removal of buildings in the Town of Morehead City, Carteret County.

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

H. B. 845, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 269 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 to facilitate the listing and assessing of
additions to buildings, new buildings, and appurtenances of Mecklenburg County.

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

H. B. 942, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-408 relating to the hours of sale of livestock at auction in Lee County.

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

H. B. 846, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1334 of the Session Laws of 1955 to make the provisions thereof applicable to the Town of Davidson in Mecklenburg County.

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

H. B. 847, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the listing of taxes of all house trailers located in Mecklenburg County on January 1st.

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

H. B. 876, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Lincolnton in Lincoln County.

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

H. B. 877, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment of public drunkenness in Lincoln County.

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

H. B. 943, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1083, Session Laws of 1947, so as to authorize the City of Asheville Board of Alcoholic Control, in its discretion, to expend not more than five per cent of its Law Enforcement Funds for education as to the effects of the use of alcohol.

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

S. B. 207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-29 relating to the compensation of members of the Board of Education of Rockingham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 235, a bill to be entitled An act to remove from the Sheriff of Wilkes County the duty of collecting taxes, to provide for the appointment of a Tax Collector for Wilkes County and to define his duties.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 236, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Register of Deeds, and the Sheriff of Wilkes County, and to provide for additional office personnel therefor.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 341, a bill to be entitled An act granting power and authority to the governing body of the City of Durham to provide by ordinance regulations for the use by vehicle of municipally owned off-street parking facilities, and of off-street publicly owned parks and grounds occupied by public buildings, the use by vehicles of privately owned areas for public street purposes, the removal of vehicles from on-street places under certain conditions, and to prescribe and enforce criminal penalties for violation of such ordinances.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 368, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions of property lying and being in Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 193 ,a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public-Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said city.

On motion consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

H. B. 855, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and rewrite the Municipal Capital Reserve Act.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
S. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 9 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to liens of assessments for local improvements.

On motion of Mr. Venters consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

H. B. 46, a bill to be entitled An act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126-1 relating to employees of the hospitals board of control.

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

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes, Chapter 72, relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

On motion of Mr. Whitley consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the planning, designation, establishment, use, regulation, alteration, improvement, maintenance, and vacation of controlled access facilities; the acquisition of lands required therefor; the restriction of intersections and control of approaches; the establishment of local service or frontage roads; the prohibition of certain acts thereon; and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. Philpott consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, May 15, 1957.

H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes relating to the practice of optometry.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union consideration of the bill is postponed until May 13, 1957.

H. B. 493, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 relating to the manner of marking ballots.

On motion of Mr. Jordan consideration of the bill is postponed until Monday, May 13, 1957.

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-150 so as to place certain responsibility upon the principals of the public schools with regard to fire safety.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendments are adopted.

Mr. Yarborough of Franklin offers an amendment, which is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Turner consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to prescribe regulations for the reduction of
fire hazards and for the protection of life and property in public school facilities.

On motion of Mr. Turner consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 69-7 relating to fire prevention and providing for “Fire Prevention Day.”

On motion of Mr. Turner consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to the sale or delivery of obscene literature.

On motion of Mr. Turner consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, May 10, 1957.

H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

On motion of Mr. Turner consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, May 10, 1957.

H. B. 526, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 44-52 relating to agricultural liens so as to require the lienholder to notify the landlord of the existence of such lien.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

H. B. 856, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 33, Chapter 160 of the General Statutes, authorizing municipalities to invest funds.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed until Monday, May 13, 1957.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Hardy, 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. 441. An Act to prohibit the taking of game from streets and highways within a defined area of Craven County.

H. B. 575. An Act to authorize the Town of Highlands, in Macon County, to change and amend the terms and conditions of a deed executed by it to the Highlands Biological Station, Inc.

H. B. 662. An Act to amend General Statutes 160-161 relating to the number of members appointed to the Recreation Commission in the Town of Whiteville.

H. B. 676. An Act amending General Statutes 14-335 so as to include Hertford County within the provisions thereof.
H. B. 678. An Act amending Chapter 605, Public-Local Laws of 1919, as amended, so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County to make certain appropriations for the use of the Asheville Agricultural Development Council.

H. B. 679. An Act to increase the territorial jurisdiction of the Police of the Town of Aberdeen.

H. B. 693. An Act to set the compensation and expense allowances for the County Commissioners of Polk County.

H. B. 698. An Act to amend Chapter 694 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to the Recorder's Court of Camden County.

H. B. 700. An Act to authorize revaluation of all property in Harnett County in the year 1958 or in the year 1959.

H. B. 701. An Act to extend the authority of the police officers of the Town of Lillington so as to include all territory within one mile of the corporate limits of said town.

H. B. 703. An Act to exempt certain volunteer firemen of the Fire Department of the Town of Coats in Harnett County from jury duty.

H. B. 708. An Act authorizing the transfer of surplus road bond funds of Franklinton Township in Franklin County to the school debt fund of Franklinton Township.

H. B. 714. An Act to authorize the City of Wilmington to convey certain property at private sale to the United States of America.

H. B. 715. An Act to prescribe the fees for the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerk of the Recorder's Court, and Sheriff of New Hanover County.

H. B. 720. An Act to amend General Statutes 90-71 relating to the sale of drugs in Nash County.

H. B. 725. An Act relating to the revaluation and reassessment of real property in Onslow County.

H. B. 733. An Act to amend certain Sections of Article 24, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes relating to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Recorder's Courts of Johnston County.

H. B. 735. An Act to authorize the Davie County Board of Education to convey to the Trustees of the Center Development Association the property known as the old public school property at Center no longer needed for school purposes.

H. B. 736. An Act to change the fees, costs and commissions to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court, the Clerk of the County Criminal Court, the Register of Deeds, and the Sheriff's office of Davie County.
H. B. 737. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Montgomery County.

H. B. 738. An Act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Mount Gilead to employ policemen and to fix their salaries.

H. B. 740. An Act to amend General Statutes 9-4 relating to the manner of drawing the jury panel in Pitt County.

H. B. 745. An Act providing that township officers in Rowan County shall be nominated and elected by townships.

H. B. 750. An Act relating to the distribution of alcoholic beverage control funds in Dare County.

H. B. 752. An Act amending General Statutes 115-87 to provide that in case of a tie between the Board of Commissioners and the County Board of Education as to the school budget of Madison County, the Chairman of the Tax Equalization Board shall act as arbitrator.

H. B. 769. An Act to amend Chapter 95 of the 1949 Session Laws, relating to compensation of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Warrenton.


H. B. 772. An Act to fix the fees of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds of Carteret County.

H. B. 773. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-180 relating to fees of jailer for feeding persons in Carteret County.

H. B. 775. An Act to extend the authority of police officers of the Town of Beaufort in Carteret County to the waters of Taylor's Creek, Gallant's Channel, Town Creek and Beaufort Harbor.


H. B. 787. An Act to amend Chapter 186 of the Private Laws of 1909 relating to a quorum at meetings of the Board of Public Works of the Town of Edenton.

H. B. 788. An Act amending Subsection 12A of General Statutes 153-9 to include Bladen County in the list of counties authorized to fix fees charged by county officers.

H. B. 815. An Act to amend Chapter 28, Section 19 of the General Statutes of North Carolina fixing the penalty of the bond for the public administrator of Wake County and to provide for the payment of the premium on said bond from the General Fund of the County.

H. B. 816. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-269 relating to the disposition of confiscated pistols or guns in Wake County.
H. B. 817. An Act to amend General Statutes 152-1 so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Wake to appoint an Assistant Coroner for Wake County.

H. B. 818. An Act to amend Chapter 956 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the governing body of the Town of Brevard to appropriate nontax funds to the Transylvania County Historical Commission.

H. B. 819. An Act to provide aid to applicants for welfare benefits in Beaufort County.

H. B. 820. An Act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of justices of the peace in Beaufort County.

H. B. 821. An Act abolishing the office of Treasurer of Macon County, fixing the salaries of certain county officials and providing for the appointment of a county accountant who shall also serve as tax supervisor and county tax collector.

H. B. 824. An Act authorizing the Harnett County Board of Commissioners to fix the compensation for services rendered by Jake T. Lamm as acting solicitor of the Harnett County Recorder’s Court.

H. B. 831. An Act to authorize the payment of certain delinquent taxes into the General Fund of the Town of Belhaven.

H. B. 848. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Granville County to appropriate funds not derived from ad valorem taxation to be used for improvements in the marginal land area of the John H. Kerr Reservoir which is located in Granville County.

H. B. 850. An Act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Transylvania County for industrial developments and other purposes.

H. B. 865. An Act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make Paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Brunswick County.

H. B. 868. An Act to amend Chapter 845 of the Session Laws of 1951, being An Act to prohibit the operation of any moving picture show or theatre in Forsyth County during certain hours on Sunday.

H. B. 872. An Act amending General Statutes 160-25 so as to provide that police officers of the Town of Bakersville need not be qualified voters therein.

H. B. 873. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Mitchell County to extend the time for quadrennial assessment of property for taxation.

H. B. 875. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to regulate or prohibit the exhibition or operation of certain carnivals, circuses and shows of like kind.
H. B. 897. An Act to authorize the City of Raleigh to sell certain property at private sale.

H. B. 928. An Act to amend H. B. 647, ratified 26 April, 1957, relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

H. B. 940. An Act relating to the foreclosure and collection of delinquent tax sale certificates in Graham County.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

EIGHTY-FIRST DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 10, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Hill, Phyllis Dianne Hobby, James Lester Hobby and Barry Pierce of Durham County are made honorary pagette and pages, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Leake is granted a leave of absence for Monday and Tuesday, May 13 and 14.

Mr. Venters is granted a leave of absence for Monday and Tuesday, May 13 and 14.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 929, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 8, Article 18 of Chapter 160, relating to the authority of a municipality to acquire and maintain light, water, sewer and gas facilities.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1049, a bill to be entitled An act relating to fire protection in Granville County.

With a favorable report.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Holmes:

H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to defer the quadrennial revaluation of real estate in said county and to raise revenue to defray the cost of revaluation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gaither:

H. B. 1058, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the bee industry in the State of North Carolina and to appropriate the sum of $5100.00 each year of the next biennium to the Department of Agriculture for the preservation thereof.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

And,

H. B. 1059, a bill to be entitled An act to provide aid to the Brevard Music Foundation, Incorporated.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Lloyd:

H. B. 1060, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 186, ratified April 9, 1957, relating to the employment of a special attendance officer in Graham County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Leake:

H. B. 1061, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Madison County Public Library.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 1062, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Warren County Board of Education to sell and convey certain property to the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Talton:

H. B. 1063, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of Mayor of the Town of Mount Olive in Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 1064, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Onslow County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Onslow County to employ experts and to enter into necessary contracts for said service.

Refereed to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 1065, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 607 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Craven to annually appropriate not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500.00) to aid any agricultural, animal, or poultry exhibition held within said county.

Refereed to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

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. 399, a joint resolution providing for a joint session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina, for the purpose of accepting portraits of Governor O. Max Gardner and Governor Clyde R. Hoey.

On motion of Mr. Falls the resolution is postponed indefinitely.

S. B. 403, a bill to be entitled An act to amend S. B. 33, ratified April 30, 1957, relating to the requirement that Highway Patrol cars be painted black and silver.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 739, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the public display of intoxicating liquors in McDowell County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wall the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 10, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent the House of Representatives requesting the return of H. B. 739 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to
prohibit the public display of intoxicating liquors in McDowell County," for further consideration by the Senate.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message and on motion of Mr. Wall the bill is returned to the Senate.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 652, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of Greenville, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled An act to create a Cemetery Commission for the County of Graham, to fix its duties and to provide for the submission of the question of special tax for said purposes to the voters of the County of Graham at an election.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Falls, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Martin, McKnight, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenborough, Satterfield, Shreve, Snepp, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venter, Vogler, Wall, Wallace,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the boundary lines of the Town of Rockingham in Richmond County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 918, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1 of Chapter 754, Session Laws of 1953, so as to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Bethel in Pitt County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 306, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the enforcement of tax liens in Sampson County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 334, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of Justice of the Peace in Catawba County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 344, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Tarboro to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Falls, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Martin, McKnight,
Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 694, a bill to be entitled An act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Saluda, Polk County.

On motion of Mr. Arledge the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 713, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1071, 1953 Session Laws, authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the government thereof so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the operation or use of race tracks for motor vehicle racing in Forsyth County.

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

H. B. 774, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Beaufort to allow the Board of Commissioners to appoint a Town Manager.

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

H. B. 834, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 254 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the signing of public documents, vouchers, and other records in Currituck County.

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

H. B. 909, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 162-6 relating to the fees of the Sheriff of Cumberland County.

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

H. B. 916, a bill to be entitled An act setting the salaries of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Aulander.

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

H. B. 921, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Dunn Recorder's Court in Harnett County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 924, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 226, Public-Local Laws of 1935 so as to create the separate office of Tax Supervisor for Haywood County, to appoint the first supervisor and provide that the county commissioners shall fix his compensation.

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

H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment of members of the Board of Veterans Affairs for Lee County.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

H. B. 945, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Carteret County to require the removal of horses known as "banks ponies" from certain territory in Carteret County under certain terms and conditions.

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

H. B. 956, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that in Chatham County certain delinquent taxes, when collected, shall be paid into the general fund of the county.

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

H. B. 958, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that no dog tax credit shall be allowed in Chatham County for the payment of a rabies vaccination fee.

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

H. B. 957, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Chatham County.

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

H. B. 959, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Nash County to fix the fees charged by certain county officers.

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

H. B. 960, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Nash County.

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

H. B. 966, a bill to be entitled An act to establish certain fees and mileage payments as to township constables and town policemen in Northampton County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 973, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County to fix hours of employment, sick leave, and vacation periods of officers and employees of said county.

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

H. B. 977, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the appointment of an authority to control the management of a memorial stadium to be erected by Durham County.

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

H. B. 980, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 238 of the Private Laws of 1935 relating to the maintenance of "junk yards" within the Town of Graham, Alamance County, North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Long the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 985, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-335 so as to include Gates County within the provisions thereof.

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

H. B. 986, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Greene County.

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

H. B. 981, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 741 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to increase the annual contribution from the Town of Graham to the Graham Public Library.

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

H. B. 993, a bill to be entitled An act relating to costs in criminal cases in the Town of Woodland.

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

H. B. 988, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-516.1 relating to carnivals and similar amusements in Greene County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 994, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1301 of the Session Laws of 1953 regulating the cutting of forest seed trees in Gates County so as to make the provisions of said chapter applicable to Northampton County.

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

H. B. 997, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Commissioners of the Town of Fairmont to lease or sell at private sale its ice plant property.

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

H. B. 1001, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-134 so as to fix the fees to be charged by Justices of the Peace of McDowell County.

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

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor boats, power boats and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina.

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

S. B. 204, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the term of office of the County Commissioners of Stanly County from two to four years.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 300, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the discounts for prepayment of taxes in the Town of Boiling Springs in Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 309, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 352, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Rockingham County to defer and postpone the reassessment and revaluation of real property in said county until the year 1959.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 366, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 181, Session Laws of 1949, so as to fix the term of office of Mayor of the Town of Conover at two years and to extend the term of the mayor elected in 1957.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 370, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Murfreesboro to convey certain land at private sale to the Hertford County Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 791, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 83 of the General Statutes relating to architects.

On motion of Mr. Hill the committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 855, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and rewrite the Municipal Capital Reserve Act.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 132, a bill to be entitled An act to redefine certain carriers within the meaning of the Motor Vehicle Law.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 363, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the motor vehicle laws relating to the licensing of tractors and semi-trailers.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-38 relating to the distribution of funds from the sale of forest lands.

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 amend General Statutes 1-568.25 relating to the effect of taking and introducing a deposition.

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

H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the outer banks.
On motion of Mr. Bell the committee amendments are adopted.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the vote by which an amendment offered by Mr. Turner and adopted on April 8, was adopted, is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Turner the amendment offered by him and adopted on April 8, and vote reconsidered, is tabled.

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

H. B. 400, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize creation within the Department of Conservation and Development a Division of Community Planning and assign powers and duties thereto.

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

H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to the sale or delivery of obscene literature.

On motion of Mr. Dill the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

Mr. Turner offers an amendment.

Mr. Whitley moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Turner lie upon the table, the motion prevails.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. R. 1013. A Joint Resolution honoring the memory of Honorable J. Roy Parker, Sr., former member of the House of Representatives from Hertford County.

S. B. 207. An Act to amend General Statutes 115-29 relating to the compensation of members of the Board of Education of Rockingham County.
S. B. 235. An Act to remove from the Sheriff of Wilkes County the
duty of collecting taxes, to provide for the appointment of a Tax Collector
for Wilkes County and to define his duties.

S. B. 236. An Act to fix the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior
Court, the Register of Deeds, and the Sheriff of Wilkes County, and to
provide for additional office personnel therefor.

S. B. 341. An Act granting power and authority to the governing body
of the City of Durham to provide by ordinance regulations for the use
by vehicles of municipally owned off-street parking facilities, and of off-
street publicly owned parks and grounds occupied by public buildings,
the use by vehicles of privately owned areas for public street purposes,
the removal of vehicles from on-street places under certain conditions,
and to prescribe and enforce criminal penalties for violation of such
ordinances.

S. B. 368. An Act relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions of
property lying and being in Durham County.

S. B. 391. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-219 so as to provide for
a substitute recorder of the County Recorder's Court in Hertford County.

H. B. 135. An Act relating to the taxation of property owned by certain
charitable organizations in Rowan County.

H. B. 611. An Act to regulate the practice of phrenology, palmistry,
clairvoyance, fortunetelling, or other craft of a similar kind in New
Hanover County.

H. B. 727. An Act amending Chapter 596, Session Laws of 1949,
relating to the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as to extend the corporate
limits of said town and to extend the jurisdiction of the peace officers of
said town.

H. B. 728. An Act amending the Charter of the Town of Wallace so as
to extend the jurisdiction of the Mayor's Court to an area extending one
and one-half miles in all directions from the corporate limits of said town,
but not including any part of Pender County or the Town of Teacheys.

H. B. 803. An Act to authorize the County of Davidson to exercise the
power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for a county building
or buildings, including parking facilities, in Lexington.

H. B. 886. An Act to provide for a referendum on the question of
extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Fairmont.

On motion of Mr. Kerr, seconded by Mr. Crawford of Buncombe, the
House adjourns in commemoration of Confederate Memorial Day and will
meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M. at which time only Public-Local legisla-
tion will be considered.
EIGHTY-SECOND DAY

House of Representatives
Saturday, May 11, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Randall, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Kiser the House adjourns and will meet Monday Night at 8 o'clock P. M.

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EIGHTY-THIRD DAY

House of Representatives
Monday Night, May 13, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, Norris W. Collins, Jr., of Franklin County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wooten H. B. 1008 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motorboats, powerboats, and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina,” is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.

On motion of Mr. Kerr H. B. 712 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-51.1 relating to retired Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Court,” is set for a Special Order first after the roll call bills on the Public Calendar on Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be correct, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.
It is so ordered.

H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the outer banks.

H. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 26 of Subchapter VII of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to the sale or delivery of obscene literature.

H. B. 980, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 238 of the Private Laws of 1935 relating to the maintenance of “junk yards” within the Town of Graham, Alamance County, North Carolina.

H. B. 652, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of Greenville, North Carolina.

H. B. 889, a bill to be entitled An act to create a Cemetery Commission for the County of Graham, to fix its duties and to provide for the submission of the question of special tax for said purposes to the voters of the County of Graham at an election.

H. B. 895, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the boundary lines of the Town of Rockingham in Richmond County.

REPORT 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. Quinn, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 880, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the qualified voters of the City of Southport to determine whether Alcoholic Beverage Control Stores shall be established in said city and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 922, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-45 (o) so as to authorize county and municipal boards of alcoholic control, in their discretion, to expend not more than five per cent of their total profits for education as to the effects of the use of alcohol.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 199, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 45 of Chapter 18 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the powers and duties of county boards of alcoholic beverage control, applicable to Martin County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Subsection 5 of General Statutes 18-109 relating to the powers of the State Board of Alcoholic Control with regard to hearings by the Wine Division.
With a favorable report.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. Holmes:

H. R. 1066, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to submit constitutional amendments, not pending in the Congress, which, if proposed to the states for ratification, would give an opportunity to bring about certain clarification and reforms in the Constitution.

Mr. Holmes moves that the rules be suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Mr. Holmes withdraws the motion and the resolution is referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Martin:

H. B. 1067, a bill to be entitled An act providing additional compensation for Clerk of the Superior Court, for Register of Deeds, and the County Accountant of Clay County, and fixing the compensation of the County Commissioners and members of the County Board of Education of Clay County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 1068, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 24, Session Laws of 1949, so as to require candidates for Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Hayesville to pay a filing fee.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 1069, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees, costs and commissions to be charged and collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court and the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Hardy:

H. B. 1070, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Snow Hill one mile in all directions from the corporate limits of said town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:
H. B. 1071, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Statutes so as to permit persons to engage in business as a pawnbroker in unincorporated areas.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Hill:

H. B. 1072, a bill to be entitled An act providing that appropriations made to the North Carolina Cancer Institute shall be paid quarterly.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Etheridge:

H. B. 1073, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of Education of Dare County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Wilson of Caswell:

H. B. 1074, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-1 relating to the jury list in Caswell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1075, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Caswell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1076, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 477, ratified April 19, 1957, so as to change the effective date thereof.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Johnson:

H. B. 1077, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations as to the Town of Wallace.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 1078, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 604 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to travel allowances and other expenses of certain officers of Granville County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Powell:
H. B. 1079, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers of police officers one mile beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Draper, Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 1080, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions of property lying and being in the City of Salisbury or within one mile outside thereof.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Gobble, Umstead, Hewlett, and Thompson:

H. B. 1081, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a revolving fund for the construction of self-liquidating college facilities.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 13, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. 1008, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motorboats, powerboats and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina," for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

On motion of Mr. Wooten the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Wooten the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. B. 29, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

Referred to Committee on Health.

S. B. 289, a bill to be entitled An act to provide an allocation from the Contingency and Emergency Fund for the Gaston Technical Institute.
Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 354, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-21 and 116-22 so as to clarify the laws relating to the escheat of real and personal property where the owner dies intestate without leaving surviving any known heirs, relatives, or spouse to inherit such property.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 355, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-23 relating to the escheat of unclaimed personal property to the University of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 356, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 116-23.1 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the escheat of unclaimed funds held or owing by life insurance companies.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 33, a bill to be entitled An act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. White the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 739, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the public display of intoxicating liquors in McDowell County.

Returned for concurrence in the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Wall the House concurs in the Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett S. B. 289 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide an allocation from the Contingency and Emergency Fund for the Gaston Technical Institute," is taken from the Committee on Appropriations and placed on tonight's Calendar.

CALENDAR

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

S. B. 306, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the enforcement of tax liens in Sampson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Har-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 334, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the fees of Justice of the Peace in Catawba County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 344, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town of Tarboro to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Harriss, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, O'Neal, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1049, a bill to be entitled An act relating to fire protection in Granville County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 132, a bill to be entitled An act to redefine certain carriers within the meaning of the motor vehicle law.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 791, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 83 of the General Statutes relating to architects.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 363, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the motor vehicle laws relating to the licensing of tractors and semi-trailers.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 929, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 8, Article 18 of Chapter 160, relating to the authority of a municipality to acquire and maintain light, water, sewer, and gas facilities.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes relating to the practice of optometry.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Robeson the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 493, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-175 relating to the manner of marking ballots.

Mr. Simpson offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the amendment is laid on the table.

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

H. B. 687, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 31-47, 1-121, 12-1, 47-42, 28-117, 59-82, 55-38.1 (a) (3) of the General Statutes, Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the Session Laws of 1955, and Section 1 of Chapter 1239 of the Session Laws of 1955.

On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted.

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

S. B. 289, a bill to be entitled An act to provide an allocation from the Contingency and Emergency Fund for the Gaston Technical Institute.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.

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EIGHTY-FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, May 14, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

OATH OF MEMBER

The Honorable C. Gordon Maddrey, member-appointed to fill the unexpired term of the late Honorable J. Roy Parker by Gubernatorial Commission under Article II, Section 13 of the Constitution of North Carolina, and Section 163-6 of the North Carolina General Statutes, is escorted to the Dais by Mr. Woodard of Northampton with properly executed Commission, takes and subscribes to the following oath of office administered by Mr. Speaker Doughton:

“Do you solemnly swear that you will support the Constitution of the United States; and do you solemnly and sincerely swear that you will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the government thereof; and that you will endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of the United States, to the best of your knowledge and ability; and do you further solemnly swear that you will faithfully discharge your duties as member of the House of Representatives of the State of North Carolina according to the best of your skill and ability, and according to law, so help you, God.”

(S) C. Gordon Maddrey

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 14th day of May, 1957.
(S) J. K. Doughton
Speaker of the House of Representatives
COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT

Mr. Speaker Doughton announces the appointment of Mr. Maddrey to all Committees on which the late Mr. Parker was assigned.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 90 of the General Statutes relating to the practice of optometry.


H. B. 791, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 83 of the General Statutes relating to architects.

REPORT 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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled An act relating to liability of parents and guardians for damages inflicted against real and personal property by their minor children and wards.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled An act to create the Johnston County Peace Officers’ Relief Association.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 917, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30-9 of the General Statutes relating to conveyance of real estate by husband.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1015, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Subsection (d) of General Statutes 48-21 relating to the termination of the probationary period in adoption proceedings.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1021, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1097 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the Quad-County Peace Officers' Relief Association.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1031, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 164-10 relating to the supplements to the General Statutes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 206, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of firearms outside of and within one quarter mile of the corporate limits of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, and prescribing a penalty for its violation.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 326, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain provisions of Chapter 86 of the General Statutes of North Carolina entitled, "Barbers."

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 86, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Thomasville to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 313, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the sale of sixteen feet of land heretofore dedicated and established as an alley-way leading into the Gaston County Courthouse site and which is no longer needed for any county purposes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 333, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Hickory.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 962, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 3 of Chapter 222, Private Laws of 1893, as rewritten by Section 1 of Chapter 231, Session Laws of 1943, relating to the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Grimesland and creating the office of Judge of the Municipal Court of said town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1016, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a Town Manager for the Town of Spencer, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1017, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Spencer to sell certain property at private sale.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1019, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 178 of the Private Laws of 1929 as it relates to the salaries of the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Salisbury.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the City of Salisbury and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the City of Salisbury for a distance of one mile in all directions.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1033, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize boards of county commissioners to designate the names of roads or streets in unincorporated areas.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 239 of the 1955 Session Laws providing for the creation of planning and zoning areas in certain portions of Guilford County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1046, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 293, Public-Local and Private Laws of 1941, as amended, relating to the establishment of a pension fund for the retirement and disability of the members of the Fire Department of the City of High Point.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement.

H. B. 1050, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 1, Chapter 570 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina to provide twenty-five dollars ($25.00) for monthly expense of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1078, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 604 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to travel allowances and other expenses of certain officers of Granville County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1080, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions of property lying and being in the City of Salisbury or within one mile outside thereof.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 871, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-13(c) as it relates to compensation to be paid prisoners who are injured while performing assigned work.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 983, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-286 relating to the jurisdiction of general county courts in civil actions.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 109-11 relating to the acknowledgment and registration of official bonds.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1036, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-107 to provide for the appointment of a counselor for the Domestic Relations Court of Buncombe County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1043, a bill to be entitled An act to require that the names of persons in Avery County reporting violations of the law shall appear on the warrant of arrest.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1052, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 7-274 of the General Statutes relating to the authority of the clerk of the general county court to issue warrants so as to make the third sentence of said Section applicable to Alamance County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1053, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 6-5 of the General Statutes so as to eliminate inclusion of the jury tax in costs in criminal courts not having juries.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1054, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Ann May Jennings.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1055, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Russell Gant, his heirs and assigns.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 165, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 66-10 relating to records to be kept by junk dealers.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 277, a bill to be entitled An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and real estate salesmen in North Carolina and to create
the North Carolina Real Estate Licensing Board and define its powers and duties, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of the Act.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 371, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the execution of process on Sunday.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 379, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the vesting of title to certain school property in the Gastonia City Board of Education and authorizing the conveyance of the legal title thereto to said Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 635, a bill to be entitled An act to require the inspection by the Department of Agriculture of seed planted by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1076, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 477, ratified April 19, 1957, so as to change the effective date thereof.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Shreve, for the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 272, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-20.2 (b) relating to the place of registration of mortgages on personal property and to amend certain parts of Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) and Section 1 of Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act).

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 509 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the hunting of deer, so as to repeal so much thereof as relates to Bladen County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 432, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 113-111 by adding Franklin to the list of counties in which there is no closed season for fox hunting.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 990, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 7, Chapter 113 of the General Statutes so as to legalize the possession, sale and trans-
portation of ringneck pheasants and chukar partridges propagated in captivity.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1006, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Elizabethtown in Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1038, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Chadbourn in Columbus County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 176, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 113-111 by adding Franklin to the list of counties in which there is no closed season for fox hunting.

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. Murphy:

H. B. 1082, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 106-99 relating to the inspection tax on feeding stuffs and tax tags.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Ferebee:

H. B. 1083, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the Power Board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said Board, appointing members thereof, and authorizing certain expenditures of said Board.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 1084, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 429, Session Laws of 1945, so as to fix the terms of office of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners for the Town of Murphy at four years.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 1085, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-414 so as to authorize service by publication in tax foreclosure suits on persons who can not be found and whose names and addresses are unknown.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,
H. B. 1086, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 768 of the Session Laws of 1943 so as to fix the court costs of divorce actions in the Recorder's Court of Nash County and provide for the payment of the same in advance.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Everett:

H. B. 1087, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9, so as to include Martin County within the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Talton:

H. B. 1088, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County for industrial development and other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 1089, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 859 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salaries of the Sheriff, the Register of Deeds, and the Clerk of Superior Court of Lenoir County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 1090, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 402 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the establishment of Winston-Salem Firemen's Retirement Fund Association.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Clark, Kiser, Turner and Fowler:

H. B. 1091, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Legislative Research Committee.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Kemp and Hunt:

H. B. 1092, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 435, Session Laws of 1945, relating to a Traffic Bureau in the City of Greensboro.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Kemp, Hunt and Turner:

H. B. 1093, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 37, Private Laws of 1923, which is designated "Charter of City of Greensboro."

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
And,

H. B. 1094, a bill to be entitled An act to validate local improvement assessments heretofore levied and assessed by the City Council of the City of Greensboro.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 1095, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 436 of the Session Laws of 1945 relative to establishing a War Memorial Fund and a War Memorial Fund Commission to acquire and hold property incidental to the construction of war memorial.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Kemp and Hunt:

H. B. 1096, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning, zoning and building regulations powers of the City of Greensboro and its governing body to the territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Kemp, Hunt and Turner:

H. B. 1097, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1334 of the Session Laws of 1955 providing for the regulation of the subdivision of land in and around municipalities so as to make said Act applicable to Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Blue, Gregory, Holmes, Thomas of Johnston, Valentine, Umstead, Murphy, Vann, Hewlett, Harriss of Rowan, Jordan, Askew, Coates, Powe, Hill, Powell, Yarborough of Franklin, Bynum and Fowler:

H. B. 1098, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 57 and 58 of the General Statutes relating to the renewability of individual and blanket, group and franchise hospitalization and accident and health insurance policies.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Powe, Hill, Harris of Wake, Whitley and Womble of Wake:

H. B. 1099, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing bodies of the County of Wake, the City of Raleigh, the County of Durham and the City of Durham, with the approval of the Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority, to convey at private sale certain land and easements over lands in exchange for property owned by the State of North Carolina in the vicinity of the William B. Umstead State Park.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
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. 357, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 116-25 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the escheat of unpaid and unclaimed salaries and wages.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 376, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30.1 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to liens on the real property of recipients of old age assistance.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 386, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the boards of education of the Robeson County school unit and of the several city administrative school units within Robeson County to pay for employees' group insurance.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 393, a bill to be entitled An act amending the public school laws of North Carolina as they relate to the sale of public school property.

Referred to Committee on Education.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 7, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. 890 entitled, "A bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix certain terms of the Superior Court in Perquimans and Gates Counties" for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is placed on the Calendar for Friday, May 17, 1957.

SENATE CHAMBER
May 14, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent the House of Representatives requesting the return of H. B. 778 entitled, "A bill to be entitled An act
relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said District," for further consideration by the Senate.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message and on motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the bill is returned to the Senate.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 1049, a bill to be entitled An act relating to fire protection in Granville County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public-Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said city.

Mr. Vogler offers an amendment which is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Vogler consideration of the bill, as amended, is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 880, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the qualified voters of the City of Southport to determine whether alcoholic beverage control stores shall be established in said city and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits thereof.
Mr. Britt calls for the “Ayes” and “Noes” on the passage of the bill on its second reading.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Childers, Clark, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Gaither, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Hostetler, Houk, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Lloyd, Long, McKnight, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Quinn, Ross, Shreve, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Vogler, Wall, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Williams of Pasquotank, Wilson of Caswell, Womble of Forsyth, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—69.


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

H. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Person County Criminal Court.

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House Messrs. Satterfield, Thomas of Johnston and Powell and the Senate is so notified.

H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment of members of the Board of Veterans Affairs for Lee County.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the bill is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Veterans’ Legislation.

S. B. 199, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 45 of Chapter 18 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the powers and duties of county boards of alcoholic beverage control, applicable to Martin County.

On motion of Mr. Pittman the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

H. B. 929, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 8, Article 18 of Chapter 160, relating to the authority of a municipality to acquire and maintain light, water, sewer and gas facilities.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 9 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to liens of assessments for local improvements.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

SPECIAL ORDER

The hour for the Special Order having arrived, Mr. Kerr makes the following motion on H. B. 712.

H. B. 712, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-51.1 relating to retired Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Courts.

On motion of Mr. Kerr consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, May 15, 1957.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes, Chapter 72, relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

Mr. Thompson offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Uzzell offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Jordan offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Johnson offers an amendment.

Mr. Johnson withdraws his amendment.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-150 so as to place certain responsibility upon the principals of the public schools with regard to fire safety.

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

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to prescribe regulations for the reduction of fire hazards and for the protection of life and property in public school facilities.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendments are adopted.

Mr. Childers offers an amendment, which is adopted.

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

H. B. 233, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 69-7 relating to fire prevention and providing for "Fire Prevention Day."

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

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 14, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in the Senate Amendment to H. B. 360 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Person County Criminal Court," and request for a conference and the appointment of conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Long and Copeland, to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Hardy, 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. 204. An Act to increase the term of office of the County Commissioners of Stanly County from two to four years.

S. B. 300. An Act fixing the discounts for prepayment of taxes in the Town of Boiling Springs in Cleveland County.
S. B. 309. An Act relating to the quadrennial revaluation of real property in Halifax County.

S. B. 352. An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Rockingham County to defer and postpone the reassessment and revaluation of real property in said county until the year 1959.

S. B. 366. An Act amending Chapter 181, Session Laws of 1949, so as to fix the term of office of Mayor of the Town of Conover at two years and to extend the term of the Mayor elected in 1957.

S. B. 370. An Act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Murfreesboro to convey certain land at private sale to the Hertford County Board of Education.

S. B. 403. An Act to amend S. B. 33, ratified April 30, 1957, relating to the requirement that Highway Patrol cars be painted black and silver.


H. B. 694. An Act to set the compensation for the Commissioners of the Town of Saluda, Polk County.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock noon.

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**EIGHTY-FIFTH DAY**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Wednesday, May 15, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Gregory, Frank A. Woodall and Elizabeth E. Woodall of Harnett County are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

**ENGROSSED BILLS**

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.
It is so ordered.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes, Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-150 so as to place certain responsibility upon the principals of the public schools with regard to fire safety.

H. B. 232, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to prescribe regulations for the reduction of fire hazards and for the protection of life and property in public school facilities.

REPORT 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 Employment Security.

H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 97 of the General Statutes so as to increase to thirty-five dollars the maximum weekly compensation payable under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 832, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 445 of the Session Laws of 1945, relating to the employees' retirement system of Union County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 133-1.1 requiring buildings involving the expenditure of public funds to be designed and inspected by engineers and architects.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

By Mr. Floyd of Robeson, for the Committee on Senatorial Districts.

H. B. 389, a bill to be entitled An act to apportion the members of the House of Representatives among the several counties of the state.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 982, a bill to be entitled An act to define and establish the Senatorial Districts of the State, and to make the apportionment of the Senators.

With an unfavorable report.
By Mr. Whitley, for the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent the forced withdrawal of state funds from official depositories of this state, when the rate of return on United States Government securities exceeds the rate which official depositories are allowed to pay.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the committee substitute bill is adopted.

By Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 436, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-210 so as to increase from $20,000 to $40,000 the maximum group life insurance policy coverage as to any one person.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 799, a bill to be entitled An act to delete the appeal provisions of the Financial Responsibility Act and to provide for a suspension of registration for failure to comply with the act.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 899, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the investment of funds of Mutual Burial Associations, and to empower the Burial Association Commissioner to subpoena witnesses and hold hearings.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1000, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-211.2 relating to the definitions of employee life insurance.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 339, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-63 relating to the amount to be paid by the Commissioner of Insurance for publication of financial statements of insurance companies.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Womble of Wake, for the Committee on Teachers’ and State Employees Retirement.

H. B. 646, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that optional elections may be made of full force and effect upon the death of a member in service after age 65 under the Local Governmental Employees’ Retirement System, and under the Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement System, and to clarify certain other provisions thereunder, including those relating to emergency expenses.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 812, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 and General Statutes 135-18.2 so as to increase from $50 to $75 per month
certain pensions paid certain retired teachers and minimum payments made to certain retired teachers and state employees, and to make an appropriation therefor.

With a favorable report.

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

H. B. 933, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 relating to pensions paid certain former teachers and state employees.

With a favorable report, as amended.

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

H. B. 1046, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 293, Public-Local and Private Laws of 1941, as amended, relating to the establishment of a pension fund for the retirement and disability of the members of the Fire Department of the City of High Point.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Umstead, for the Committee on Mental Institutions.

H. B. 756, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 122 of the General Statutes relating to the mentally disordered and Chapter 35 of the General Statutes relating to persons with mental diseases and incompetents.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 742, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to call a special election for the authorization of an industrial development tax for Pitt County and to create and fix the powers of Industrial Development Commission for Pitt County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 999, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Richmond County to levy taxes to pay the salary and office expenses of the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent and the Home Demonstration Agent and the Veteran's Service Officer.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1005, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 13C of Chapter 131, 1955 Supplement to Volume 3B of the General Statutes, authorizing
counties to borrow money on behalf of hospital districts to pay appropriations and maturing principal and interest of bonds of said districts.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1061, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Madison County Public Library.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 284, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Durham County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 374, a bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxes on the property of Calvary Baptist Church of Hamlet, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-116 so as to authorize county-wide supplemental tax elections prior to the consolidation of city administrative units with the county administrative unit.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1062, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Warren County Board of Education to sell and convey certain property to the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County at private sale.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 305, a bill to be entitled An act establishing an official toast to the State of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 386, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the boards of education of the Robeson County school unit and of the several city administrative school units within Robeson County to pay for employee's group insurance.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 393, a bill to be entitled An act amending the public school laws of North Carolina as they relate to the sale of public school property.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton, for the Committee on Health.
H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled An act to require that manufacturers of household cleaners which contain volatile substances capable of producing toxic effect shall label such cleaners with a warning as to their contents and with directions as to their safe use.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1003, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1197, Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Salt Marsh Mosquito Study Commission.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1004, a bill to be entitled An act relating to mosquito control in North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1023, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 340 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1026, a bill to be entitled An act prescribing the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1037, a bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of the Register of Deeds and Coroner of Camden County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1039, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe compensation for aldermen of the Town of Bladenboro in Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1042, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the justices of the peace in Avery County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled An act providing additional compensation for Clerk of the Superior Court, for Register of Deeds and the County Accountant of Clay County and fixing the compensation of the County Commissioners and members of the County Board of Education of Clay County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1069, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees, costs and commissions to be charged and collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court and the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 1073, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of Education of Dare County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1089, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 859 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salaries of the Sheriff, the Register of Deeds, and the Clerk of Superior Court of Lenoir 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 Messrs. Vogler, Kerr, Uzzell, Henley, Powell, Hicks, Snepp, Mrs. Rodenbough, Messrs. Umstead, McKnight, Yarborough of Cumberland, Clark and Venter:

H. R. 1100, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making plans for the construction of a building to house the Executive and Legislative Branches of the Government.

Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds:

By Messrs. Blue and Delamar:

H. R. 1101, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operation of motorboats on the waters of the state and to submit its recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to sell or lease certain real property to the City of Washington.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1103, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-113 limiting the number of justices of the peace to be elected in the City of Washington.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-102 relating to license taxes on junk dealers.

Referred to Committee on Finance.
By Mr. Wicker, by request:

H. B. 1105, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net proceeds from the operation of alcoholic beverage control stores in the event such stores shall be established in Lee County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

And,

H. B. 1106, a bill to be entitled An act to restrict the right of the qualified voters of Lee County to determine whether beer or wine shall be legally sold in said county.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 1107, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Chapter 624 of the 1955 Session Laws relating to the incorporation of the Town of Yaupon Beach, North Carolina, in Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1108, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Southport to establish and regulate daylight saving time in the City of Southport.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Craig:

H. B. 1109, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 105 of the General Statutes relating to the taxing of cooperative associations.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 1110, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation of real property in the Town of Blowing Rock.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 1111, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-176 relating to penalties for violation of the Motor Vehicle Law.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Jordan, Fowler, Britt, Yarborough of Franklin, Phelps, Snepp, Williams of Pasquotank, Everett, Wooten and Davis:

H. B. 1112, a bill to be entitled An act creating a fireman's pension fund.

Referred to Committee on Finance.
By Mr. McKnight:

H. B. 1113, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 613 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 so as to provide for the election and compensation of a Clerk of the Recorder's Court in the Town of Mooresville.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 1114, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of constables in Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Hughes:

H. B. 1115, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 221 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the compensation of the Tax Collector of Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1116, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 634 of the Session Laws of 1951, as amended, relating to the annual salary of the Sheriff of Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1117, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 189 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the fees of the Register of Deeds of Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1118, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1119, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-40 and General Statutes 161-2 relating to the compensation and term of office of the Register of Deeds of Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1120, a bill to be entitled An act to raise the salary of one deputy sheriff of Avery County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Messrs. Floyd of Robeson and Reynolds:

H. B. 1121, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and other members of the Board of County Commissioners of Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 1122, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 121 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to compensation of jurors in Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 198, ratified the sixteenth of April, 1957, relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of Register of Deeds of Burke County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Combs:

H. B. 1124, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Tyrrell County and to the arrest fees and mileage allowance of the Sheriff of Tyrrell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties to enact ordinances regulating public recreation, amusements and entertainments, and to define, prohibit, abate, or suppress things detrimental to the health, morals, safety, convenience and welfare of the people in areas within the county outside an incorporated municipality.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Kemp, Hunt, Shreve and Turner:

H. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled An act to define and impose a license tax on itinerant photographers and their agents and employees.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Guilford County Board of Education to sell certain real property without offering the same at public auction.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 1128, a bill to be entitled An act to validate certain tax levies and tax sales in Bertie County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 1129, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 and to provide a schedule of discounts for prepayment of taxes in Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Shreve and Harris of Wake:

H. B. 1130, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-46 relating to commitment of mentally disordered persons to state hospitals.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 1131, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 35-32 relating to the commitment of alleged inebriates for treatment.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

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. 320, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the central registration of all decrees of divorce.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 781, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-59 relating to sale of municipal property.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Holmes 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:

On motion of Mr. Turner consideration of all the bills on the Public-Local Calendar with the exception of the roll call bills, are postponed until Friday, May 17, 1957.

H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled An act to create the Johnston County Peace Officers' Relief Association.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 86, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Thomasville to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 509 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the hunting of deer, so as to repeal so much thereof as relates to Bladen County.
On motion of Mr. Hargett consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 432, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 113-111 by adding Franklin to the list of counties in which there is no closed season for fox hunting.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

S. B. 277, a bill to be entitled An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and real estate salesmen in North Carolina and to create the North Carolina Real Estate Licensing Board and define its powers and duties, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of the act.

On motion of Mr. Jordan consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 16, 1957.

H. B. 123, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the planning, designation, establishment, use, regulation, alternation, improvement, maintenance, and vacation of controlled-access facilities; the acquisition of lands required therefor; the restriction of intersections and control of approaches; the establishment of local service or frontage roads; the prohibition of certain acts thereon; and for other purposes.

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

H. B. 526, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 44-52 relating to agricultural liens so as to require the lienholder to notify the landlord of the existence of such lien.

On motion of Mr. Taylor the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 588, a bill to be entitled An act relating to liability of parents and guardians for damages inflicted against real and personal property by their minor children and wards.

Mr. Whitley offers an amendment.

Mr. Venters offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Buchanan offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment.

Mr. Long moves that the bill and all the amendments lie upon the table, the motion prevails.

H. B. 635, a bill to be entitled An act to require the inspection by the Department of Agriculture of seed planted by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.
On motion of Mr. Hargett consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 16, 1957.

H. B. 1053, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 6-5 of the General Statutes so as to eliminate inclusion of the jury tax in costs in criminal courts not having juries.

On motion of Mr. Long consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 289. An Act to provide an allocation from the contingency and emergency fund for the Gaston Technical Institute.

S. B. 306. An Act relating to the enforcement of tax liens in Sampson County.

S. B. 334. An Act relating to the fees of Justice of the Peace in Catawba County.

S. B. 344. An Act to authorize the Town of Tarboro to create and maintain a Capital Reserve Fund.


H. B. 33. An Act to provide revenue for financing driver training and safety education in the public high schools.

H. B. 316. An Act to rewrite General Statutes 115-125 relating to the acquisition of school sites.

H. B. 506. An Act to amend General Statutes 115-133 relating to the duty of boards of education to promulgate rules and regulations governing the use of school buildings.

H. B. 594. An Act amending General Statutes 115-53 so as to include activity school buses within its provisions.


H. B. 632. An Act to amend General Statutes 53-77.1 relating to opening of vaults and safes by banks which are closed on Saturday.

H. B. 660. An Act to amend the City Charter of the City of Charlotte relating to the schools of the Charlotte Administrative School Unit.

H. B. 683. An Act relating to the selection and term of office of members of the County Board of Education of Rutherford County.
H. B. 739. An Act to prohibit the public display of intoxicating liquors in McDowell County.

H. B. 764. An Act relating to the nomination and election of members of the County School Board of Bladen County.

H. B. 944. An Act amending House Bill number 392 relating to the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11:30 o'clock, A. M.

EIGHTY-SIXTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 16, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Bowman is granted a leave of absence for Wednesday and Thursday, May 15 and 16.

Mr. Lloyd is granted a leave of absence for Friday, May 17.

On motion of Mr. Hill, Joan Stewart and Pauline Stewart of Australia are made honorary pagettes of the House of Representatives.

STATEMENT BY MEMBER

In view of the fact that I was absent when the vote was taken and tabulated on H. B. 880, providing for ABC stores in the Town of Southport, North Carolina, I desire that the following be entered in the Journal:

Had I been present my vote would have been "No."

/s/ Floyd of Robeson

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.
H. B. 526, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 44-52 relating to agricultural liens so as to require the lienholder to notify the landlord of the existence of such lien.

REPORT 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. Quinn, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 765, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a statewide liquor, beer, and wine referendum at the November, 1958, general election.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of a City Liquor Control Store in the Town of Wilkesboro upon a vote of the people and providing for the allocation of the net proceeds from the operation of such store.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 1107, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Chapter 624 of the 1955 Session Laws relating to the incorporation of the Town of Yaupon Beach, North Carolina, in Brunswick County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1128, a bill to be entitled An act to validate certain tax levies and tax sales in Bertie County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1030, a bill to be entitled An act for mandatory disposition of detainers within the state.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 9 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to liens or assessments for local improvements.

With a favorable report, as amended.
S. B. 353, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-136 relating to the issuance and contents of summons in courts of justices of the peace.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 438, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Dallas in Gaston County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1077, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations as to the Town of Wallace.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus, for the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. B. 684, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to civil defense.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 864, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 127-23.1 relating to brevet rank of retired officers and enlisted men of the National Guard.

With a favorable report.

H. R. 946, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to modify or rescind agreements and treaties with foreign nations with respect to trials of members of the Armed Forces of the United States who are or may be charged with criminal offenses.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-37 relating to the apportionment of certain funds between municipalities.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 952, a bill to be entitled An act pertaining to notice to property owners by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 281, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Subsection 5 of General Statutes 115-183 relating to the purposes for which school buses may be used.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Education.
By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. R. 228, a joint resolution requesting the North Carolina congressional delegation to cause a federal investigation to be made of expenditure of federal, state, and county funds in North Carolina for the support of children born out of wedlock.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 229, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 108-49 so as to prohibit aid to illegitimate children of physically fit mothers under the "Aid to Dependent Children Act."

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 270, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the evidentiary weight of results of chemical tests in drunken driving cases.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 915, a bill to be entitled An act to validate tax levies and tax sales of the Town of Aulander.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 953, a bill to be entitled An act adopting daylight savings time for this state for the period from the last Sunday in April until the last Sunday in October of each year.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1071, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Statutes so as to permit persons to engage in business as a pawnbroker in unincorporated areas.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1086, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 768 of the Session Laws of 1943 so as to fix the court costs of divorce actions in the Recorder's Court of Nash County and provide for the payment of the same in advance.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1090, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 402 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the establishment of Winston-Salem Firemen's Retirement Fund Association.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1099, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing bodies of the County of Wake, the City of Raleigh, the County of Durham, and the City of Durham, with the approval of the Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority, to convey at private sale certain lands and easements over lands in exchange for property owned by the State of North Carolina in the vicinity of the William B. Umstead State Park.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 593, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-49 relating to the definition of dependent children.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 332, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15, Chapter 14, of the General Statutes to provide that the burning of a building or structure in the process of construction be a criminal offense.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4 C of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to structural pest control.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Falls the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1083, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the Power Board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said board, appointing members thereof, and authorizing certain expenditures of said board.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1087, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to include Martin County within the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 975, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of the City of Jacksonville, in Onslow County, the question of whether or not the city council shall be elected by the voters of the city at large.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Graham County for industrial developments and other purposes,
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 191, Session Laws of 1947, so as to fix the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Graham County for his services as Judge of the Juvenile Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1040, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 82 of the Public Laws of 1913 relative to the boundaries of the Counties of Ashe and Wilkes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1047, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 405 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to payment to the Chief Deputy Sheriff of Wilkes County of the sum of $600.00 for the operation of automobiles.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to defer the quadrennial revaluation of real estate in said county and to raise revenue to defray the cost of revaluation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1063, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of Mayor of the Town of Mount Olive in Wayne County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1064, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Onslow County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Onslow County to employ experts and to enter into necessary contracts for said service.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1065, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 607 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Craven to annually appropriate not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500.00) to aid any agricultural, animal, or poultry exhibition held within said county.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1068, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 24, Session Laws of 1949, so as to require candidates for Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Hayesville to pay a filing fee.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1070, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Snow Hill one mile in all directions from the corporate limits of said town.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 1074, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-1 relating to the jury list in Caswell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1075, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Caswell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1079, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers one mile beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Draper, Rockingham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1084, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 429, Session Laws of 1945, so as to fix the terms of office of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners for the Town of Murphy at four years.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1088, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County for industrial development and other purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to sell or lease certain real property to the City of Washington.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1103, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-113 limiting the number of justices of the peace to be elected in the City of Washington.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1108, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Southport to establish and regulate daylight saving time in the City of Southport.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1115, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 221 of the 1951 Session Laws relating to the compensation of the Tax Collector of Avery County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1116, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 634 of the Session Laws of 1951, as amended, relating to the annual salary of the Sheriff of Avery County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 1117, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 189 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the fees of the Register of Deeds of Avery County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1118, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Avery County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1119, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-40 and General Statutes 161-2 relating to the compensation and term of office of the Register of Deeds of Avery County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1120, a bill to be entitled An act to raise the salary of one deputy sheriff of Avery County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 198, ratified the sixteenth of April, 1957, relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of Register of Deeds of Burke County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1124, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Tyrrell County and to the arrest fees and mileage allowance of the Sheriff of Tyrrell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties to enact ordinances regulating public recreation, amusements and entertainments, and to define, prohibit, abate, or suppress things detrimental to the health, morals, safety, convenience, and welfare of the people in areas within the county outside an incorporated municipality.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1129, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 and to provide a schedule of discounts for prepayment of taxes in Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 131, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 153 of the General Statutes so as to increase the maximum number of members who may serve on a county planning board.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:
By Messrs. Williams of Pasquotank, Etheridge, Phelps, Burgess, Speight, Ross, Everett, Holmes, Griggs, O'Neal, Askew, Combs, Maddrey and Byrum:

H. R. 1132, a joint resolution designating the highway bridge across the Albemarle Sound on Highway North Carolina 32 as “The J. C. B. Ehringhaus Memorial Bridge.”

On motion of Mr. Williams of Pasquotank the rules are suspended and the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Shreve:

H. B. 1133, a bill to be entitled An act to require certain organizations and associations to file financial information with the Secretary of State.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 279, Public-Local Laws of 1937, relating to the creation of school districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of school districts or special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts or units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm, and validate all proceedings taken thereunder, and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 1135, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County to extend the time for quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property for taxation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 1136, a bill to be entitled An act relating to unlawful cutting or removal of timber.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Hewlett and Thompson:

H. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled An act relating to barratry and providing for revocation of professional licenses and corporate charters and disbarment of attorneys upon conviction of barratry.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
And,

H. B. 1138, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Wrightsville Beach in New Hanover County to sell and convey property in certain instances.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 1139, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1060 of the Session Laws of 1945 to authorize the Board of Education of New Hanover County to pass the necessary resolutions of election to place Wilmington College under the Community College Act.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 1140, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Chadbourn.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1141, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 40, Private Laws of 1905, the same being the Charter of the Town of Tabor City, so as to increase the corporate boundaries thereof.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Snepp, Vogler and Hicks:

H. B. 1142, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the vaccination of dogs in Mecklenburg County.

Referred to Committee on Health.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 1143, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes relating to the effect of a decree of absolute divorce on a certificate of acknowledgment failing to comply with General Statutes 52-12.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Delamar:

H. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the authority of the Board of Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy certain special taxes, to reduce the rates thereof and to validate such taxes heretofore levied by said county.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 1145, a bill to be entitled An act requiring commercial motor vehicles to be equipped with splash guards and stone deflectors.
Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Murphy:

H. B. 1146, a bill to be entitled An act to require all public, private, or other hospitals operated in this state to furnish, upon demand, patients with itemized statements of charges and expenses incurred in such hospitals.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 1147, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the election of municipal officers of the Town of Castalia in Nash County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mr. Hill:

H. B. 1148, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to adopt subdivision regulations regarding the platting of subdivisions in Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Talton:

H. B. 1149, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 137 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the disposition of certain delinquent taxes collected in Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Clark:

H. B. 1150, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 51-6 relating to the issuance of marriage licenses.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1151, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to designation of draftsmen of instruments to be probated or recorded so as to make said section applicable to Lincoln County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1152, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-392 of the General Statutes relative to the method of notifying a taxpayer in foreclosure proceeding.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 1153, a bill to be entitled An act to make an appropriation to complete facilities at the state office building now under construction on the Old Soldiers' Home property.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Brock:

H. B. 1154, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Mocksville to provide for the nomination of candidates for the office of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mocksville by party primaries.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 1155, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Garland, in Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 1156, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 98 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the keeping of bears in captivity in Jackson County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 1157, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of Justices of the Peace in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 1158, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 66 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the licensing and regulation of motor clubs and associations by the Commissioner of Insurance, and to provide for fees in connection therewith.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

of Ashe, Gaither, Hardy, Pittman, Vogler, Lloyd, Phelps, Bell, Wilson of Caswell, Combs, Wallace, Jones of Pitt, Williams of Yadkin, Long, and Zollicoffer:

H. B. 1159, a bill to be entitled An act to insure the perpetuation of the memory of Major General William C. Lee by the appropriation of forty thousand dollars to be used to aid in the erection of a suitable memorial to General Lee.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Kennedy:

H. B. 1160, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the compensation of members of the Board of Education of Wilkes County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Stone, Gobble, and Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 1161, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court, Sheriff, and Register of Deeds of Forsyth County, and to revise provisions with respect to the Special Trust Fund created by Chapter 147, Session Laws 1943, for said Clerk of Superior Court's Office.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 1162, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the issuance of ten million dollars in bonds of the state to provide for capital improvements for state institutions and agencies.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton, by request:

H. B. 1163, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Fowler, by request:

H. B. 1164, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Mount Airy in Surry County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

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. 388, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 87-26 relating to plumbing and heating contracting so as to provide for the issuance of license in the name of a corporation, partnership or trade name.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 390, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Raymond Vernon Wilson to file and prosecute his claim under the State Tort Claims Act for an injury received by him while a public school pupil in Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 40-2 and General Statutes 60-146 relating to the power of eminent domain so as to include rights-of-way for pipe lines for the transmission of coal in suspension.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 337, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 56-5 relating to the power of eminent domain granted to telegraph, telephone, electric power and lighting companies.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 348, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discontinuance of school bus transportation by reason of the extension of the corporate limits of any municipality.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled An act to create the Johnston County Peace Officers' Relief Association.

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

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 86, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Thomasville to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 742, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to call a special election for the authorization of an industrial development tax for Pitt County and to create and fix the powers of an Industrial Development Commission for Pitt County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Caswell, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth,
Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin, and Zollicoffer—102.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 999, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Richmond County to levy taxes to pay the salary and office expenses of the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent, and the Home Demonstration Agent and the Veteran's Service Officer.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1061, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Madison County Public Library.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 284, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Durham County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 277, a bill to be entitled An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and real estate salesmen in North Carolina, and to create the North Carolina Real Estate Licensing Board and define its powers and duties, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of the Act.

On motion of Mr. Childers the committee amendments are adopted.

Mr. Turner offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. Ferebee offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. Powe offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. Coates offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Bost moves the previous question, the call sustains.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Britt, Bynum, Carpenter, Coates, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Eggers, Ferebee, Gavin, Hardy, Hargett, Hughes, Jones of Ashe, Kennedy, Kiser, Murphy, Satterfield, Simpson, Speight, Taylor, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Vann, Wall, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, Yarborough of Franklin, and Zollicoffer—31.

The following pairs are announced: Mr. Clark votes "No," Mr. Williams of Pasquotank votes "Aye;" Mr. Hostetler votes "No," Mr. Hunt votes "Aye;" Mr. Reynolds votes "Aye," Mr. Dill votes "No."

H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent the forced withdrawal of state funds from official depositories of this state when the rate of return on United States Government securities exceeds the rate which official depositories are allowed to pay.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 97 of the General Statutes so as to increase to thirty-five dollars the maximum weekly compensation payable under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

On motion of Mr. White the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 635, a bill to be entitled An act to require the inspection by the Department of Agriculture of seed planted by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 756, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 122 of the General Statutes relating to the mentally disordered and Chapter 35 of the General Statutes relating to persons with mental diseases and incompetents.
On motion of Mr. Umstead consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 436, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-210 so as to increase from $20,000 to $40,000 the maximum group life insurance policy coverage as to any one person.

On motion of Mr. Umstead consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 133-1.1 requiring buildings involving the expenditure of public funds to be designed and inspected by engineers and architects.

On motion of Mr. Fowler consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-126 relating to building permits.

Mr. Hill offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 799, a bill to be entitled An act to delete the appeal provisions of the Financial Responsibility Act and to provide for a suspension of registration for failure to comply with the Act.

Mr. Whitley moves that consideration of the bill be postponed until Monday night, May 20, 1957.

Mr. Falls makes a substitute motion and moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2, which motion sustains and the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 851, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the procedure for letting of public contracts.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 856, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 33, Chapter 160, of the General Statutes authorizing municipalities to invest funds.

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

H. B. 871, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-13 (c) as it relates to compensation to be paid prisoners who are injured while performing assigned work.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 646, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that optional elections may be made of full force and effect upon the death of a member in service after age 65 under the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System, and under the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System, and to clarify certain other provisions thereunder, including those relating to emergency expenses.

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

H. B. 712, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-51.1 relating to retired Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Courts.

On motion of Mr. Ferebee consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges.

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

H. B. 887, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10, Chapter 130, of the General Statutes so as to make it unlawful to trespass upon the watershed area of an unfiltered public water supply.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled An act to require that manufacturers of household cleaners which contain volatile substances capable of producing toxic effect shall label such cleaners with a warning as to their contents and with directions as to their safe use.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

ENROLLED BILLS

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

S. B. 199. An Act to amend Section 45 of Chapter 18 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the powers and duties of county boards of Alcoholic Beverage Control, applicable to Martin County.

H. B. 241. An Act to amnd General Statutes 113-38 relating to the distribution of funds from the sale of forest lands.

H. B. 327. An Act to amend General Statutes 1-568.25 relating to the effect of taking and introducing a deposition.

H. B. 574. An Act to authorize and empower the Town of Highlands to establish a reserve fund to provide for the expansion and improvement of its hydroelectric plant and distribution system.

H. B. 876. An Act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Lincolnton in Lincoln County.

On motion of Mr. Carpenter the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the late Oscar Pitts, a former member of the House of Representatives from Catawba County, and will meet tomorrow at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

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EIGHTY-SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 17, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mrs. Rodenbough the following boys and girls are made honorary pages and pages of the House of Representatives: Paris Moody Pepper, Eugene Pemberton Pepper and Mary Morehead Ferrell of Forsyth County, and Stanley Leigh Rodenbough, IV, William Chismas Rodenbough and Katherine Boone Rodenbough of Stokes County.

On motion of Mr. Valentine, Green Remond Dill, Jr. of Edgecombe County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Reynolds, Michael Robert Arledge and David Cline Arledge, sons of Representative and Mrs. Arledge of Polk County are made honorary pages of the House.

STATEMENT BY MEMBER

"I was out of the House this week when the Southport A. B. C. bill came up, H. B. 880. Please record me as voting against this bill."

(S) W. D. Reynolds
Representative Robeson County

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth, H. B. 761 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges" is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.
Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. 761 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges" for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly Principal Clerk

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 97 of the General Statutes so as to increase to thirty-five dollars the maximum weekly compensation payable under the Workmen’s Compensation Act.

H. B. 635, a bill to be entitled An act to require the inspection by the Department of Agriculture of seed planted by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

H. B. 790, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-126 relating to building permits.

H. B. 813, a bill to be entitled An act to create the Johnston County Peace Officers’ Relief Association.

H. B. 851, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the procedure for letting of public contracts.

REPORT 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. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.
H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fee for issuance of motor vehicle operator's license so as to provide for additional licensing services and facilities.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is recommitted to committee on Finance.

H. B. 866, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-152 to require motor vehicles other than motor trucks to follow slowly moving vehicles at such distance as will permit faster moving vehicles to pass safely.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Whitehurst, for the Committee on Veterans Legislation.

H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment of members of the Board of Veterans Affairs for Lee 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. Thompson:

H. B. 1165, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-162 relating to furnishing of birth certificates for school children by registers of deeds without charge so as to provide that such certificate shall be furnished free of charge only in cases of indigency.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1166, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Accountant of Chatham County to transfer certain surplus funds to the general fund of the county to be used for general county permanent improvements.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1167, a bill to be entitled An act to require the County Commissioners of Chatham County to turn into the general fund all taxes collected for the year 1955 and all prior years.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335, relating to public drunkenness, so as to make a part thereof applicable to Chatham County.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Gobble, Stone and Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-91 relating to the proclamation of result of general elections.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

And,

H. B. 1170, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 734, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the appointment of election officials for the City of Winston-Salem by the Forsyth County Board of Elections, the consolidation of the City of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County election books, and the creating of a central registration system for the voters of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

And,

H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-151 relating to the names of candidates on ballots used in primary or general elections.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 1172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Statutes so as to permit persons to engage in business as a pawnbroker in unincorporated areas of Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Valentine:

H. B. 1173, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the safety and security of county prisoners.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Etheridge:

H. B. 1174, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the calling of an election for the purpose of determining whether or not beer or wine may be sold in Croatan Township in Dare County.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Messrs. Snepp, Vogler and Hicks:

H. B. 1175, a bill to be entitled An act granting certain additional powers to Board of Education of Mecklenburg County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Woodard of Northampton, Hargett and Buchanan:
H. B. 1176, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the chasing, shooting, or taking of deer while the deer is swimming or in water to its knees.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Jones of Pitt:

H. B. 1177, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Farmville in Pitt County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Jones of Pitt, Wooten and Hardy:

H. B. 1178, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 136-47 making it unlawful for the State Highway Commission to open for public transportation any highway crossing railroad tracks where trains pass at night until electric traffic warning signals shall be installed.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Hargett, Buchanan, Woodard of Northampton and Johnson:

H. B. 1179, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-91 (d) and General Statutes 113-141 relating to powers of arrest without warrant.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1180, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the installation and use of sirens and red lights on all vehicles owned and operated by the state for law enforcement purposes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Kiser:

H. B. 1181, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission to determine ways and means of reducing the danger or hazard to citizens, residents or property in Scotland County from the use of rifles in the taking of deer.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Messrs. Clark, Kerr, Kiser and Murphy:

H. B. 1182, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate duplication of effort in the water pollution control programs of the state.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 559, Public-Local Laws of 1935, relating to the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and
interest of such bonds, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 1184, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Board of County Commissioners of Currituck County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 1185, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the transfer of any surplus from the bonded indebtedness of Harnett County and for the transfer of unclaimed witness checks in the Superior Court and the Recorder's Court of Harnett County to the general fund of Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Wicker and Thompson, by request:

H. B. 1186, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor boats and other craft on the waters of Cape Fear, Deep, and Haw Rivers in Lee and Chatham Counties.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 1187, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Mayor and the Commissioners of the City of Oxford.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Bowman, Hunt, Etheridge, Bell, Hewlett and Burgess:

H. B. 1188, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-3 and General Statutes 113-8 to provide for the development and protection of the navigable waters of the State; to create an effective system of flood control; to establish inland ports and safe harbors; to prevent shore erosion in all of its phases; to dredge small inlets and to utilize the navigable water resources of the state to the greater benefit of its citizens.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

S. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 16 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes relating to the taxation of timberland owned by the state.

Referred to Committee on Finance.
CALENDAR

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

H. B. 742, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to call a special election for the authorization of an Industrial Development Tax for Pitt County and to create and fix the powers of an Industrial Development Commission for Pitt County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 999, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Richmond County to levy taxes to pay the salary and office expenses of the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent and the Home Demonstration Agent and the Veteran's Service Officer.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—97.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1061, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Madison County Public Library.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 284, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Durham County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1057, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to defer the quadrennial revaluation of real estate in said county and to raise revenue to defray the cost of revaluation.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1064, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Onslow County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Onslow County to employ experts and to enter into necessary contracts for said service.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 1083, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the power board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said board, appointing members thereof, and authorizing certain expenditures of said board.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1087, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9, so as to include Martin County within the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1107, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Chapter 624 of the 1955 Session Laws relating to the incorporation of the Town of Yaupon Beach, North Carolina, in Brunswick County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of a city liquor control store in the Town of Wilkesboro upon a vote of the people and providing for the allocation of the net proceeds from the operation of such store.

On motion consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

S. B. 277, a bill to be entitled An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and real estate salesmen in North Carolina and to create the North Carolina Real Estate Licensing Board and define its powers and duties, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of the act.

Mr. Coates offers an amendment.

Mr. Falls moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Coates lie upon the table; the motion prevails and the amendment is tabled.

Mr. Speight offers an amendment.

Mr. Yarborough of Franklin moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Speight be tabled; the motion prevails and the amendment is tabled.

Mr. Coates offers an amendment.

Mr. Bost moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Coates lie on the table; the motion prevails and the amendment is tabled.

Mr. Bost calls the previous question, the call sustains.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading, as amended.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Bynum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Dill, Eggers, Ferebee, Gavin, Hargett, Hostetler, Jones of Ashe, Kiser, Satterfield, Simpson, Speight, Taylor, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Vann, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—24.

The following pairs are announced: Mr. Davis votes "No," Mr. Askew votes "Aye;" Mr. Hardy votes "No," Mr. Floyd of Columbus votes "Aye;" Mr. Wall votes "No," Mr. Everett votes "Aye;" Mr. Wilson of Union votes "No," Mr. Womble of Wake votes "Aye."

H. B. 1005, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 13C of Chapter 131, 1955 Supplement to Volume 3B of the General Statutes, authorizing counties to borrow money on behalf of hospital districts to pay appropriations and maturing principal and interest of bonds of said districts.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 326, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain provisions of Chapter 86 of the General Statutes of North Carolina entitled “Barbers.”

On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed until Monday night, May 20, 1957.

S. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 9 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to liens of assessments for local improvements.

On motion of Mr. Powell the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. R. 228, a joint resolution requesting the North Carolina Congressional delegation to cause a federal investigation to be made of expenditure of
federal, state and county funds in North Carolina for the support of children born out of wedlock.

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

H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 684, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to Civil Defense.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

On motion of Mr. Long consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

On motion of Mr. Long consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-37 relating to the apportionment of certain funds between municipalities.

The bill passes its second reading and remains on the Calendar.

H. B. 864, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 127-23.1 relating to brevet rank of retired officers and enlisted men of the National Guard.

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

H. B. 899, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the investment of funds of mutual burial associations, and to empower the Burial Association Commissioner to subpoena witnesses and hold hearings.

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

H. B. 908, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Article 2 through 9 of Chapter 116 of the General Statutes and substituting a new Article 2 in lieu thereof.
On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Womble of Forsyth offers an amendment, which is adopted.

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

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 1132. A Joint Resolution designating the highway bridge across the Albemarle Sound on highway North Carolina 32 as "The J. C. B. Ehringhaus Memorial Bridge."

S. B. 86. An Act to authorize the City of Thomasville to create and maintain a capital reserve fund.

H. B. 194. An Act to enlarge the jurisdiction of the City Court of Raleigh.

H. B. 373. An Act to abolish jury trial in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Chowan County and to transfer criminal cases in which jury trial is requested to the Superior Court of said county.

H. B. 403. An Act to amend Chapter 313 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the nomination of commissioners in Bladen County.

H. B. 604. An Act to confer jurisdiction upon the desk officers of the Police Department of Monroe to issue warrants.

H. B. 685. An Act to amend Chapter 108 of the Private Laws of 1907, so as to provide for the appointment of a tax collector in the Town of Goldston.

H. B. 734. An Act relating to the Johnston County Recorder's Court.

H. B. 774. An Act to amend the Charter of the Town of Beaufort to allow the Board of Commissioners to appoint a town manager.

H. B. 782. An Act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the City of Rocky Mount to call an election in the City of Rocky Mount to determine whether Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907, amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount, shall be further amended insofar as it pertains to the number and election of the members of the City Council and the Mayor of the City of Rocky Mount.

H. B. 794. An Act empowering the Charlotte City Board of Education to acquire title to land for school sites and title to or easements in land for street purposes where necessary to provide a means of ingress and egress to school sites.
H. B. 795. An Act to amend Chapter 878 of Session Laws of 1953 to provide for the medical care of the indigent sick and afflicted poor in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 796. An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to promulgate ordinances, rules, and regulations governing the parking of automobiles and other motor vehicles on property owned by Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 797. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 825. An Act authorizing the Harnett County Board of Commissioners to appoint an assistant solicitor for the Harnett County Recorder's Court during the absence or disability of the solicitor.

H. B. 827. An Act repealing Section 10, Chapter 217, Public Laws of 1923, and all of Chapter 556, Public-Local Laws of 1933, relating to drainage districts in Hyde County.

H. B. 828. An Act amending General Statutes 156-83 relating to supervision of drainage district construction in Hyde County.


H. B. 845. An Act to amend Chapter 269 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 to facilitate the listing and assessing of additions to buildings, new buildings, and appurtenances of Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 846. An Act to amend Chapter 1334 of the Session Laws of 1955 to make the provisions thereof applicable to the Town of Davidson in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 847. An Act to provide for the listing of taxes of all house trailers located in Mecklenburg County on January 1st.

H. B. 849. An Act to amend General Statutes 9-4 relating to the number of jurors to be drawn in Transylvania County.

H. B. 877. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-335 relating to punishment of public drunkenness in Lincoln County.

H. B. 920. An Act to amend Chapter 185 of the Private Laws of 1929 relating to the powers of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Vanceboro, Craven County, and to the salaries of certain employees thereof.

H. B. 923. An Act authorizing the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Spencer to lease to the Rowan County Rescue Squad, Inc. a certain lot of land located in the said Town of Spencer, North Carolina.
H. B. 924. An Act amending Chapter 226, Public-Local Laws of 1935 so as to create the separate office of Tax Supervisor for Haywood County, to appoint the first supervisor and provide that the county commissioners shall fix his compensation.

H. B. 926. An Act to postpone revaluation in Orange County for a period of three years.

H. B. 927. An Act amending Chapter 527 of the Session Laws of 1953 and Chapter 939 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to transfer certain extra territorial zoning and subdivision-regulation jurisdiction from the Town of Chapel Hill to the Town of Carrboro.

H. B. 934. An Act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Burlington Industries, Inc.

H. B. 935. An Act to amend General Statutes 160-346 relating to the salaries of Mayor and City Councilmen in the City of Burlington.

H. B. 939. An Act providing for the appointment of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Aurora.

H. B. 943. An Act amending Chapter 1083, Session Laws of 1947 so as to authorize the City of Asheville Board of Alcoholic Control, in its discretion, to expend not more than five per cent of its law enforcement funds for education as to the effects of the use of alcohol.

H. B. 956. An Act to provide that in Chatham County certain delinquent taxes, when collected, shall be paid into the general fund of the county.

H. B. 958. An Act to provide that no dog tax credit shall be allowed in Chatham County for the payment of a rabies vaccination fee.

H. B. 960. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Nash County.

H. B. 977. An Act authorizing the appointment of an authority to control the management of a Memorial Stadium to be erected by Durham County.

H. B. 981. An Act to amend Chapter 741 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to increase the annual contribution from the Town of Graham to the Graham Public Library.

H. B. 985. An Act amending General Statutes 14-335 so as to include Gates County within the provisions thereof.

H. B. 986. An Act to amend General Statutes 163-175 so as to make Paragraph 6 thereof applicable to Greene County.

H. B. 988. An Act to amend General Statutes 106-516.1 relating to carnivals and similar amusements in Greene County.

H. B. 993. An Act relating to costs in criminal cases in the Town of Woodland.
H. B. 994. An Act to amend Chapter 1301 of the Session Laws of 1953 regulating the cutting of forest seed trees in Gates County so as to make the provisions of said Chapter applicable to Northampton County.

H. B. 997. An Act authorizing the Commissioners of the Town of Fairmont to lease or sell at private sale its ice plant property.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the House takes a recess until 2:30 o'clock P.M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House meets pursuant to its recess, Mr. Whitley presiding, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Whitley, Harris and Womble of Wake:

H. B. 1189, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Raleigh with respect to initiative and referendum elections.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 438, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Dallas, in Gaston County.

On motion of Mr. Long the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 832, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 445 of the Session Laws of 1945, relating to the employee's retirement system of Union County.

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

H. B. 915, a bill to be entitled An act to validate tax levies and tax sales of the Town of Aulander.

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

H. B. 962, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 3 of Chapter 222, Private Laws of 1893, as rewritten by Section 1 of Chapter 231, Session Laws of 1943, relating to the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Grimesland and creating the office of Judge of the Municipal Court of said town.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 975, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of the City of Jacksonville, in Onslow County, the question of whether or not the City Council shall be elected by the voters of the city at large.

On motion of Mr. Thomas the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 1006, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Elizabethtown in Bladen County.

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

H. B. 1016, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a Town Manager for the Town of Spencer, North Carolina.

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

H. B. 1017, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Spencer to sell certain property at private sale.

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

H. B. 1019, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 178 of the Private Laws of 1929 as it relates to the salaries of the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Salisbury.

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

H. B. 1020, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the City of Salisbury and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the City of Salisbury for a distance of one mile in all directions.

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

H. B. 1021, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1097 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the Quad-County Peace Officers' Relief Association.

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

H. B. 1023, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 340 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1026, a bill to be entitled An act prescribing the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort County.

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

H. B. 1027, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Graham County for industrial developments and other purposes.

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

H. B. 1028, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 191, Session Laws of 1947, so as to fix the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Graham County for his services as Judge of the Juvenile Court.

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

H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 239 of the 1955 Session Laws providing for the creation of planning and zoning areas in certain portions of Guilford County.

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

H. B. 1036, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-107 to provide for the appointment of a counselor for the Domestic Relations Court of Buncombe County.

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

H. B. 1037, a bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of the Register of Deeds and Coroner of Camden County.

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

H. B. 1038, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Chadbourn in Columbus County.

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

H. B. 1039, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe compensation for aldermen of the Town of Bladenboro in Bladen County.

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

H. B. 1040, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 82 of the Public Laws of 1913 relative to the boundaries of the counties of Ashe and Wilkes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1042, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of the Justices of the peace in Avery County.

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

H. B. 1046, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 293, Public-Local and Private Laws of 1941, as amended, relating to the establishment of a pension fund for the retirement and disability of the members of the Fire Department of the City of High Point.

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

H. B. 1047, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 405 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to payment to the Chief Deputy Sheriff of Wilkes County of the sum of $600.00 for the operation of automobiles.

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

H. B. 1050, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 1, Chapter 570 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina to provide twenty-five dollars ($25.00) for monthly expense of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Carteret County.

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

H. B. 1052, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 7-274 of the General Statutes relating to the authority of the clerk of the general county court to issue warrants so as to make the third sentence of said Section applicable to Alamance County.

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

H. B. 1054, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Ann May Jennings.

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

H. B. 1055, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Russell Gant, his heirs and assigns.

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

H. B. 1062, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Warren County Board of Education to sell and convey certain property to the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County at private sale.

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

H. B. 1063, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of Mayor of the Town of Mount Olive in Wayne County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1065, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 607 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Craven to annually appropriate not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500.00) to aid any agricultural, animal, or poultry exhibition held within said county.

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

H. B. 1067, a bill to be entitled An act providing additional compensation for Clerk of the Superior Court, for Register of Deeds and the County Accountant of Clay County and fixing the compensation of the county commissioners and members of the County Board of Education of Clay County.

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

H. B. 1068, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 24, Session Laws of 1949, so as to require candidates for Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Hayesville to pay a filing fee.

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

H. B. 1069, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees, costs and commissions to be charged and collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court and the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

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

H. B. 1070, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Snow Hill one mile in all directions from the corporate limits of said town.

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

H. B. 1073, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of Education of Dare County.

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

H. B. 1074, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 9-1 relating to the jury list in Caswell County.

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

H. B. 1075, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Caswell County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1077, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations as to the Town of Wallace.

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

H. B. 1078, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 604 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to travel allowances and other expenses of certain officers of Granville County.

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

H. B. 1079, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers one mile beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Draper, Rockingham County.

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

H. B. 1080, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions of property lying and being in the City of Salisbury or within one mile outside thereof.

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

H. B. 1084, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 429, Session Laws of 1945, so as to fix the terms of office of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners for the Town of Murphy at 4 years.

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

H. B. 1086, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 768 of the Session Laws of 1943 so as to fix the court costs of divorce actions in the Recorder's Court of Nash County and to provide for the payment of the same in advance.

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

H. B. 1088, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County for industrial development and other purposes.

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

H. B. 1089, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 859 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salaries of the Sheriff, the Register of Deeds, and the Clerk of Superior Court of Lenoir County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1090, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 402 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the establishment of Winston-Salem Firemen's Retirement Fund Association.

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

H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to sell or lease certain real property to the City of Washington.

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

H. B. 1103, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-113 limiting the number of justices of the peace to be elected in the City of Washington.

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

H. B. 1108, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Southport to establish and regulate Daylight Saving Time in the City of Southport.

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

H. B. 1115, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 221 of the 1951 Session Laws relating to the compensation of the Tax Collector of Avery County.

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

H. B. 1116, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 634 of the Session Laws of 1951, as amended, relating to the annual salary of the Sheriff of Avery County.

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

H. B. 1117, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 189 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the fees of the Register of Deeds of Avery County.

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

H. B. 1118, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Avery County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1119, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-40 and General Statutes 161-2 relating to the compensation and term of office of the Register of Deeds of Avery County.

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

H. B. 1120, a bill to be entitled An act to raise the salary of one deputy sheriff of Avery County.

On motion of Mr. Long the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 1123, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 198, ratified the sixteenth of April, 1957, relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of Register of Deeds of Burke County.

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

H. B. 1124, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Tyrrell County and to arrest fees and mileage allowance of the Sheriff of Tyrrell County.

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

H. B. 1128, a bill to be entitled An act to validate certain tax levies and tax sales in Bertie County.

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

H. B. 1129, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-345 and to provide a schedule of discounts for prepayment of taxes in Harnett County.

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

S. B. 176, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 113-111 by adding “Franklin” to the list of counties in which there is no closed season for fox hunting.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 206, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discharge of firearms outside of and within one-quarter mile of the corporate limits of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, and prescribing a penalty for its violation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 313, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the sale of sixteen feet of land heretofore dedicated and established as an alley-way leading into the Gaston County Courthouse site and which is no longer needed for any county purposes.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 333, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Hickory.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 374, a bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxes on the property of Calvary Baptist Church of Hamlet, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 379, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the vesting of title to certain school property in the Gastonia City Board of Education and authorizing the conveyance of the legal title thereto to said Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 386, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the boards of education of the Robeson County school unit and of the several city administrative school units within Robeson County to pay for employees' group insurance.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 8:30 o'clock A. M. at which time only Public-Local legislation will be considered.

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EIGHTY-EIGHTH DAY

House of Representatives
Saturday, May 18, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Whitley, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by Mr. Whitley, Speaker Pro Tempore.

Mr. Harris of Wake reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8:00 o'clock P. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Fowler, Edward Farrell of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston, Hayden and Johnny Wiggs are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mrs. Rodenbough, Roy J. Parker, III, of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Stone, Ernest Graham Forrest, III, and Louis Plaster Forrest of Forsyth County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Bell, Jenny Lee Parker of Wake County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

**ENGROSSED BILLS**

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 438, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Dallas, in Gaston County.

H. B. 975, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of the City of Jacksonville, in Onslow County, the question of whether or not the City Council shall be elected by the voters of the city at large.

H. B. 1120, a bill to be entitled An act to raise the salary of one deputy sheriff of Avery County.

H. B. 908, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Articles 2 through 9 of Chapter 116 of the General Statutes and substituting a new Article 2 in lieu thereof.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:
By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 1190, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the organization of the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 1191, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 35 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the costs of tests and vaccinations in livestock markets.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 1192, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a law library for the public officials and courts in Cleveland County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Dill and Valentine:

H. B. 1193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 211 of the Private Laws of 1939 amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount for the purpose of authorizing the City of Rocky Mount to expend from its revenues received from its electric power system a sum not exceeding $25,000 for advertising the facilities of the City of Rocky Mount.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907 so as to provide for the election of the Recorder and Prosecuting Attorney of the Recorder's Court of the City of Rocky Mount.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 1195, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the judicial powers of the Mayor of Louisburg in Franklin County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Ferebee:

H. B. 1196, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Article V of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to exempt cash and credits arising from bank deposits from ad valorem taxation.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

And,

H. B. 1197, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 28 of Article II of the Constitution of North Carolina to provide that only five daily meet-
ings of the General Assembly shall be required during each week of the Session.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Britt:

H. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Bladen County to establish Recorder's Courts under the provisions of Article 24 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Powell:

H. B. 1199, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of confiscated pistols or guns in Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Umstead:

H. B. 1200, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 13 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to student loans for graduate students in sociology and psychology.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 24 of Sub-Chapter VI of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes relating to the establishment of municipal Recorder's Courts.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled An act creating three districts in Hyde County for the nomination and election of the Board of Education of said County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

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. 125, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 113-251 of the General Statutes, relating to obstruction of passage of fish in streams.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

S. B. 288, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.
S. B. 331, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to civil defense.

Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

S. B. 365, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-210 relating to group life insurance.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

S. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Hickory, for an election in furtherance thereof, for the repeal of the Charter of the Town of Longview, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 409, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 1 of Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the classification of militia.

Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

S. B. 413, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Person County to appoint game wardens in townships of said county and to provide for their fees.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 414, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 127-111 relating to the State Guard of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

S. B. 418, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the title to real and personal property in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, formerly owned by Charlotte Community Chest, Inc.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 450, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Asheville to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for airports and landing fields within or without the limits of said city and in either Buncombe County or Henderson County or both said counties.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 420, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-2 relating to the taking of acknowledgments by officers of the armed forces of the United States.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 422, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that religious, educational, or charitable corporations, institutions or religious bodies have an insurable interest in employees or agents.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

H. B. 225, a bill to be entitled An act to amend various sections of Chapter 48 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the
adoption of minors, and to amend Section 110-36 of the General Statutes, relating to the authority of judges of juvenile courts.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 668, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 15 of the General Statutes so as to prohibit justices of the peace becoming bail for any prisoner for money or property.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Venters the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said district.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the House concurs in the Senate amendment which constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for second reading roll call.

H. B. 862, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 1 of Chapter 401, Session Laws of 1951 fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Mitchell County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Burleson 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. 1057, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to defer the quadrennial revaluation of real estate in said county and to raise revenue to defray the cost of revaluation.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Long,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1064, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Onslow County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Onslow County to employ experts and to enter into necessary contracts for said service.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1083, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the power board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said board, appointing members thereof, and authorizing certain expenditures of said board.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1087, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9, so as to include Martin County within the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1107, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Chapter 624 of the 1955 Session Laws relating to the incorporation of the Town of Yaupon Beach, North Carolina, in Brunswick County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 761, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


 Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1005, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 13C of Chapter 131, 1955 Supplement to Volume 3B of the General Statutes, authorizing counties to borrow money on behalf of hospital districts to pay appropriations and maturing principal and interest of bonds of said district.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 326, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain provisions of Chapter 86 of the General Statutes of North Carolina entitled "Barbers."

On motion of Mr. Bowman consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, May 22, 1957.

S. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 9 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to liens of assessments for local improvements.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-37 relating to the apportionment of certain funds between municipalities.
On motion of Mr. Philpott consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 912, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize zoning of potential flood areas so as to make citizens of North Carolina eligible to receive benefits under the Federal Flood Insurance Act of 1956.

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

H. B. 917, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30-9 of the General Statutes relating to conveyance of real estate by husband.

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

H. B. 922, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-45 (o) so as to authorize county and municipal boards of alcoholic control, in their discretion, to expend not more than five per cent of their total profits for education as to the effects of the use of alcohol.

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

H. R. 946, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to modify or rescind agreements and treaties with foreign nations with respect to trials of members of the armed forces of the United States who are or may be charged with criminal offenses.

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

H. B. 952, a bill to be entitled An act pertaining to notice to property owners by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

On motion of Mr. Philpott consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

H. B. 953, a bill to be entitled An act adopting daylight savings time for this state for the period from the last Sunday in April until the last Sunday in October of each year.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Kerr moves that the bill do lie upon the table, the motion fails.

Mr. Lloyd offers an amendment.

Mr. Venters moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Lloyd lie upon the table, the motion sustains.

Mr. Gobble moves the previous question.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its second reading. The bill passes its second reading, as amended.

Mr. Thomas of Johnston objects to the third reading of the bill.
Mr. Bost moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on its third reading, the motion fails and the bill remains on the Calendar for its third reading, as amended.

H. B. 983, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-286 relating to the jurisdiction of general county courts in civil actions.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 990, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 7, Chapter 113 of the General Statutes so as to legalize the possession, sale and transportation of ring-neck pheasants and chukar partridges propagated in captivity.

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

S. B. 65, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provision of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 88, a bill to be entitled An act repealing the proviso appearing at the end of the first paragraph of General Statutes 115-120, relating to the calling of elections to consolidate a part of a county school district with an adjoining city administration unit.

On motion of Mr. Umstead the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

S. B. 131, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 153 of the General Statutes so as to increase the maximum number of members who may serve on a county planning board.

On motion of Mr. Kiser consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, May 22, 1957.

S. B. 165, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 66-10 relating to records to be kept by junk dealers.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 272, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-20.2 (b) relating to the place of registration of mortgages on personal property and to amend certain parts of Section I of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session
Laws (The Business Corporation Act) and Section 1 of Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act).

On motion of Mr. Kerr consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 21, 1957.

S. B. 332, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15, Chapter 14 of the General Statutes to provide that the burning of a building or structure in the process of construction be a criminal offense.

On motion of Mr. Bost the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 305, a bill to be entitled An act establishing an official toast to the State of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 307, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Article 36 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to plant pest.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the signers of the Declaration of Independence and will meet tomorrow at 11:30 A. M.

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NINETIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 21, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Carolyn Inez Lloyd and Priscilla Lynn Lloyd, daughters of Representative and Mrs. Lloyd of Graham County, are made honorary pageants of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Craig H. B. 495, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Luther Seavy Cain for personal injuries sustained in an accident as a result of negligence of an employee of the State Highway
and Public Works Commission on September 3, 1955" is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the following message is read and ordered spread upon the Journal.

Indian Trail Road
Edenton, North Carolina
May 17, 1957

Mr. President and Mr. Speaker:

I have been advised that both Houses of the General Assembly on May 16, 1957, adopted House Resolution 1132 which designates the highway bridge on North Carolina Route 32 across Albemarle Sound as "The J. C. B. Ehringhaus Memorial Bridge." It is something of a coincidence that this resolution was introduced and adopted exactly twenty-four years after he stood in your halls to thank the 1933 General Assembly for its help in rescuing the State from its then most perilous position.

The action taken now is one which is of particular significance to his family. As the resolution implies, the isolation of the Albemarle section was of great concern to him, and his interest in and devotion to the development of the bridge projects in the area was deep.

May I convey through you to the members of the Senate and the House the appreciation of a grateful family, and the hope that, by such gracious recognition of a past service, there is stimulus to higher contribution to the good of the State and the welfare of its people.

Most respectfully,

/s/ Matilda Haughton Ehringhaus

Honorable Luther E. Barnhardt
Lieutenant Governor of North Carolina
State Capitol
Raleigh, North Carolina

Honorable J. K. Doughton
Speaker, House of Representatives
State Capitol
Raleigh, North Carolina

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 983, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-286 relating to the jurisdiction of general county courts in civil actions.
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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 869, a bill to be entitled An act to impose a privilege license tax on medical doctors and to use the proceeds to aid in maintaining tax supported hospitals.

Reported without prejudice.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the bill is recommitted to Committee on Finance.

H. B. 892, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to the securing of waiver of liens for labor, materials and equipment outstanding against construction projects.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 969, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Part 1 of Article 3 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes relating to Old Age Assistance liens.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motorboats, powerboats, and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1138, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Wrightsville Beach in New Hanover County to sell and convey property in certain instances.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1150, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 51-6 relating to the issuance of marriage licenses.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1167, a bill to be entitled An act to require the County Commissioners of Chatham County to turn into the general fund all taxes collected for the year 1955, and all prior years.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 relating to public drunkenness so as to make a part thereof applicable to Chatham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1195, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the judicial powers of the Mayor of Louisburg in Franklin County.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1151, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to designation of draftsmen of instruments to be probated or recorded so as to make said section applicable to Lincoln County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1152, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-392 of the General Statutes relative to the method of notifying a taxpayer in foreclosure proceeding.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1166, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Accountant of Chatham County to transfer certain surplus funds to the general fund of the county to be used for general county permanent improvements.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-57 relating to testimony of husband or wife in prosecution for bigamy and bigamous cohabitation.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 388, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 87-26 relating to plumbing and heating contracting so as to provide for the issuance of license in the name of a corporation, partnership or trade name.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 390, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Raymond Vernon Wilson to file and prosecute his claim under the State Tort Claims Act for an injury received by him while a public school pupil in Gaston County.

With a favorable report.

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

By Mr. Long, for the Committee on Public Utilities.

H. B. 766, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 147-45 relating to the distribution to the Utilities Commission of Supreme Court reports and session laws.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 767, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the North Carolina Utilities Commission to enact rules and regulations governing the internal affairs and business of said commission and to require the Chairman of the Commission to administer and execute said rules and regulations.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 768, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 62 of Volume 2B of the General Statutes relating to the issuance and distribution of reports
of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, authorizing the use of certified mail in addition to registered mail for the purpose of serving certain notices, and to regulate the issuance of notices required by the Bus Act of 1949.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Long the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton for the Committee on Health.

H. B. 789, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 101 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to names of persons.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. R. 974, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to study the cause and control of cancer in North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 987, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling and clairvoyance in Greene County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1142, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the vaccination of dogs in Mecklenburg County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 680, a bill to be entitled An act to make the State Highway and Public Works Commission and others liable for damages resulting from interfering with the natural flow of water.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 755, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 40-2 so as to authorize the State Stream Sanitation Committee or the State Board of Health to authorize the exercise of the power of eminent domain in order to effectuate the purposes of Article 21, Chapter 143, and Article 10, Chapter 130, of the General Statutes.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1199, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of confiscated pistols or guns in Rockingham County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 274, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor and Council of State to convey certain property located in the City of Raleigh to Shaw University.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 291, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 26-5 relating to contribution among sureties.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 304, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name of the draftsman.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 320, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the central registration of all decrees of divorce.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 376, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30.1 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to liens on the real property of recipients of old age assistance.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 377, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-135 relating to the letting of public contracts in Halifax County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 so as to fix the punishment for public drunkenness in Halifax County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 418, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the title to real and personal property in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, formerly owned by Charlotte Community Chest, Inc.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 450, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Asheville to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for airports and landing fields within or without the limits of said city and in either Buncombe County or Henderson County or both said counties.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

S. B. 80, a bill to be entitled An act creating an Interdepartmental Building Regulation Committee to coordinate the activities of state agencies in the field of building regulation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 903, a bill to be entitled An act to require that at least one member of the Merit System Council shall have had experience in county government; that the Merit System Council and the State Personnel Council have two common members; to clarify the classification authority of the Merit System Council and the State Personnel Council; and to provide that
certain regulations of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, the Merit System Council, the State Board of Health, and the State Board of Public Welfare shall under certain circumstances be advisory only.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Randolph County to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1113, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 613 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 so as to provide for the election and compensation of a Clerk of the Recorder's Court in the Town of Mooresville.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Bell the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1148, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to adopt subdivision regulations regarding the platting of subdivisions in Durham County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1156, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 98 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the keeping of bears in captivity in Jackson County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act to reactivate the municipal government of the Town of Swanns in Lee County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth, for the Committee on Higher Education.

H. B. 1081, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a revolving fund for the construction of self-liquidating college facilities.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1139, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1060 of the Session Laws of 1945 to authorize the Board of Education of New Hanover County to pass the necessary resolutions of election to place Wilmington College under the Community College Act.

With a favorable report.

The bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture.
H. B. 1191, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 35 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the costs of tests and vaccinations in livestock markets.

With a favorable report.

The following amendment to the House Rules is sent forward and referred to the Committee on Rules:

ADD AT END OF RULE 54

If any action of finality of consideration is taken on any bill by a committee not specifically required to be reported, such action must be reported and a minority report thereon is privileged as under Rule 71, and, if adopted, the bill shall take its place on the favorable calendar for consideration.

Offered by:
/s/ H. Clifton Blue      George Uzzell
    Henry H. Wilson, Jr.    E. K. Powe
    H. P. Taylor, Jr.       C. H. Harriss
    David Clark            I. T. Valentine
    H. Cloyd Philpott      Floyd of Robeson

Radford Powell

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Messrs. Bell, Etheridge, Hunt, Griggs, Combs, Venters, Bowman, Delamar, Hewlett, Williams of Pasquotank, Whitehurst, and O'Neal:

H. R. 1203, a joint resolution declaring the legislative intent as to the state policy with respect to certain portions of the outer banks.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Mr. Wallace:

H. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 1205, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead in Montgomery County to sell cemetery lots owned by said town at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 1206, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 467 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the sale of beer in the Town of Whiteville.
Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Hardy, by request:

H. B. 1207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 119 of the General Statutes so as to require that vehicles used in making retail deliveries of liquid petroleum products shall be equipped with liquid meters with print-ticket attachment.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Craig:

H. B. 1208, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-95 relative to acknowledgments taken by notaries interested as trustees or holding other office.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Childers:

H. B. 1209, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-11 relating to county boards of public welfare as the same applies to Gaston County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Holcombe:

H. B. 1210, a bill to be entitled An act to make inapplicable a part of Chapter 57, Public-Local Laws of 1925, relating to Yancey County, so long as said county complies with the provisions of Article 5, Chapter 67 of the General Statutes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Williams of Pasquotank:

H. B. 1211, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pasquotank County and the City Council of the City of Elizabeth City to fix the salary of certain county officials.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Hewlett, by request, and Philpott:

H. B. 1212, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the definition of "conviction" in the Uniform Driver's License Act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bynum:

H. B. 1213, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Recorder's Court of Hamlet District, Richmond County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Griggs and Bell:
H. B. 1214, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the regulation, taxation, control, and licensing of racing within the State of North Carolina; to create and establish a State Racing Commission, prescribe its duties and authority; to fix the terms of office, compensation and manner of appointment of its members; to provide for county-wide referenda; to allocate revenues among the various counties of this state, and otherwise; to establish a procedure for the issuance of licenses to conduct racing operations; to regulate pari-mutuel pools conducted in connection with racing operations; to declare the purpose and intent of this act; to repeal conflicting laws; to establish the effective date; and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 1215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-340 and General Statutes 160-345 to prescribe the terms of office of Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Burlington in Alamance County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Doughton, by request:

H. B. 1216, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for listing and assessing property in Alleghany County for ad valorem taxes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Yarborough of Franklin, Shreve, Turner, Kemp and Hunt:

H. B. 1217, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Article 14, Chapter 115, of the General Statutes relating to special local tax elections for school purposes.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 460, ratified the 24th day of April, 1957, relating to the date for holding municipal elections in the Town of Cove City in Craven County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Bynum and Valentine:

H. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-143 so as to require vehicles carrying inflammable, explosive, or radioactive material to stop at certain railroad crossings.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Womble of Wake, and Whitley:

H. B. 1220, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Wake County to promulgate ordinances, rules, and regulations governing the parking of automobiles and other vehicles on property owned by Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
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. 189, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection 9 of Section 153-9 of the General Statutes concerning the designation of sites for county buildings and validating action heretofore taken by the board of commissioners of any county which complies with the requirements of said subsection as amended hereby.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 260, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an increase in the salaries of certain county employees of Stokes County, to authorize the County Commissioners of Stokes County to hire an additional clerk and to amend Chapter 837 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salaries and number of certain county officials of Stokes County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 381, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers, and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 388, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-116 relating to the operation of self-propelled grain combines on the highways of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 397, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain Sections of Subchapter 111 of Chapter 54 of the General Statutes, relating to the interest rate, fees, powers and duties and voluntary dissolution of credit unions.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

S. B. 406, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the State Personnel Director and Council to classify and set the salary ranges for positions covered by the State Personnel Act; to clarify responsibility for setting the number of allowable positions in each state agency.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

S. B. 424, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Iredell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Senate Committee Substitute for H. B. 810, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the parking authority of the City of Kinston to issue its notes to raise funds to acquire real property for parking purposes and to secure the payment of such notes by deed of trust upon the real estate so acquired.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
S. R. 454, a joint resolution fixing the time and place for a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives for the election of Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Coates the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

**CALENDAR**

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

S. B. 193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366, Public Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said city.

Mr. Love offers an amendment and calls for the "ayes" and "noes" on the adoption of same; the call sustained.

The roll of the House is called on the amendment offered by Mr. Love.

The amendment fails of adoption by the following vote.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Childers, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gobble, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Hughes, Hunt, Jordan, Kemp, Long, Maddrey, McKnight, Murphy, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snapp, Speight, Stone, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Umstead, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wallace, Whitehurst, Whitley, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Woodard of Wilson, Yarborough of Franklin, and Zollicoffer—65.

The following pair is announced: Mr. Wilson of Union votes "No," and Mr. Leake votes "Aye."

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading, as amended.
The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Arledge, Carpenter, Everett, Floyd of Columbus, Griggs, Hargett, Johnson, Kiser, Lloyd, Love, Phelps, Quinn, Reynolds, Ross, White, Wooten, and Yarborough of Franklin—17.

H. B. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said district.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 509 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the hunting of deer so as to repeal so much thereof as relates to Bladen County.
On motion of Mr. Hargett the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 890, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix certain terms of the Superior Court in Perquimans and Gates counties.

On motion of Mr. Holmes consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of a City Liquor Control Store in the Town of Wilkesboro upon a vote of the people and providing for the allocation of the net proceeds from the operation of such store.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Kiser calls for the “ayes” and “noes” on the passage of the bill on its second reading, as amended; the call sustains.

The bill passes its second reading, as amended, by the following vote.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burleson, Carpenter, Coates, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Eggers, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gavin, Gregory, Hargett, Holmes, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kiser, Maddrey, Martin, Murphy, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Satterfield, Simpson, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Wicker, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, and Woodard of Northampton—37.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading, as amended.

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

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Blue, Bowman, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Clark, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Gaither, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Hostetler, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Lloyd, Long, Love,

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burleson, Carpenter, Coates, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Eggers, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gavin, Gregory, Hargett, Holmes, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kiser, Maddrey, Martin, Murphy, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbourough, Satterfield, Simpson, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Wicker, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, and Woodard of Northampton—37.

H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment of members of the Board of Veterans' Affairs for Lee County.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 953, a bill to be entitled An act adopting daylight savings time for this state for the period from the last Sunday in April until the last Sunday in October of each year.

Mr. Buchanan offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. Gregory offers an amendment which is ruled out of order.

Messrs. Jordan and Crawford of Buncombe offer an amendment.

Mr. Whitley moves that the amendment offered by Messrs. Jordan and Crawford of Buncombe lie on the table, the motion fails.

The amendment offered by Messrs. Jordan and Crawford of Buncombe is adopted.

Mr. Gobble calls the previous question, the call sustains.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading, as amended.

The bill, as amended, fails to pass its third reading.

H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 133-1.1 requiring buildings involving the expenditure of public funds to be designed and inspected by engineers and architects.

Mr. Long offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Reynolds offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, May 22, 1957.

S. B. 393, a bill to be entitled An act amending the public school laws of North Carolina as they relate to the sale of public school property.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, May 22, 1957.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 176. An Act amending General Statutes 113-111 by adding Franklin to the list of counties in which there is no closed season for fox hunting.

S. B. 206. An Act to prohibit the discharge of firearms outside of and within one-quarter mile of the corporate limits of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, and prescribing a penalty for its violation.

S. B. 277. An Act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and real estate salesmen in North Carolina and to create the North Carolina Real Estate Licensing Board and define its powers and duties, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of the act.

S. B. 284. An Act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Durham County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

S. B. 313. An Act to authorize the sale of sixteen feet of land heretofore dedicated and established as an alleyway leading into the Gaston County Courthouse site and which is no longer needed for any county purposes.

S. B. 233. An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Hickory.

S. B. 374. An Act relating to ad valorem taxes on the property of Calvary Baptist Church of Hamlet, North Carolina.

S. B. 379. An Act authorizing the vesting of title to certain school property in the Gastonia City Board of Education and authorizing the conveyance of the legal title thereto to said Board of Education.

S. B. 386. An Act to authorize the Boards of Education of the Robeson County School Unit and of the several City Administrative School Units within Robeson County to pay for employees' group insurance.

H. B. 173. An Act to enable employees of county and city administrative school units to participate voluntarily in the United States Treasury's
payroll savings plan for the purchase of United States Savings Bonds on a systematic partial payment basis.


H. B. 496. An Act to eliminate duplication among, and to improve the effectiveness of, the water resource programs of the state.

H. B. 558. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-128 relating to the depositing of trash near highways.

H. B. 722. An Act to create bird sanctuaries within the Towns of Snow Hill, Walstonburg, and Hookerton in Greene County.

H. B. 783. An Act to set the compensation for members of the Board of Commissioners of Edgecombe County.

H. B. 805. An Act to amend General Statutes 152-5 so as to increase the compensation of the Coroner of Transylvania County.

H. B. 830. An Act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Lake Waccamaw.

H. B. 833. An Act to authorize the City Council of the City of Hickory to enlarge and adjust the ward boundaries so as to include additional territories heretofore and hereafter annexed to the City of Hickory under the provisions of Article 36 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

H. B. 835. An Act relating to the compensation of the Vice Recorder and Assistant Solicitor of the Harnett County Recorder's Court.

H. B. 837. An Act rewriting Section 1, Chapter 544, Session Laws of 1945, fixing the fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of Yancey County.

H. B. 838. An Act amending Chapter 402, Public-Local Laws of 1925, relating to fees to be charged by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County.


H. B. 861. An Act authorizing the Commissioners of Mitchell County to fix the salaries of the County Accountant and his deputies, clerks and assistants.

H. B. 888. An Act relating to the compensation and duties of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Graham County.

H. B. 894. An Act to provide for turnkey fees in bills of costs in Courts of Justices of the Peace in Onslow County.

H. B. 909. An Act to amend General Statutes 162-6 relating to the fees of the Sheriff of Cumberland County.
H. B. 911. An Act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the Corporate limits of the Town of Pilot Mountain in Surry County.

H. B. 916. An Act setting the salaries of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Aulander.

H. B. 918. An Act rewriting Section 1 of Chapter 754, Session Laws of 1953, so as to fix the corporate limits of the Town of Bethel in Pitt County.

H. B. 942. An Act to amend General Statutes 106-408 relating to the hours of sale of livestock at auction in Lee County.

H. B. 957. An Act to fix the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners of Chatham County.

H. B. 959. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to allow the Board of County Commissioners of Nash County to fix the fees charged by certain county officers.

H. B. 966. An Act to establish certain fees and mileage payments as to Township Constables and Town Policemen in Northampton County.

H. B. 1001. An Act amending General Statutes 7-134 so as to fix the fees to be charged by Justices of the Peace of McDowell County.

S. B. 305. An Act establishing an official toast to the State of North Carolina.

H. B. 225. An Act to amend various sections of Chapter 48 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the adoption of minors, and to amend Section 110-36 of the General Statutes relating to the authority of judges of juvenile courts.

H. B. 583. An Act to amend Section 143-135 of the General Statutes relating to public building contracts to regulate the construction of school buildings in Moore County.

H. B. 585. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Burke County to adjust delinquent taxes accruing from foreclosure proceedings.

H. B. 622. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Burke County.

H. B. 668. An Act to amend Chapter 15 of the General Statutes so as to prohibit justices of the peace becoming bail for any prisoner for money or property.


H. B. 770. An Act to amend Chapter 163 of the General Statutes relating to permanent registration of voters in certain counties of the state, to the powers of county boards of elections, registrars and special registration
commissioners in such counties, and to the assistance of certain voters in such counties.

H. B. 823. An Act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Sylva in Jackson County to establish a reserve fund for permanent improvement purposes.

H. B. 862. An Act amending Section 1 of Chapter 401, Session Laws of 1951, fixing the compensation of the Sheriff of Mitchell County.

H. B. 898. An Act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes relating to liens on colts, calves and pigs.


H. B. 913. An Act relating to special assessments levied by the Town of Ahoskie.

H. B. 1049. An Act relating to fire protection in Granville County.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11:45 A. M.

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NINETY-FIRST DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 22, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

May 22, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to Joint Resolution No. 454 entitled, "a joint resolution fixing the time and place for a joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives for the election of Trustees of the Greater
University of North Carolina," the Senate stands ready to repair to the Hall of the House, there to sit in joint session with your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

JOINT SESSION

Pursuant to S. R. 454 entitled, "a joint resolution fixing the time and place for a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives for the election of Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina," and exchange of messages between the House and the Senate, the Sergeant-At-Arms of the House announces the approach of the Senate, and that Body, preceded by its officers, come into the Hall of the House and are assigned seats, President Barnhardt at the right of Mr. Speaker Doughton.

The Speaker of the House calls the Joint assembly to order and states its object is to elect Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina.

The Clerk of the Senate calls the roll of the Senate and the following Senators answer the call:


The Clerk of the House calls the roll of the House and the following members answer the call:


The Speaker of the House, Mr. Doughton, declares a quorum present and the Joint Session proceeds with its business.

Senator Whitley, on behalf of the Joint Committee of the Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina, sends forward the following report in writing:
REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRUSTEES OF THE GREATER UNIVERSITY TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA, SESSION 1957.

To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Gentlemen:

A meeting of the Joint Committee on University Trustees was held May 21, 1957, for the purpose of selecting nominees for membership on the Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, to be submitted to the Joint Session. In accordance with instructions received from our Joint Committee, we hereby submit the following nominations:

For regular 8-year term:

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For six-year term:

Mrs. Mary McIver Stanford | Chapel Hill, N. C. | Orange |

For four-year term:

Dr. Roy B. McKnight | Charlotte, N. C. | Mecklenburg |

For two-year term:

J. W. York | Raleigh, N. C. | Wake |
| George Nick Noble | Trenton, N. C. | Jones |

Very truly yours,

(S) A. J. Whitley, Chairman

Senate Committee on University Trustees
On motion of Senator Whitley, seconded by Mr. Coates, the report of the Joint Committee is adopted by the following vote of the Senate and the House.

The Clerk of the House calls the roll of the House and the following members answer the call:


The Clerk of the Senate calls the roll of the Senate and the following members answer the call:


Mr. Speaker Doughton declares nominees named in the report duly elected.

On motion of Senator Currie the Joint Session dissolves, the Senate repairs to its Chamber, and the House resumes consideration of business.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 21, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent the House of Representatives requesting the return of S. B. 157 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to establish minimum wages in North Carolina," for further consideration by the Senate.

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk
Respectfully,
STATEMENT BY MEMBER

After an examination of the Journal, I find that the Journal of May 21, 1957, shows that I did not vote on S. B. 193, which is the Charlotte City Limits Extension Bill. This omission is apparently the result of confusion and is a mistake. When the roll was called on this bill, I was present in my seat and voted "Aye."

(S) Dan R. Simpson
Representative Burke County

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 271, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting General Statutes 133-1.1 requiring buildings involving the expenditure of public funds to be designed and inspected by engineers and architects.

H. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 509 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the hunting of deer, so as to repeal so much thereof as relates to Bladen County.

H. B. 901, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of a city liquor control store in the Town of Wilkesboro upon a vote of the people and providing for the allocation of the net proceeds from the operation of such store.

H. B. 941, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the appointment of members of the Board of Veterans Affairs for Lee County.

REPORT 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. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 1164, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Mount Airy in Surry County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the municipal privilege license tax on security dealers.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-116 so as to authorize county-wide supplemental tax elections prior to the consolidation of city administrative units with the county administrative unit.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-102 relating to license taxes on junk dealers.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 279, Public-Local Laws of 1937, relating to the creation of school districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of school districts or special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts or units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder, and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1162, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the issuance of ten million dollars in bonds of the state to provide for capital improvements for state institutions and agencies.

With a favorable report.

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

H. B. 1163, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 559, Public-Local Laws of 1935, relating to the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1192, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a Law Library for the public officials and courts in Cleveland County.

With a favorable report.
By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education

H. B. 699, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the election of members of county boards of education.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 707, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the State Board of Education to provide a limited number of scholarships for certain school bus drivers from savings effected by said drivers in the operation of the school buses during the school year.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 989, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Lumberton City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Lumberton.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Guilford County Board of Education to sell certain real property without offering the same at public auction.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1160, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the compensation of members of the Board of Education of Wilkes County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1175, a bill to be entitled An act granting certain additional powers to Board of Education of Mecklenburg County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled An act creating three districts in Hyde County for the nomination and election of the Board of Education of said county.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 190, a bill to be entitled An act to require that courses in state and national government be taught in the public schools of North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 568, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-51 relating to the fees of physicians making examinations of mentally disordered persons in Johnston County.

With a favorable report, as amended.
H. B. 1121, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and other members of the Board of County Commissioners of Robeson County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1122, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 121 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to compensation of jurors in Robeson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1157, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of justices of the peace in Hyde County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1161, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court, Sheriff, the Register of Deeds of Forsyth County, and to revise provisions with respect to the Special Trust Fund created by Chapter 147, Session Laws of 1943, for said Clerk of Superior Court's office.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1187, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Mayor and the Commissioners of the City of Oxford.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Craig, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the terms of the Superior Court of Chatham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1044, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the law relating to the Municipal-County Court of the City of Kinston and County of Lenoir.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Bladen County to establish Recorder's Courts under the provisions of Article 24 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 343, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the terms of Superior Court in Hertford County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Long, for the Committee on Public Utilities.
H. B. 932, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 95 of the General Statutes so as to empower the North Carolina Department of Labor to make, promulgate and enforce rules and regulations to provide for the safety, sanitation, health and well-being of the employees of railroads or railways.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Whitley, for the Committee on Banks and Banking.

S. B. 359, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 54 of the General Statutes relating to books and records of building and loan associations.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 947, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-145 relating to filling vacancies among candidates.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a new registration of voters in the Town of Sylva in Jackson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1147, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the election of municipal officers of the Town of Castalia in Nash County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-91 relating to the proclamation of result of general elections.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1170, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 734, Session Laws of 1955, relating to the appointment of election officials for the City of Winston-Salem by the Forsyth County Board of Elections, the consolidation of the City of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County election books, and the creating of a central registration system for the voters of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-151 relating to the names of candidates on ballots used in primary or general elections.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 295, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize calling of elections on extension of Red Springs town limits.

With an unfavorable report.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Uzzell offers the following House Resolution which is received and filed for consideration after one days' notice under Rule 41.

HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, S. B. No. 157, being a bill to be entitled An act to establish minimum wages in North Carolina, was acted upon favorably by the State Senate after consideration by a Senate Committee; and

WHEREAS, said bill was sent to the House of Representatives and duly assigned by the Speaker to the Committee on Manufacturers and Labor for consideration and report of its recommendations as provided by House Rule No. 54; and

WHEREAS, said Committee, by a majority vote thereof, tabled said bill in the Committee, thus eliminating a report and recommendations to the House of Representatives in conformity with legislative procedure and the Rules of the House; and

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives cannot condone and give its approval to such action by its own failure to recognize its responsibility.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

Section 1. That the Committee on Manufacturers and Labor be, and it is hereby instructed and directed to comply with the mandatory provision of House Rule No. 54, in that said Committee shall report Senate Bill No. 157 to the House of Representatives with such recommendations as the Committee may desire to make.

Section 2. That said report and recommendations shall be made to the House of Representatives on or before the 24th day of May, 1957, to the end that the House of Representatives may give consideration to and take such action as it may deem proper on same.

Section 3. That this Resolution shall be effective from and after its adoption.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. R. 1221, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to repeal the excise taxes on the transportation of persons and property in interstate and intrastate commerce.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Gobble and Stone:

H. B. 1222, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the revaluation and reassessment of real and personal property for taxation in Forsyth County

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Jordan, Craig, and Crawford of Buncombe:
H. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 130-37 so as to provide for the appointment of members of sanitary district boards in the event no members thereof were elected at the general election in November, 1956.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 1224, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2 of Chapter 266, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Buncombe County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. White and Taylor:

H. B. 1225, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30.2 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to liens upon the real property of a recipient of old age assistance.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Womble of Wake, Harris of Wake and Whitley:

H. B. 1226, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 280 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 relating to trials by jury in the Recorder's Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1227, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Jones of Pitt and Wooten:

H. B. 1228, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Pitt County Board of Education to convey title to the Old Ayden Elementary school property to the Town of Ayden.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Bost and Quinn:

H. B. 1229, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Concord to change terms of office for certain appointive officials.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 1230, a bill to be entitled An act to dissolve the Charter of "Trustees of North Carolina College" formerly of Mount Pleasant, North Carolina, and to repeal Chapter 357, Private Laws of 1909, creating said
corporation, and Chapter 1, Private Laws, Extra Session 1921, and Chapter 13, Private Laws of 1939, relating to the Charter of "Trustees of North Carolina College," and all other acts and amendments relating to said "Trustees of North Carolina College."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 1231, a bill to be entitled An act giving authority to the Board of County Commissioners of Harnett County to appropriate from county funds a sum of money not exceeding twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) to be used for the construction of the General William C. Lee Memorial.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hostetler:

H. B. 1232, a bill to be entitled An act to define the status of real estate held by the entirety upon the declaration and finding that one of the tenants by entirety is presumed to be dead as a person missing and unheard from within seven years.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Buchanan, Gaither, Crawford of Swain, Lloyd, Martin, Crawford of Buncombe, Ferebee, Arledge, Randall, Houk and McCrary:

H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Western North Carolina Regional Planning Commission and authorizing counties and municipalities to contribute to its support.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 1234, a bill to be entitled An act to create a law enforcement officers' relief fund for the peace officers association of Brunswick County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 1235, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Craven, in its discretion, to postpone the revaluation of taxable real property situate in said county, not later than the year 1961.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 1236, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of justices of the peace in Currituck County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 1237, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 2 of Chapter 153 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and other Acts relating to the powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 1238, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of special bond tax districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of such districts and the levy of taxes within such districts for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Clark:

H. B. 1239, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Lincolnton to appropriate $500.00 to Lincoln County Life Saving and First Aid Crew, Inc.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

And,

H. B. 1240, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lincoln to appropriate $500.00 to Lincoln County Life Saving and First Aid Crew, Inc.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Clark:

H. B. 1241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 143 of the General Statutes relating to stream sanitation.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 22, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate has failed to concur in House Amendments to S. B. 65, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism," and requests a conference thereon. To this end the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Jones and Mason to act with a like committee on the part of the House to the end that the differences existing between the two bodies may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk
Pursuant to the above message of nonconcurrency, and appointment of Conferees, Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. Hewlett, Snepp and Zollicoffer and the Senate is so notified.

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. 408, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County to levy a special tax for the purpose of defraying the cost of revaluation and reassessment of real property in said county.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 459, a bill to be entitled An act to change the name of the Catawba River Nursery, established by the Department of Conservation and Development, so as to rename it the Ralph L. Edwards Nursery.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

H. B. 564, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the establishment of Henderson Township as a recreation district and the levying of a recreation system tax.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Zollicoffer 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. 778, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Monroe School Special Tax District and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for said district.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCravy, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act to reactivate the municipal government of the Town of Swanns in Lee County.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 616, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Randolph County to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property.

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

H. B. 987, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling and clairvoyance in Greene County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1148, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to adopt subdivision regulations regarding the platting of subdivisions in Durham County.

On motion of Mr. Hill the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 1151, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to designation of draftsmen of instruments to be probated or recorded so as to make said section applicable to Lincoln County.

On motion of Mr. Clark the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 1156, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 98 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the keeping of bears in captivity in Jackson County.

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

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor boats, power boats and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Wooten the Committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 1138, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Wrightsville Beach in New Hanover County to sell and convey property in certain instances.

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

H. B. 1142, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the vaccination of dogs in Mecklenburg County.

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

H. B. 1166, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the county accountant of Chatham County to transfer certain surplus funds to the general fund of the county to be used for general county permanent improvements.

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

H. B. 1167, a bill to be entitled An act to require the County Commissioners of Chatham County to turn into the general fund all taxes collected for the year 1955 and all prior years.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1168, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335, relating to public drunkenness, so as to make a part thereof applicable to Chatham County.

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

H. B. 1195, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the judicial powers of the Mayor of Louisburg in Franklin County.

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

H. B. 1199, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of confiscated pistols or guns in Rockingham County.

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

S. B. 377, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 143-135 relating to the letting of public contracts in Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-335 so as to fix the punishment for public drunkenness in Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 418, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the title to real and personal property in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, formerly owned by Charlotte Community Chest, Inc.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 450, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the City of Asheville to exercise the power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for airports and landing fields within or without the limits of said city and in either Buncombe County or Henderson County or both said counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 326, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain provisions of Chapter 86 of the General Statutes of North Carolina entitled "Barbers."

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 388, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 87-26 relating to plumbing and heating contracting so as to provide for the issuance of license in the name of a corporation, partnership or trade name.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-37 relating to the apportionment of certain funds between municipalities.

On motion of Mr. Taylor consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, May 24, 1957.

H. B. 436, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-210 so as to increase from $20,000.00 to $40,000.00 the maximum group life insurance policy coverage as to any one person.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 454. A Joint Resolution fixing the time and place for a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives for the election of Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina.

S. B. 165. An Act to amend General Statutes 66-10 relating to records to be kept by junk dealers.

S. B. 332. An Act amending Article 15, Chapter 14 of the General Statutes to provide that the burning of a building or structure in the process of construction be a criminal offense.

S. B. 335. An Act to amend Article 9 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes relating to liens of assessments for local improvements.


H. B. 874. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County to levy a special tax for the construction of county office buildings.

H. B. 889. An Act to create a Cemetery Commission for the County of Graham, to fix its duties and to provide for the submission of the question of special tax for said purposes to the voters of the County of Graham at an election.

H. B. 904. An Act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Warren County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County to employ experts and to enter into the necessary contracts for said service and to authorize the levying of a special tax therefor.

H. B. 929. An Act to amend Part 8, Article 18 of Chapter 160, relating to the authority of a municipality to acquire and maintain light, water, sewer and gas facilities.

H. B. 963. An Act authorizing the Town of Elon College to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $50,000.00 for paying the cost of street improvements, and repealing H. B. 56, ratified on April 12, 1957, relating to the issuance of bonds by said town.

H. B. 979. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Alamance County to levy annually a special tax for the construction of an addition
to the county courthouse to house the general county offices and to construct a building or buildings for the Alamance County Department of Public Welfare.

On motion of Mr. White the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11:30 A. M.

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NINETY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 23, 1957

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

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Leake is granted a leave of absence for the entire week, May 20 through May 25.

On motion of Mr. Griggs the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable E. R. Johnston of Currituck County, former member of the House.

On motion of Mr. Etheridge H. B. 172, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights of way for state highways located within municipalities," is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 1008, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor boats, power boats and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina. 

H. B. 1148, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to adopt subdivision regulations regarding the platting of subdivisions in Durham County.
H. B. 1151, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to designation of draftsmen of instruments to be probated or recorded so as to make said section applicable to Lincoln County.

REPORT 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:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

TO THE SPEAKER AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

The Committee on Rules respectfully reports that it acted Favorably upon the House Resolution entitled, "A House Resolution authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee to study the 1957 Rules of the House and make its report to the 1959 Session of the House of Representatives," and upon Amendment to Rule No. 54 and recommends that the House adopt said Resolution and said Rule.

/s/ George Uzzell

For the Committee on Rules

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the resolution and amendment to Rule 54, are placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, May 29, 1957.

By Mr. Venters, for the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 1162, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the issuance of ten million dollars in bonds of the state to provide for capital improvements for state institutions and agencies.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Venters the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 329, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-125 of the General Statutes relating to corporations exempt from franchise tax.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fee for issuance of motor vehicle operator's license so as to provide for additional licensing services and facilities.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 439, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt from ad valorem taxation the motor vehicles of disabled veterans of the armed forces of the United States.

With an unfavorable report.
H. B. 464, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt state employees from payment of chauffeur's license fee.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 501, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds by the Board of Trustees of Western Carolina College to pay the cost of acquiring, constructing, enlarging or improving dormitories at said institution; providing for the issuance of revenue refunding bonds; and providing for the imposition of increased rental for such facilities and for similar facilities and for pledging such increased rentals to the payment of such bonds.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Falls the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Higher Education.

H. B. 716, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-38 so as to classify as special mobile equipment trucks on which special equipment has been mounted and used by Shrine Temples for parade purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 870, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the deductibility of farming losses from other income.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 961, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-41 to exempt from privilege license taxes persons practicing the professional art of healing through prayer or spiritual means.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 965, a bill to be entitled An act to license importers of beer and wine.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 971, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1109, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 105 of the General Statutes relating to the taxing of cooperative associations.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled An act to define and impose a license tax on itinerant photographers and their agents and employees.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 290, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes."
With a favorable report.

S. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (the Business Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes."

With a favorable report.

S. B. 307, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Article 36 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to plant pests.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-48 so as to make it illegal to possess or cause to be manufactured counterfeit or unauthorized beverage control stamps.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 16 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes relating to the taxation of timberland owned by the state.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 547, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the mechanical inspection of motor vehicles.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 348, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discontinuance of school bus transportation by reason of the extension of the corporate limits of any municipality.

Reported without prejudice.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.

H. B. 263, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the furnishing of certain information by well-drillers to the Department of Conservation and Development.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hunt the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. R. 1101, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operation of motorboats on the waters of the state and to submit its recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

With a favorable report, as amended.
H. R. 1203, a joint resolution declaring the legislative intent as to the state policy with respect to certain portions of the outer banks.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Shreve, for the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 422, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that religious, educational, or charitable corporations, institutions or religious bodies have an insurable interest in employees or agents.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton, for the Committee on Health.

H. B. 48, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting, rearranging, renumbering, and amending the Public Health Laws of the State of North Carolina.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, May 28, 1957.

H. B. 643, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Board of Examiners in psychology, define the duties and powers of that board, to provide for the examination and certification of psychologists, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus, for the Committee on Military Affairs.

S. B. 331, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to civil defense.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 414, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 127-111 relating to the State Guard of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 394, a bill to be entitled An act validating all extensions of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1018, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Spencer and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Spencer for a distance of one mile in all directions.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1034, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-250 so as to authorize the marking of county-owned vehicles with the county seal.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Durham.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1092, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 435, Session Laws of 1945, relating to a Traffic Bureau in the City of Greensboro.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1093, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 37, Private Laws of 1923, which is designated "Charter of City of Greensboro."

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1094, a bill to be entitled An act to validate local improvement assessments heretofore levied and assessed by the City Council of the City of Greensboro.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1095, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 436 of the Session Laws of 1945 relative to establishing a War Memorial Fund and a War Memorial Fund Commission to acquire and hold property incidental to the construction of War Memorial.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1096, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning, zoning and building regulation powers of the City of Greensboro and its governing body to the territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro for a distance of one mile in all directions.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1097, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1334 of the Session Laws of 1955 providing for the regulation of the sub-division of land in and around municipalities so as to make said act applicable to Guilford County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1213, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Recorder's Court of Hamlet District, Richmond County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 460, ratified the 24th day of April 1957, relating to the date for holding municipal elections in the Town of Cove City in Craven County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 130-37 so as to provide for the appointment of members of sanitary district boards in the event no members thereof were elected at the general election in November, 1956.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1224, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2 of Chapter 266, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Buncombe County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1234, a bill to be entitled An act to create a law enforcement officers' relief fund for the Peace Officers Association of Brunswick County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1235, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Craven, in its discretion, to postpone the revaluation of taxable real property situate in said county, not later than the year 1961.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1239, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Lincolnton to appropriate $500.00 to Lincoln County Life Saving and First Aid Crew, Inc.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1240, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lincoln to appropriate $500.00 to Lincoln County Life Saving and First Aid Crew, Inc.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1135, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County to extend the time for quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property for taxation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1140, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Chadbourn.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1141, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 40, Private Laws of 1905, the same being the Charter of the Town of Tabor City, so as to increase the corporate boundaries thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the authority of the Board of Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy certain special taxes, to reduce the rates thereof and to validate such taxes heretofore levied in said county.

With a favorable report.
On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1149, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 137 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the disposition of certain delinquent taxes collected in Wayne County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1154, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Mocksville to provide for the nomination of candidates for the office of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mocksville by party primaries.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Statutes so as to permit persons to engage in business as a pawn-broker in unincorporated areas of Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1177, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Farmville in Pitt County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1184, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Board of County Commissioners of Currituck County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1185, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the transfer of any surplus from the bonded indebtedness of Harnett County and for the transfer of unclaimed witness checks in the Superior Court and Recorder's Court of Harnett County to the general fund of Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1186, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor boats and other craft on the waters of Cape Fear, Deep, and Haw Rivers in Lee and Chatham Counties.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1189, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Raleigh with respect to initiative and referendum elections.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 211 of the Private Laws of 1939 amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount for the purpose of authorizing the City of Rocky Mount to expend from
its revenues received from its electric power system a sum not exceeding $25,000 for advertising the facilities of the City of Rocky Mount.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907 so as to provide for the election of the Recorder and Prosecuting Attorney of the Recorder’s Court of the City of Rocky Mount.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1205, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead in Montgomery County to sell cemetery lots owned by said town at private sale.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1211, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pasquotank County and the City Council of the City of Elizabeth City to fix the salary of certain county officials.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1216, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for listing and assessing property in Alleghany County for ad valorem taxes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1222, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the revaluation and reassessment of real and personal property for taxation in Forsyth County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1227, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder’s Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1229, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Concord to change terms of office for certain appointive officials.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1231, a bill to be entitled An act giving authority to the Board of County Commissioners of Harnett County to appropriate from county funds a sum of money not exceeding twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) to be used for the construction of the General William C. Lee Memorial.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 260, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an increase in the salaries of certain county employees of Stokes County, to authorize the County Commissioners of Stokes County to hire an additional clerk and
to amend Chapter 837 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salaries and number of certain county officials of Stokes County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Hickory, for an election in furtherance thereof, for the repeal of the Charter of the Town of Longview, and for other purposes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 413, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Person County to appoint game wardens in townships of said county and to provide for their fees.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

S. B. 424, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Iredell County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Kerr, for the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

H. B. 62, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina so as to create a Legislative Reapportionment Commission.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 63, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina so as to alter the method of apportionment of Senators and Representatives.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 839, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4, Section 24 of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to provide terms of four years for constable.

With an unfavorable report.

H. R. 1014, a joint resolution requesting Congress to call a convention for proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and the Vice-President.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1196, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 3 of Article V of the Constitution of North Carolina so as to exempt cash and credits arising from bank deposits from ad valorem taxation.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 118, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 27 of Article IV of the Constitution of North Carolina to authorize the General Assembly to
give jurisdiction to justices of the peace in civil actions where the value of the property in controversy does not exceed two hundred dollars.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 602, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Warrenton.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 724, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 128 of the General Statutes so as to prohibit certain officers and employees of the state from appearing before the Congress of the United States or any of its committees and urging the adoption, rejection, amendment or repeal of any federal law.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 757, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 50-16 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to alimony without divorce.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 799, a bill to be entitled An act to delete the appeal provisions of the Financial Responsibility Act and to provide for a suspension of registration for failure to comply with the act.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 800, a bill to be entitled An act to make it unlawful for any person to knowingly make false statements to officers constituting charges of the commission of crime.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 801, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 89-7 relating to licensing of engineers.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 859, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 8 of the General Statutes relating to the competency of witnesses in civil actions.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 919, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the General Statutes relative to drainage districts.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of forest districts.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 948, a bill to be entitled An act to provide an effective method for collecting taxes on personal property transferred by the listing taxpayer to another between the listing date and the due date thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 951, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-104 relating to service of process outside the state.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1022, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 28 of the General Statutes so as to authorize a special proceeding against the unknown heirs or next of kin, if any, of a decedent before the distribution of the assets of the estate of such decedent.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1136, a bill to be entitled An act relating to unlawful cutting or removal of timber.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1143, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes relating to the effect of a decree of absolute divorce on a certificate of acknowledgment failing to comply with General Statutes 52-12.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1165, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-162 relating to furnishing of birth certificates for school children by registers of deeds without charge so as to provide that such certificate shall be furnished free of charge only in cases of indigency.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1210, a bill to be entitled An act to make applicable a part of Chapter 57, Public-Local Laws of 1925, relating to Yancey County, so long as said county complies with the provisions of Article 5, Chapter 67 of the General Statutes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1230, a bill to be entitled An act to dissolve the Charter of "Trustees of North Carolina College" formerly of Mount Pleasant, North Carolina, and to repeal Chapter 357 Private Laws of 1909, creating said corporation, and Chapter 1, Private Laws, Extra Session, 1921, and Chapter 13, Private Laws of 1939, relating to the Charter of "Trustees of North Carolina College," and all other acts and amendments relating to said "Trustees of North Carolina College."

With a favorable report.
S. B. 354, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-21 and 116-22 so as to clarify the laws relating to the escheat of real and personal property where the owner dies intestate without leaving surviving any known heirs, relative or spouse to inherit such property.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 355, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-23 relating to the escheat of unclaimed personal property to the University of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 356, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 116-23.1 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the escheat of unclaimed funds held or owing by life insurance companies.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 357, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 116-25 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the escheat of unpaid and unclaimed salaries and wages.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 286, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3A of Chapter 69 of the General Statutes relating to rural fire protections district.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 759, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Turlington Act, Article I, Chapter 18, as found in the General Statutes of North Carolina so as to include equipment or materials designed or intended for use in the manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

With a favorable report, as amended.

Senate Committee Substitute for H. B. 810, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the parking authority of the City of Kinston to issue its notes to raise funds to acquire real property for parking purposes and to secure the payment of such notes by deed of trust upon the real estate so acquired.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 989, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Lumberton City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Lumberton.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1085, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-414 so as to authorize service by publication in tax foreclosure suits on persons who can not be found and whose names and addresses are unknown.

With a favorable report, as amended.
H. B. 1113, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 613 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 so as to provide for the election and compensation of a Clerk of the Recorder's Court in the Town of Mooresville.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1173, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the safety and security of county prisoners.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1208, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-95 relative to acknowledgments taken by notaries interested as trustees or holding other office.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1209, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-11 relating to county boards of public welfare as the same applies to Gaston County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-340 and General Statutes 160-345 to prescribe the terms of office of Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Burlington in Alamance County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1220, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Wake County to promulgate ordinances, rules, and regulations governing the parking of automobiles and other vehicles on property owned by Wake County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1225, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30.2 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to liens upon the real property of a recipient of old age assistance.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 67, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-125 relating to the acquisition of school sites so as to allow the condemnation of a total of 30 acres for school purposes.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Bost consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 146, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 49-7 to provide for the determination of the issue of paternity in all prosecutions of a man for wilful neglect or refusal to support his illegitimate child, irrespective of dismissal or verdict of not guilty on the issue of wilful neglect or refusal to support said child.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.
On motion of Mr. Bost the House committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 189, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection 9 of Section 153-9 of the General Statutes concerning the designation of sites for county buildings and validating action heretofore taken by the board of commissioners of any county which complies with the requirements of said subsection as amended hereby.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. White, for the Committee on Employment Security.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled An act amending various Sections of Chapter 97 of the General Statutes relating to Workmen’s Compensation.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 96, General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, known as the Employment Security Law, to provide for the payment of additional contributions with respect to overdrawn accounts; to make certain changes in the Benefit Formula; to provide for additional administrative funds under the Social Security Act upon authorization by the General Assembly, and to further clarify certain provisions of said chapter.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 949, a bill to be entitled An act to amend paragraph (b) of General Statutes 97-2 so as to bring under the Workmen’s Compensation Act all officers and employees of municipal corporations and political subdivisions of the state, except those elected by the people.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1041 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Law Enforcement Officers’ Relief Fund of Halifax 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. Falls:

H. B. 1242, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County to provide a building or buildings to house county offices and levying a special tax therefor.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Ferebee:

H. B. 1243, a bill to be entitled An act making Cherokee County “Stock Law Territory.”
On motion of Mr. Ferebee the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

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

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 1244, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the issuance of licenses for the retail sale of beer and wine in Jacksonville.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 1245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 602 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 and Chapter 482 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 and regulating the demand for jury trials in the Recorder's Court of Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Coates:

H. B. 1246, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the installation and use of sirens on emergency rescue vehicles owned and operated by local civil defense organization.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety:

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 1247, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 129 of the Private Laws of 1905 so as to increase the tax rate limitation for the Town of Salemburg.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 1248, a bill to be entitled An act to permit a greater length of house trailers.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety:

By Mr. Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 1249, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 111 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina, known as the Robeson County Library Act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Turner:
H. B. 1250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 971 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the election of the Judge and Solicitors of the Municipal-County Court of Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 1251, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations governing the parking of automobiles or the use thereof on county property.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1252, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County to establish a county trash dump and to provide ordinances, rules and regulations governing the establishment, use and maintenance thereof.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. O'Neal:

H. B. 1253, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) to the Board of County Commissioners of Hyde County to be expended for the construction of a dock on Far Creek at Englehard.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Henley:

H. B. 1254, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Hope Mills in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Johnson:

H. B. 1255, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kenansville to execute on behalf of the Town of Kenansville a deed to certain property in the Town of Kenansville to the County Board of Education of Duplin County and for the County Board of Education to exchange said property with Duplin County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Whitehurst, Bell, Delamar, Griggs and O'Neal:

H. R. 1256, a joint resolution requesting the United States Department of the Interior to clarify and make specific the terms of its anti-baiting regulations on migratory waterfowl.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.
By Messrs. Hunt and Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 1257, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-5 so as to increase the number of members of the Board of Conservation and Development from fifteen to eighteen.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 1258, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1152 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the procedure for the election of members of the City Council of the City of Burlington in Alamance County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Hill:

H. B. 1259, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the allocation of funds appropriated for area vocational training schools.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Harris of Wake, Womble of Wake and Whitley:

H. B. 1260, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the number, election and terms of the County Commissioners of Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Harriss of Rowan, Wilson of Union, Valentine, Blue, Buchanan, Dill, Wooten, McKnight and Delamar:

H. B. 1261, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection (f) of General Statutes 20-185 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes so as to provide for payment of a subsistence allowance to the Director, Assistant Director, and Inspectors of the License and Theft Enforcement Division of the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 1262, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain property owners in Onslow County.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 23, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. 172, entitled “a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights of way for state highways located within municipalities,” for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk
Pursuant to the above message and on motion of Mr. Etheridge the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Etheridge the vote by which the bill passed its second reading is reconsidered.

On motion the bill is placed on today's 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. 395, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1197, Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Salt Marsh Mosquito Study Commission.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

S. B. 407, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 45 of the General Statutes relating to mortgages held by insurance companies, banks, building and loan associations, or lending institutions.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 412, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1, Section 82, of the General Statutes of North Carolina to establish a limited residence for military personnel.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 441, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a Boxing and Wrestling Commission and to regulate boxing and wrestling in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the House concurs in the Senate amendment, the amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Hughes the House concurs in the Senate amendment, the amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

S. B. 270, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Sections 55-46(a), 55-52(c), and 55-59(a) of The Business Corporation Act as it appears in Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws.
Referred to Committee on Corporations.

S. R. 372, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commision to study the State Constitution and submit recommendations with respect to amendments or a revision thereof.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

S. B. 394, a bill to be entitled An act relating to mosquito control in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

CALENDAR

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

S. B. 217, a bill to be entitled An act to reactivate the municipal government of the Town of Swanns in Lee County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 279, Public-Local Laws of 1937, relating to the creation of school districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of school districts or special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts or units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder, and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

Mr. Yarborough of Franklin offers an amendment which is adopted; the amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first
reading and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 1163, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1164, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Mount Airy in Surry County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—107.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 559, Public-Local Laws of 1935, relating to the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

On motion of Mr. Falls consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, May 24, 1957.

H. B. 1192, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a Law Library for the public officials and courts in Cleveland County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the terms of the Superior Court for Chatham County.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 568, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-51 relating to the fees of physicians making examinations of mentally disordered persons in Johnston County.
On motion of Mr. Thomas of Johnston the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 1025, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a new registration of voters in the Town of Sylva in Jackson County.

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

H. B. 1044, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the law relating to the Municipal-County Court of the City of Kinston and County of Lenoir.

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

H. B. 1121, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and other members of the Board of County Commissioners of Robeson County.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Robeson the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 1122, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 121 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to compensation of jurors in Robeson County.

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

H. B. 1127, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Guilford County Board of Education to sell certain real property without offering the same at public auction.

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

H. B. 1147, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the election of municipal officers of the Town of Castalia in Nash County.

Mr. Valentine offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 1157, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of Justices of the Peace in Hyde County.

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

H. B. 1160, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the compensation of members of the Board of Education of Wilkes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1161, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court, Sheriff, and Register of Deeds of Forsyth County, and to revise provisions with respect to the Special Trust Fund created by Chapter 147, Session Laws of 1943 for said clerk of superior court's office.

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

H. B. 1175, a bill to be entitled An act granting certain additional powers to Board of Education of Mecklenburg County.

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

H. B. 1170, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 734, Session Laws of 1955 relating to the appointment of election officials for the City of Winston-Salem by the Forsyth County Board of Elections, the consolidation of the City of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County election books, and the creating of a central registration system for the voters of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County.

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

H. B. 1187, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Mayor and the Commissioners of the City of Oxford.

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

H. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Bladen County to establish Recorder's Courts under the provisions of Article 24 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes.

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

H. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled An act creating three districts in Hyde County for the nomination and election of the Board of Education of said county.

On motion of Mr. O'Neal the committee amendment is adopted.

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

H. B. 1204, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County.

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

S. B. 343, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the terms of Superior Court in Hertford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 326, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain provisions of Chapter 86 of the General Statutes of North Carolina entitled "Barbers."

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 388, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 87-26 relating to plumbing and heating contracting so as to provide for the issuance of license in the name of a corporation, partnership or trade name.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Venters offers an amendment which is adopted.

The amendments being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the municipal privilege license tax on security dealers.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-116 so 28 to authorize county-wide supplemental tax elections prior to the consolidation of city administrative units with the county administrative unit.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCravy, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1162, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the issuance of ten million dollars in bonds of the state to provide for capital improvements for state institutions and agencies.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Britt, Buchanan, Bynum, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Davis, Delamar, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Rodenborough, Shreve, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Umstead, Uzzell, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Wilson of Caswell, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Yarborough of Cumberland and Yarborough of Franklin—82.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Combs, Dill, Eggers, Everett, Gavin, Hargett, Hostetler, Hughes, Kiser, Phelps, Randall Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Thomas of Stanly, Turner, Valentine, White, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, Wooten and Zollicoffer—27.

Mr. Crawford of Swain votes present.

H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent the forced withdrawal of state funds from official depositories of this state, when the rate of return of United States Government securities exceeds the rate which official depositories are allowed to pay.

Mr. Hill offers an amendment.

Mr. Hardy moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Hill do lie upon the able, the motion fails.

The question now recurs to the passage of the amendment offered by Mr. Hill.

The amendment is adopted.

Mr. Snepp moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Banks and Banking, the motion fails.
Mr. Satterfield calls for the “Ayes” and Noes” on the passage of the bill on its second reading, as amended, the call sustains.

Mr. Ross moves that the bill do lie upon the table, the motion fails.

Mr. Fowler offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its second reading, as amended.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Byrum, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Etheridge, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gobble, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Holmes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jordan, Kerr, Kiser, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, O'Neal, Rodenbough, Shreve, Snepp, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Uzzell, Venters, Vogler, Wall Watkins, Whitley, Wicker, Wilson of Caswell, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland and Yarborough of Franklin—56.


The following pairs are announced:

Mr. Pittman votes “Aye,” Mr. Umstead votes “No.”

Mr. Satterfield objects to the third reading of the bill, as amended, and the bill remains on the Calendar for its third reading, as amended.

H. B. 172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights of way for state highways located within municipalities.

On motion of Mr. Etheridge consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 193. An Act to amend Chapter 366, Public-Local Laws of 1939, as amended, the same being the Charter of the City of Charlotte, so as to provide for the extension of the boundaries of said city.
S. B. 377. An Act amending General Statutes 143-135 relating to the
letting of public contracts in Halifax County.

S. B. 378. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-335 so as to fix the
punishment for public drunkenness in Halifax County.

S. B. 418. An Act relating to the title to real and personal property in
Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, formerly owned by Charlotte Com-

S. B. 450. An Act authorizing the City of Asheville to exercise the
power of eminent domain in the acquisition of land for airports and landing
fields within or without the limits of said city and in either Buncombe
County or Henderson County or both said counties.

H. B. 564. An Act authorizing the establishment of Henderson Township
as a recreation district and the levying of a recreation system tax.

H. B. 778. An Act relating to the City of Monroe school special tax
district and the selection of the members of the Board of Education for
said district.

H. B. 871. An Act to amend General Statutes 97-13(C) as it relates to
compensation to be paid prisoners who are injured while performing
assigned work.

H. B. 895. An Act to amend the boundary lines of the Town of Rocking-
ham in Richmond County.

H. B. 1052. An Act to amend Section 7-274 of the General Statutes
relating to the authority of the Clerk of the General County Court to issue
warrants so as to make the third sentence of said section applicable to
Alamance County.

H. B. 1080. An Act relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions
of property lying and being in the City of Salisbury or within one mile
outside thereof.

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

JOINT SESSION

May 23, 1957

Pursuant to H. R. 1012 entitled, "a joint resolution providing for a
Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the
General Assembly of North Carolina, for the purpose of accepting portraits
of Governor Clyde R. Hoey and Governor O. Max Gardner," the House
and Senate sit in Joint Session at 8 o'clock in the Hall of the House.

The Joint Assembly is called to order by Lieutenant Governor Barnhardt
who recognizes the Honorable J. Wallace Winborne, Chief Justice of the
Supreme Court of North Carolina.

The following program is presented:
PROGRAM
PRESENTATION OF PORTRAITS
OF
O. MAX GARDNER
AND
CLYDE R. HOEY

Presiding: J. Wallace Winborne, Chief Justice
Supreme Court of North Carolina

Invocation: Jack Percia Mansfield, Pastor
Smith Methodist Church, Roanoke Rapids

Unveiling of Portraits by Gardner-Hoey Grandsons:
Clyde R. Hoey, II O. Max Gardner, III
Samuel Roark Hoey John Mull Gardner
Lewis Whitford Paul, II James Webb Gardner, Jr.
Daniel Murray Paul, Jr.

Presentation: Edwin Gill, Treasurer
State of North Carolina

ADDRESS DELIVERED BY EDWIN GILL, TREASURER OF NORTH CAROLINA, MAY 23, 1957, AT 8:00 P. M. BEFORE A JOINT SESSION OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE OCCASION OF THE PRESENTATION OF PORTRAITS OF O. MAX GARDNER AND CLYDE R. HOEY.

MR. PRESIDENT, MR. SPEAKER, JUDGE WINBORNE, GOVERNOR HODGES, MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AND FRIENDS OF GOVERNORS GARDNER AND HOEY:

It is with a sense of pride and pleasure that I speak to you on this occasion. I have the honor on behalf of the families of two great North Carolinians to present their portraits to the State. I would like at this time to express appreciation to Mr. Cuthbert Lee of Asheville, who painted the Hoey portrait, and to Mr. Dayrell Kortheuer of Charlotte, who painted the Gardner portrait. We are glad indeed to have both of these gentlemen with us here tonight.

Somewhere in the Apocrypha (Ecclesiasticus, Chap. 44-1), we find these words: "Let us now praise famous men." Although the men we honor tonight are famous and in many ways praiseworthy, I do not consider that we are here so much to praise them as to renew our acquaintance with old friends—to recall something of the qualities of mind and of heart that endeared them to the people of North Carolina—and to inquire, if you please, into the nature and character of the very profound influence that they exerted upon our day and generation.

I shall not review in detail the events of their lives, nor shall I attempt to list formally their achievements. My approach will be to highlight those traits of character that made their humanity so appealing, and to suggest the reservoirs of moral and spiritual strength upon which they relied.
It is unusual to pay tribute to two men at the same time. In fact, I know of no precedent for a ceremony such as this. And yet coming as they did from Cleveland County, and being related by marriage, and being contemporaries, it is logical that they should be considered together. There are, of course, other reasons for linking their names. Both were sons of Confederate veterans. Both came from families in modest circumstances, neither having the advantage of wealth, both securing their education through great effort and sacrifice. Gardner borrowed the money with which he went to State College, while Hoey left school when he was young to pursue a very practical education in the offices of his home town newspaper. Both became members of the Bar and turned to politics at an early age. The political gods of Hoey and Gardner were the same—our legendary heroes, Vance and Aycock. After service in the State Senate and as Lieutenant Governor, Gardner first ran for Governor at the age of 38, and, when he came to the Governorship in 1929, was one of the youngest men in our history to hold this office. Clyde Hoey became a candidate for the State House of Representatives and was nominated before he was old enough to take the oath of office, actually becoming twenty-one between the primary and the convening of the General Assembly. After serving an apprenticeship in the General Assembly, both went on to hold high office in Raleigh and Washington, and after lives of public service, each died in harness, active and influential in public affairs until the very end. Governor Hoey passed away seated at his desk in the Senate Office Building and Governor Gardner died at the St. Regis Hotel in New York on the eve of what was to have been his voyage to England as Ambassador to the Court of Saint James.

Never were two men more fortunate than Hoey and Gardner in the help and support that they received from their wives. The Gardners were a perfect team, working closely together in both public and private life. I have often heard Gardner say that “Fay” had excellent judgment about people and that he remembered instances when he would have avoided some serious mistakes had he listened more closely to her. And Governor Hoey, when asked by Ed Murrow to give his philosophy of life under the title of THIS I BELIEVE, paid a beautiful tribute to “Miss Bess,” whom he called “a radiant and lovely life companion,” referring to his faith in her and her faith in God as a blessed heritage.

Incidentally, the political careers of Hoey and Gardner are in refutation of the venerable statement that “a prophet is not without honor save in his own country” for these men enjoyed throughout their lives the united, loyal, enthusiastic support of their home county of Cleveland. In fact, the strong support that Cleveland and the neighboring counties of Rutherford, Polk, McDowell and Gaston, gave to both of these men was a determining factor in their very successful political careers.

That Gardner and Hoey were lifelong friends is well known, but it would be a mistake to assume that their friendship was after the fashion of a David and Jonathan, or perhaps a Damon and Pythias; for in these legendary friendships, one of the partners is usually subordinate to the other. But in the case of Gardner and Hoey, we have two friendly but
exceedingly independent souls, each going his own way, subscribing to his own convictions, maintaining, however, at all times a cordial relationship based upon mutual respect. Here were two ambitious men coming from the same community, and yet for over a period of forty years their aspirations never clashed. Not only were they never rivals, but actually each gave strength and moral support to the ambitions of the other.

It was around the friendly relationship of these two men that much of the history of North Carolina revolved. It was this friendly entente that formed the nucleus of what came to be known in political circles as the “Cleveland County Dynasty.” Incidentally, the wives of these two men played an important part, for it was Mrs. Hoey, affectionately known to all as “Miss Bess,” who as the wife of Hoey and the sister of Gardner, made a great contribution toward inter-family understanding. Also Mrs. Gardner, who we are delighted to have with us tonight, gave further color to the idea of the “dynasty” because she was a Webb, another Shelby family that had produced two very distinguished judges. The existence of this strong group of unusually talented men, coming from the Webb, the Gardner, and the Hoey families, to which, of course, could be added others, did much to encourage the legend of the “dynasty.” Well, if ever there were a “dynasty” in Cleveland, instead of being hereditary, it sprang directly from the people and had its firm foundation not in special privilege, but in magnificent service to all the people of North Carolina!

Both of these men were eloquent, and yet how little does this word describe the way in which each spoke. Gardner was apt to speak in a direct, emphatic way—often clothing his thought in brief, succinct language. He could take, when the occasion demanded it, a hard-hitting approach. In his very young days, he was more of the sophomore, giving reign now and then to a “purple passage,” but, as he matured, and came to grips with great issues, he relied less and less upon oratory as such and became persuasive by virtue of the fine discrimination with which he picked the words that composed his lucid, concise statements. It was often apparent that Gardner’s speeches had been carefully written and meticulously revised in an effort to present his thoughts logically and accurately with just the right shade and color of language. He was persuasive because of the logic of his statements, which were often presented in plain, down-to-earth language. Even in formal addresses, he would occasionally lapse into the popular language of the street, or perhaps use a word of slang, in order to make more understandable his ideas. On the other hand, Governor Hoey throughout his entire career was noted for a particular brand of eloquence, which flowed in beautiful sequence to its inevitable conclusion. Never has a man spoken more beautifully and with less apparent effort. Even when speaking extemporaneously, his sentences and his paragraphs took their appointed places as precisely as if the address had been composed in advance. Those of us who heard him speak can bear witness to the fact that he always led us upward to the Mount of Transfiguration; that is, he always left us with a sense of exaltation.

Another interesting difference: when Gardner finished an address, he would often be perspiring and on occasions appeared fatigued as though
he had invested his entire energies into the speech; while Governor Hoey, after an extended address, even in hot wather, appeared rested and cool, as though speaking was no burden or effort at all.

Gardner's voice was deep and strong, possessing a richness that was tremendously convincing, while Hoey spoke with a rhythm that was biblical in its beauty and which was closely akin to music. Each voice, in its own way, carried the ring of sincerity.

In the old days, when Gardner and Hoey both practiced at the Bar of Cleveland County, it was a great event to see them pitted against each other in the Court House. People came from surrounding counties to see and hear these two great advocates. They were always on opposite sides, and, regardless of the fact that the case might begin "Smith vs Jones," it usually became, before the final verdict "Gardner vs Hoey." After a particularly hard fought case, in which it seemed that these two legal gladiators would literally tear each other apart, the good people of Cleveland County were amused to see them leave the Court Room arm in arm, as though they had never had a difference in the world!

Gardner and Hoey were men of great ability and it was not surprising that they rose to prominence in public life. Both had a real flare for people and for politics. But I am convinced that they would have attained distinction had they pursued careers in other fields. For instance, I have the feeling that had these two men entered the ministry, in due time Gardner would have been President of the State Baptist Convention, and Hoey would have progressed gracefully from Presiding Elder to Bishop! I hope that no one here will think from what I have said that either of these positions could be obtained through politics! I simply mean to say that each of these men had an element of greatness which was bound to assert itself.

Both of these men were affable, genial and easy to know. They went through life possessed of an enormous amount of what, for want of a better word, we will call political charm, which was a far from negligible factor in the ease with which they were able to convert acquaintances into friends. But this genial, affable manner was sometimes deceptive. In other words, occasionally there were people who assumed that this friendly exterior was a sign of softness. Nothing could have been further from the truth. Actually both of these men had in their make-up an element of steel and could become as immovable as granite when an effort was made to "push them around" or to attack their deeply-held convictions.

I have always thought that Gardner should have held the Chair of Political Science at some University. I believe he knew more about human nature in the political arena than any other man of his day, and his informal lectures on men and politics were a treat. Notwithstanding his lifelong effort to elevate the plane upon which political battles were fought, he was not blind to some of the unlovely characteristics of the political animal. "Whether we like it or not," he would say, "Politics, as practiced, is too often organized prejudice, and people are more apt to vote against than for!" And we remember his classic story which told of
an erstwhile friend of his who admitted past favors, but complained: "Max ain't done nothing for me lately!" If Gardner did not originate this priceless commentary upon human ingratitude, I do believe he passed it on to Alben Barkley who made it internationally famous.

I remember a delightful conversation that I had with Clyde Hoey once about people who had no real convictions about anything. The Governor became rather stern and said: "A man who does not have a few healthy prejudices is not of much good in this world." And then he broke into a smile and said: "For instance, I am prejudices in favor of the Methodist Church, and I am prejudiced in favor of the Democratic Party." What he meant, of course, was that there were a few things in life about which he had made a final decision and with respect to which he had made an irrevocable commitment. Lest some assume the use of the word "prejudice" here is akin to intolerance, I wish to remind you that in the great campaign of 1928, it was Clyde Hoey who stumped this State from East to West, lifting his voice in eloquent protest against those who would, because of religious prejudice, deny to any man the office of President of the United States. It was at the climax of this famous address that Governor Hoey reminded his rapt audience that it was a Catholic (John Henry Newman (1801-1890), English Roman Catholic Cardinal), who wrote "Lead Kindly Light. . . !"

In the midst of this same campaign of 1928, Gardner found himself caught in a crossfire. He was the Democratic Nominee for Governor, and a substantial number of Democrats were threatening to scratch his name on the ticket if he had the timeliness to be loyal to the candidacy of Alfred E. Smith, who was both a Catholic and a "wet." Another considerable group threatened to disavow him if he did not condemn all those who might vote against Smith. It was a time of crisis and the people of North Carolina were torn with dissension. Gardner knew in his heart that he could not desert the head of the ticket. And yet he felt that passions were so aroused that if he were not careful his position would be misunderstood and that the Party he loved would be destroyed in an atmosphere of emotional storm and stress. It was in this heated and bitterness atmosphere that he made his opening campaign speech at Boone, North Carolina, on September 2nd, in which he declared that while everyone had a right to vote for whom he pleased; as for him, he could not and would not desert the Captain of his Ship! As the titular leader of the Party, Gardner was supported in this position not only by Hoey, but by Angue W. McLean, Josiah W. Bailey, J. C. B. Ehringhaus, the Doughtons, Josephus Daniels, and other great spokespersons for the Party. Hoover carried the State against Smith by a majority of more than sixty thousand, while Gardner led the State ticket and was elected Governor by a majority of more than seventy thousand.

Clyde Hoey believed that there was no excuse for violence and he was determined as Governor to see that the law was enforced without fear or favor. When he heard that sit-down strikes in Michigan had not only prevented the operation of industries, but had actually delayed the delivery of the United States mail, he was absolutely outraged. So he took occasion
at the dedication of an Armory in eastern North Carolina (New Bern, June 24, 1937) to declare that he would use the full power of the State to prevent sit-down strikes in North Carolina. Hoey’s statement was so plain and unequivocal that it had a calming influence on our people with the result that North Carolina was not afflicted with the violence that had characterized management-labor relations in other states.

Gardner also believed in the supremacy of law, and never hesitated to use the full power of his office to maintain law and order. However, in the cruel days of the depression when he was faced with unprecedented bitterness in industrial disputes, Gardner abandoned the use of force and brilliantly improvised. For instance, at a time when governors generally throughout the Union were ignoring the explosive nature of human passions that had been aroused and knew of no better method to bring about understanding than at the point of a bayonet, Gardner went to High Point and persuaded labor and management to sit down at a table at the Sheraton Hotel and write a new chapter in terms of friendliness and understanding between capital and labor. Due largely to agitators from without the State, the City of High Point was practically living under mob rule, and I was never prouder of Gardner than when he went there and braved the hate and the bitterness of the controversy to hammer out on the anvil of free and fair discussion a settlement that enabled the mills in that area to reopen and which restored the forces of law and order to their proper function.

Throughout his entire life, Gardner never forgot the under-dog—the boy who lacked financial backing and yet aspired to higher education. So it was logical for him not only to throw the entire prestige of his career behind the building of a greater University through its consolidation, but in a magnificent burst of generosity at Boiling Springs, to revive and recreate that wonderful institution known as Gardner-Webb. It is no secret that this small but thriving institution was near to his heart, and that he hoped it would be a place where the young people of his section could obtain an education, particularly those who did not have the funds with which to go away to college. It is difficult to estimate the contribution made by Max Gardner to the cause of higher education in North Carolina. As a boy who borrowed money to go to school and who made good both in his books and on the football field, he was a shining, glamorous figure who fired the imagination of an entire generation with the thought of going on to college.

Gardner injected a new and fresh viewpoint into public affairs and by his example attracted the young people of his day to go into politics. He was the first Governor since the War Between the States to run on issues other than those of reconstruction. He was indeed the prophet of a new day, and the young people of North Carolina rallied to him as they had never rallied to any other young man. Old political institutions and old political alliances gave way before the onslaught that he led. It must not be forgotten that he espoused in the 1920’s the cause of Woman’s Suffrage and when he became Governor helped to write into law the Australian ballot and a Workman’s Compensation Law.
I have heard many people say that Clyde Hoey was a very conservative man, and I doubt that he would have taken much exception to this characterization. No doubt there was much in his manner of speech, in the way he dressed, and in his philosophy of life to lend color to this idea. While in no sense a slave to the past and in no way wedded to the status quo, Clyde Hoey was proud of the traditions that had made this country great, and he was not easily moved by those who wished to embark upon new and untried experiments. His incisive mind dissected and destroyed through analysis many unsound proposals. And yet, he was no "stand-patter," no reactionary. It is interesting in this connection to remember that it was Clyde Hoey, the so-called conservative, who advocated and secured the approval of the legislature for free schoolbooks for children in the public schools. In Hoey's opinion it was the sensible, fair thing to do, for there was no point in guaranteeing education to children who were unable to buy the books with which to study. And it was Clyde Hoey who lent his warm endorsement to the Social Security program, and who told the General Assembly of 1937 that this humane program would be their most outstanding achievement. Hoey was often denominated a conservative because of his open espousal of the old-fashioned virtues. Whatever his feelings or his views, the people felt that they were based upon his Christian conscience. So he influenced literally thousands of church people, who ordinarily looked upon politics as an unworthy activity, to concern themselves with voting and with the whole process of self government.

In my opinion, each of these men came to the Governorship at just the right time. That is to say, each possessed the particular qualities that were needed for the period in which he served as Chief Magistrate. Gardner came to the Governorship at a time of crisis, at a time when government on all fronts was undergoing study and re-evaluation. In response to this critical situation, Gardner put through a program of reorganization which up until then was unprecedented in North Carolina. Among the agencies of government affected were banking, highways, schools— and specific measures were a central purchasing agency, a personnel department, the Local Government Act, and, of course, University Consolidation. In addition, there were sharp conflicts between the Governor and substantial elements in the General Assembly with respect to taxation and other fiscal policies, to the solution of which Gardner brought both courage and skill. There are many who believe that the credit of the state and the public schools themselves were saved by Gardner's firm far-sighted leadership, together with the sound and courageous program of Ehringhaus which was to follow.

On the other hand, Hoey came to the Governorship after the periods of crisis of the Gardner and Ehringhaus administrations, at a time when the state needed to "catch its breath," so to speak, to consolidate gains, to stabilize the Ship of State on an even keel, and, above all, to harmonize differences and heal the wounds that were inescapably associated with periods of great change.

Gardner will be remembered as a dynamic leader in a period of crisis who redefined the functions of government, while Hoey's contribution was
more in the field of stabilization—restoration of confidence in government as such, and in symbolizing in his own person the hopes and aspirations of a people who, as the result of his stewardship, felt closer than ever to their government. Had these two men been transposed as to their terms of Governor, each might have met the problems of his day just as well, but I cannot escape the feeling that each came to high responsibility at just the right time.

Gardner was a magnanimous man, anxious and willing to forgive honest differences of opinion. Seldom has the State seen a man display a finer feeling of sportsmanship and fair play than he showed throughout his political career. For instance, although defeated by Governor Morrison in a spirited primary, in 1920, which was characterized by great bitterness for which incidentally neither were responsible, Gardner gave enthusiastic support to Morrison in the General Election, and when the opportunity came, appointed his erstwhile opponent to the United States Senate. While Hoey was perhaps more conventional in matters of this kind, it was astonishing to see the degree of graciousness and courtesy with which he treated those who from time to time had bitterly opposed him in the political arena. What I am trying to say is that here were two splendid gentlemen who elevated politics to a high plane where honor and decency and even chivalry were the order of the day.

While each of these men were strong partisans, both had respect for distinguished leadership in the opposition. Governor Hoey, during his tenure as a United States Senator, numbered among his closest friends stalwart Republicans—for example, Bob Taft. Although they wore different labels, it is well known that these two staunch partisans frequently worked together in an atmosphere of mutual respect when they felt that the issue was above partisan considerations. And I shall never forget the magnificent tribute (Letter from Gardner to Senator Overman; Pg. 589-91, "Letters and Papers of Oliver Max Gardner") that Gardner paid to a distinguished North Carolina Republican, John J. Parker, when his name was presented to the Senate for confirmation as a Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Hoey viewed the issues of the day with a serene confidence. After making decisions of great moment, he went forward quite unperturbed and gave the impression that he was troubled by few doubts, that the course was clear and that the highway to Right and Justice was well marked. We remember him as a man who had the assurance of the rightness of his cause, who never faltered as he moved toward his objective. Gardner, on the other hand, I believe, was more keenly aware of the shattered world about him, of the threat of new and dangerous social and economic movements, and of the ominous implications of the discoveries of science. Like Hoey, he too was a man of faith, grounded in religious conviction, but his whole education and background and the temper of his mind caused him to be more given to reappraisals in the light of changing conditions and to reevaluation not of principles but of remedies. Gardner was something of a pioneer in the use of the study commission, and preferred to base his recommendations on extensive factual data contained
in objective reports. Being of a scientific mind, Gardner was not quick to come to conclusions, but, after he had resolved the issue in the light of the facts and in the laboratory of his own conscience, he did not hesitate to go forward with militant courage and conviction.

It may be that the difference between these two men was that Hoey was one of the last of a great tradition of men who presupposed certain basic elements that had for a century been considered firm and immovable, while Gardner was more a part of a new and equally great tradition that was questioning, always searching for a new basis upon which to build a moral, free society. It would be superficial to say that Hoey was a man of faith and Gardner a man of science, for both drew sustenance from a firm faith in God and in man. But Hoey seems to have been a man charac-
terized by certitude, while Gardner was always a man engaged in inquiry. Hoey’s faith was more like the prophets of olden times, while Gardner’s faith was more like the kind described by Tennyson’s “In Memoriam” (“There lives more faith in honest doubt, Believe me, than in half the creeds”), which was strong because it was based on “honest doubt.” Both, however, were needed by North Carolina and together with the great men who preceded and followed them, furnished a fine continuity as our great State moved with care and circumspection from the Nineteenth into the full stream of the Twentieth Century.

Both of these men loved North Carolina with a deep and abiding passion. Here they were born, here they were reared and educated, and here they found wide scope for their great careers. Governor Gardner, although he lived a great deal in Washington in the latter years of his life, never felt at ease in the transient, superficial, sophisticated air of the Capitol City. Although Washington was a challenge to him which he accepted with zest, he frequently became satiated with the gloss and the sheen of the passing parade. And when he felt this way, he returned to North Carolina, to Cleveland County and to Shelby—there to move among old neighbors and friends, to walk in the country and feel the good soil beneath him. Thus he was refreshed and found rest and relaxation. Likewise, Clyde Hoey, when he became tired of the official grind and desired to refresh himself from the long and tedious paper work associated with public life, loved to go out among the people of our State, to exchange greetings with them, to shake their hands. This contact with the folks seemed to rejuvenate him. So these two Tar Heels, like the fabled Antaeus (a giant who was invincible when in contact with the earth but was lifted into the air by Hercules and crushed), were strong of body and invincible of spirit as long as they could touch the good earth and associate with the good people of their native State!

And so tonight we salute Max Gardner and Clyde Hoey, who in their separate ways symbolized all that is good in North Carolina. They were men easily recognized in any crowd; Hoey, dressed in his old-fashioned frock coat, adorned with a red flower, bowing graciously as he passed from individual to individual, and from group to group, bestowing on all a friendly benediction; Gardner appearing to tower head and shoulders above those with whom he talked, not alone because of his actual height
and massive build, but because of the sheer impact of his dynamic personality, laughing and joking with friends, gesturing perhaps with a cigarette in his hand, displaying that suave, urbane manner which made him equally at home "shooting the breeze" at the drugstore in Shelby or discoursing in the more sophisticated circles of Washington.

Sometimes historians overlook important achievements. For instance, Gardner, by his happy example made it almost mandatory that Governors of North Carolina represent the State at football games; while Clyde Hoey, through his friendly walk from the Governor's Office to Brantley's for a "coke" converted "the pause that refreshes" into a symbol of the democratic way of life!

I have attempted in these remarks to draw portraits of two men—not formal portraits, of course, but more in the nature of candid camera shots, or perhaps sketches, citing incidents and traits of character in order to refresh our memories. But how feeble are my efforts to recapture here the warm, human attributes of these men! So I hope that you will consider what I have had to say more in the nature of suggestions—points of departure in thinking about two very remarkable men who did so much in their lifetime to elevate the moral thinking of our State, and to give ethical tone and integrity to our institutions.

There is a salutation that has come to us from the days of ancient Rome which is a combination of joy and sorrow. The words are "Hail and Farewell!" Tonight I would like to reverse this ancient phrase and acclaim our friends Hoey and Gardner by saying: "Farewell and Hail!" For we are determined not to leave them with a word of parting, but to cherish always as a living thing the gallant example of their lives!

For many years, there was a rare and splendid character at the Governor's Mansion. He was a sort of butler and major-domo combined. We all remember him as "Uncle" David Haywood, and he wore a beautiful dark blue uniform, unadorned except for several golden stripes on the sleeve of the right arm. They were as resplendent as those that mark the rank of an admiral. Actually, each stripe represented a Governor under whom "Uncle Dave" had served, and he had been there for many, many years. Toward the end of his administration, Governor Ehringhaus remarked: "In a short time, I will be just another stripe on 'Uncle Dave's' sleeve." I always thought it was a most beautiful idea. Tonight, my friends, Governors Gardner and Hoey are very bright stripes on "Uncle Dave's" sleeve, for they have become a part of the great tradition of good government in North Carolina.

Acceptance: His Excellency, Luther Hartwell Hodges
Governor of North Carolina

ACCEPTANCE OF PORTRAITS OF GOVERNOR O. MAX GARDNER AND GOVERNOR CLYDE R. HOEY ON BEHALF OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA BY GOVERNOR LUTHER H. HodGES
Hall of the House of Representatives
Thursday, May 23, 1957
8:00 p. m.

It is a great privilege to participate in this historic event before a joint session of the General Assembly of North Carolina. We have witnessed here tonight the presentation of the portraits of two distinguished Chief Executives of North Carolina whose services and contributions will always be remembered. There are men here tonight who served with Governors Gardner and Hoey and they remember in a personal way these great Governors.

We are honored and pleased to have so many members of the Gardner and Hoey families and also many long-time and dear friends of both Governors. This is a warm reunion of many people who loved, admired and respected O. Max Gardner and Clyde R. Hoey. Each of them was a personal friend of mine and I admired them greatly. Each of these friends was an inspiration to me, and it is with great pleasure that I acknowledge their inspiring help.

The Honorable Edwin Gill, State Treasurer and a life-time friend of both departed Governors, has renewed our acquaintances with these two great men. Through his address we have lived again with the vigorous, direct Gardner and the eloquent, kindly Hoey. Both men served North Carolina with all their strength and moral force. While different in so many ways, both men made great contributions to the growth, stability and progress of North Carolina and its government.

We in North Carolina were extremely fortunate to have such leadership by men whose dedication and love for North Carolina could never be questioned. Gardner and Hoey were great figures whose personal magnetism, eloquent leadership, constructive programs, and devotion to our Democratic principles met the challenge of their times. Their record of service left to all of us who have followed them a great challenge.

May I express the hope that North Carolina will always be blessed with this type of dedicated leadership. The challenges of today and the future are overwhelming and will require the best leadership, the best programs, the best moral principles and the best of everything that we can muster.

In the name of the people of North Carolina, I am proud and pleased to accept the portrait of Governor O. Max Gardner and the portrait of Governor Clyde R. Hoey as permanent and cherished memorials for all time. It is a great honor to me to be able to accept these portraits for the State. To Mrs. Gardner and the members of the Gardner family, and to Mrs. Dan Paul and the members of the Hoey family, I know that I speak for everyone when I express warm appreciation for these gifts.
Introductions:

- Mrs. O. Max Gardner
- Mrs. N. Eugene Burgess
- Ralph Webb Gardner
- O. Max Gardner, Jr.

Benediction: Jack Percia Mansfield, Pastor

Smith Methodist Church, Roanoke Rapids

On motion of Senator Morgan the Joint Session dissolves.

The House is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton and resumes consideration of business, pursuant to its recess.

CALENDAR

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

H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

On motion of Mr. Long the committee amendment is adopted; the amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

Mr. Yarborough of Franklin offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Shreve offers an amendment which is adopted.

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

H. B. 766, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 147-45, relating to the distribution to the Utilities Commission of Supreme Court Reports and Session Laws.

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

H. B. 684, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to civil defense.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Columbus consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, May 31, 1957.

H. B. 712, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-51.1 relating to retired Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Courts.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

On motion of Mr. Long the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third reading, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 767, a bill to be entitled An act authorize the North Carolina Utilities Commission to enact rules and regulations governing the internal affairs and business of said commission and to require the Chairman of the Commission to administer and execute said rules and regulations.

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

H. B. 789, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 101 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to names of persons.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third reading, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 887, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10, Chapter 130 of the General Statutes so as to make it unlawful to trespass upon the watershed area of an unfiltered public water supply.

Mr. Wicker offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third reading, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 903, a bill to be entitled An act to require that at least one member of the Merit System Council shall have had experience in county government; that the Merit System Council and the State Personnel Council have two common members; to clarify the classification authority of the Merit System Council and the State Personnel Council; and to provide that certain regulations of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, the Merit System Council, the State Board of Health, and the State Board of Public Welfare shall under certain circumstances be advisory only.

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

H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled An act to require that manufacturers of household cleaners which contain volatile substances capable of producing toxic effect shall label such cleaners with a warning as to their contents and with directions as to their safe use.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the committee amendment is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, May 24, 1957.
H. B. 952, a bill to be entitled An act pertaining to notice to property owners by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

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

H. B. 1000, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-211.2 relating to the definitions of employee life insurance.

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

H. B. 1003, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1197, Session Laws of 1955 relating to the Salt Marsh Mosquito Study Commission.

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

H. B. 1004, a bill to be entitled An act relating to mosquito control in North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1010, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 109-11 relating to the acknowledgment and registration of official bonds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1015, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Subsection (d) of General Statutes 48-21 relating to the termination of the probationary period in adoption proceedings.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1030, a bill to be entitled An act for mandatory disposition of detainers within the state.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1031, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 164-10 relating to the Supplements to the General Statutes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1033, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize boards of county commissioners to designate the names of roads or streets in unincorporated areas.

On motion of Mr. Bost the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third reading, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 1053, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 6-5 of the General Statutes so as to eliminate inclusion of the jury tax in costs in criminal courts not having juries.

Mr. Long offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Long offers a second amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third reading, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1076, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 477, ratified April 19, 1957 so as to change the effective date thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Columbus the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11 o'clock A. M.

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NINETY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 24, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Powell, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Combs, Joseph and Iris Liverman of Tyrrell County are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House.

On motion of Mr. Valentine, Anne Sloan and Harriet Dill, daughters of Representative and Mrs. Dill of Edgecombe County, are made honorary pagettes of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Venters S. B. 340, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Subsection 5 of General Statutes 18-109 relating to the powers of the State Board of Alcoholic Control with regard to hearings by the Wine Division," is taken from the Committee on Appropriations and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Long H. B. 743, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors," is recalled from the Engrossing Office for further consideration by the House.
On motion of Mr. Long the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Long the vote by which the bill passed its second reading is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Long the bill is placed on today's Calendar for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin H. B. 1259, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the allocation of funds appropriated for area vocational training schools," is taken from the Committee on Education and recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Lodged Motion

Mr. Simpson lodges notice that he will, within three days, move that H. B. 857, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of Burke County the question of whether the Board of Commissioners of Burke County shall be elected for staggered four-year terms," be taken from the Committee on Local Government for consideration by the House.

The notice lodged is given acknowledgment.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 42, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the terms of the Superior Court for Chatham County.

H. B. 568, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-51 relating to the fees of physicians making examinations of mentally disordered persons in Johnston County.

H. B. 1121, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and other members of the Board of County Commissioners of Robeson County.

H. B. 1147, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the election of municipal officers of the Town of Castalia in Nash County.

H. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled An act creating three districts in Hyde County for the nomination and election of the Board of Education of said county.

H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

H. B. 789, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 101 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to names of persons.
H. B. 887, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10, Chapter 130, of the General Statutes so as to make it unlawful to trespass upon the watershed area of an unfiltered public water supply.

H. B. 1033, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize boards of county commissioners to designate the names of roads or streets in unincorporated areas.

H. B. 1053, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 6-5 of the General Statutes so as to eliminate inclusion of the jury tax in costs in criminal courts not having juries.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. R. 1221, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to repeal the excise taxes on the transportation of persons and property in interstate and intrastate commerce.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1237, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 2 of Chapter 153 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and other acts relating to the powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the rules are suspended and the bill placed on today's Calendar.

H. B. 1238, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of special bond tax districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of such districts and the levy of taxes within such districts for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

H. B. 111, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that farmer license plates be issued on a quarterly fee basis applicable to other vehicles.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the rules are suspended and the bill placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, May 28, 1957.

H. B. 768, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 62 of Volume 2B of the General Statutes relating to the issuance and distribution of reports of the North Carolina Utilities Commission authorizing the use of certified
mail in addition to registered mail for the purpose of serving certain notices, and to regulate the issuance of notices required by the Bus Act of 1949.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1139, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1060 of the Session Laws of 1945 to authorize the Board of Education of New Hanover County to pass the necessary resolutions of election to place Wilmington College under the Community College Act.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1242, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County to provide a building or buildings to house county offices and levying a special tax therefor.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1247, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 129 of the Private Laws of 1905 so as to increase the tax rate limitation for the Town of Salemburg.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 408, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County to levy a special tax for the purpose of defraying the cost of revaluation and reassessment of real property in said county.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 201, a bill to be entitled An act to secure compliance with the highway fuel use tax law by providing a penalty for failure to register.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

H. B. 1155, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Garland, in Sampson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1181, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission to determine ways and means of reducing the danger or hazard to citizens, residents, or property in Scotland County from the use of rifles in the taking of deer.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Vogler, for the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

H. R. 1011, a joint resolution calling upon the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to provide air conditioning for the Senate and House Chambers.

With a favorable report, as amended.
H. R. 1100, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Com-
mission by the Governor for the purpose of making plans for the con-
struction of a building to house the Executive and Legislative Branches of
the Government.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Vogler the resolution is recommitted to the Committee
on Appropriations.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 930, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite a portion of Article 13
of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, entitled "Em-
balmers and Funeral Directors."

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 1098, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 57 and 58 of
the General Statutes relating to the renewability of individual and blanket,
group and franchise hospitalization and accident and health insurance
policies.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Kerr, for the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

H. R. 248, a joint resolution to provide for the appointment of a Com-
mission to consider and submit to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly
proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State, or a proposed new
draft of the Constitution.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1197, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 28 of Article II
of the Constitution of North Carolina to provide that only five daily
meetings of the General Assembly shall be required during each week of
the Session.

With an unfavorable report.

H. R. 372, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a
Commission to study the State Constitution and submit recommendations
with respect to amendments or a revision thereof.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth, for the Committee on Higher Education.

H. B. 501, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of Revenue
Bonds by the Board of Trustees of Western Carolina College to pay the
cost of acquiring, constructing, enlarging or improving dormitories at
said institution; providing for the issuance of Revenue Refunding Bonds;
and providing for the imposition of increased rental for such facilities
and for similar facilities and for pledging such increased rentals to the
payment of such bonds.
With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 950, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the distribution of automobile registration plates by persons selling automobile insurance.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 1145, a bill to be entitled An act requiring commercial motor vehicles to be equipped with splash guards and stone deflectors.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1190, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the organization of the Department of Motor Vehicles.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 325, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-78 relating to the budget for capital outlay school fund.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 350, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize local boards of education to operate the public schools for four quarters each calendar year.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 415, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-186 relating to school bus routes.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Caswell consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

H. B. 471, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-74 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative Supplement to the General Statutes relating to the consolidation of city and county administrative units and the continuance of the tax in the former city administrative unit.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 970, a bill to be entitled An act requiring all teachers in the public schools of North Carolina holding graduate certificates to take national teachers examinations to be conducted under the supervision of the State Board of Education and to be rated according to the scores made on such tests.

With an unfavorable report.
H. B. 1217, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Article 14, Chapter 115, of the General Statutes relating to special local tax elections for school purposes.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the bill is recommitted to Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1228, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Pitt County Board of Education to convey title to the old Ayden Elementary School property to the Town of Ayden.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 88, a bill to be entitled An act repealing the proviso appearing at the end of the first paragraph of General Statutes 115-120 relating to the calling of elections to consolidate a part of a county school district with an adjoining city administration unit.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 348, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discontinuance of school bus transportation by reason of the extension of the corporate limits of any municipality.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Messrs. Hunt and Bost:

H. B. 1263, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-213 relating to exemption of the proceeds from group life insurance policies from liability for debts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 1264, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the amassing of funds with which to erect a new courthouse for Harnett County or to improve the existing courthouse of said county.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1265, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 535 of the Session Laws of 1955 establishing a separate office for the Clerk of Recorder’s Court of Harnett County, and providing for the election and term of office of the Clerk of the Recorder’s Court of Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 1266, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of New Bern, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Bowman:

H. B. 1267, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-4 relating to the election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 1268, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Salemburg in Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 1269, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 1270, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Chapter 243 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 and regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Granville County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Gobble and Stone:

H. B. 1271, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem to authorize the holding of sessions of the municipal court of said city in two divisions.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Wilson of Union, Powe and White:

H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the laws concerning loan agencies and brokers.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. R. 1273, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to study public school finance and related problems and to report to the Governor, the General Assembly, and the people of the state.

Referred to Committee on Education.
By Mr. Fowler.

H. B. 1274, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to the filing of legal documents for probate and recordation so as to include Surry County within the provisions of said Act.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

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. 380, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission to study the cause and control of cancer in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Health.

S. B. 411, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 50 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to establish limited residence for military personnel.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 430, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights-of-way for state highways located within municipalities.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety:

S. B. 438, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Concord City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Concord.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 442, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 15-199 relating to conditions of probation.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 860, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the payment of taxes in Mitchell County and to cancel and abate certain interest and penalties on delinquent taxes in said county.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Burleson the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 921, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Dunn Recorder’s Court in Harnett County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Gregory the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 471, a bill to be entitled An act creating the Pitt County Historical Commission.

On motion of Mr. Wooten the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1163, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1164, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Mount Airy in Surry County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1192, a bill to be entitled An act to establish a Law Library for the public officials and courts in Cleveland County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Brunswick, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Philpott, Pitt-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

Senate Committee Substitute for H. B. 810, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the parking authority of the City of Kinston to issue its notes to raise funds to acquire real property for parking purposes and to secure the payment of such notes by deed of trust upon the real estate so acquired.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 989, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Lumberton City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Lumberton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig; Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCravy, McKnight, Philpott, Pitt-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Durham.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 279, Public Local Laws of 1937, relating to the creation of school districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of school districts or special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts or units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder, and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the vote by which the amendment previously offered by him was adopted is reconsidered.

The amendment is withdrawn.

Mr. Yarborough of Franklin offers an amendment which is adopted.

The amendment being material, the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.
H. B. 1141, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 40, Private Laws of 1905, the same being the Charter of the Town of Tabor City, so as to increase the corporate boundaries thereof.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Statutes so as to permit persons to engage in business as a pawnbroker in unincorporated areas of Cumberland County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1177, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Farmville in Pitt County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 559, Public-Local Laws of 1935, relating to the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

Mr. Falls offers an amendment which is adopted.

The amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 1234, a bill to be entitled An act to create a Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund for the Peace Officers' Association of Brunswick County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Randall, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1237, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 2 of Chapter 153 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and other Acts relating to the powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1238, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of special bond tax districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of such districts and the levy of taxes within such districts for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Hickory, for an election in furtherance thereof, for the repeal of the Charter of the Town of Longview, and for other purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 541, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the municipal privilege license tax on security dealers.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-116 so as to authorize county-wide supplemental tax elections prior to the consolidation of city administrative units with the county administrative unit.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate:


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1162, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the issuance of ten million dollars in bonds of the state to provide for capital improvements for state institutions and agencies.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


The following pairs are announced: Mr. Arledge votes "Aye," Mr. Burleson votes "No;" Mr. O'Neal votes "Aye," and Mr. Wilson of Union votes "No."

STATEMENT BY MEMBER ON H. B. 1162

Exercising my privilege under the Constitution of North Carolina, I record my dissent from and protest to the passage of H. B. 1162 providing for the issuance of General Fund Bonds in the amount of $10,000,000.00 without a vote of the people of North Carolina, for the following reasons:

The General Fund has an estimated surplus from tax revenues of $64,000,000.00. This surplus means that taxes were levied for the biennium ending June 30, 1957, which were not required to meet appropriations.

It is proposed in the revenue bill for the next biennium to reduce taxes on the larger corporations to the amount of at least $14,000,000.00. No substantial tax reduction is granted to anyone else—not to the smaller corporations, not to the workers and farmers—not to anyone except the bigger foreign corporations.

I cannot reconcile the idea of a tax reduction of at least $14,000,000.00 to taxpayers best able to pay with a debt of $10,000,000.00 when the debt must be paid by all the people of the state.

The economy of the state is at peak prosperity. The State General Fund envisions a large surplus at the end of this biennium. Surplus revenues, tax reductions and the creation of a bond indebtedness at the same time do not make sense to me. Bond issues should be reserved for emergencies, and to such times as the economy of the state requires the stimulus of money provided by the use of the credit of the state.

In my judgment this bill is unsound and unwise financially, and represents bad political policy in that it is coupled with a tax reduction for the larger tax payers of the state. I regard it as offensive to the principles of the political faith to which I adhere.

/s/ Thomas Turner

H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavín, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Philpott, Pitt-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 96, General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, known as the Employment Security Law, to provide for the payment of additional contributions with respect to overdrawn account; to make certain changes in the benefit formula; to provide for additional administrative funds under the Social Security Act upon authorization by the General Assembly, and to further clarify certain provisions of said chapter.

On motion of Mr. White the committee amendment is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell consideration of the bill, as amended, is post¬poned until Monday, May 27, 1957.

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Com¬mission.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fee for issuance of motor vehicle operators license so as to provide for additional licensing services and facilities.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the committee amendment is adopted.
The amendment being material the adoption of the same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second roll call reading, as amended.

H. B. 643, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Board of Examiners in Psychology, define the duties and powers of that board, to provide for the examination and certification of psychologists, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting present are: Representatives Kemp, Maddrey, Shreve, Talton, and Thomas of Stanly—5.

H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of forest districts.

Mr. Ross offers an amendment.

Mr. Kerr moves that the bill and the amendment be tabled, the motion fails.

The question now recurs to the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Ross.

On motion of Mr. Wooten the bill and amendment are recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 971, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 343. An Act relating to the terms of Superior Court in Hertford County.

S. B. 388. An Act to amend General Statutes 87-26 relating to plumbing and heating contracting so as to provide for the issuance of license in the name of a corporation, partnership of trade name.

H. B. 667. An Act to amend General Statutes 18-127 relating to local option elections on the sale of beer and wine.


H. B. 854. An Act to amend Chapter 564 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to challenges in the Recorder's Court of Rutherford County.

H. B. 880. An Act to authorize the qualified voters of the City of Southport to determine whether Alcoholic Beverage Control Stores shall be established in said city and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits thereof.

H. B. 899. An Act to limit the investment of funds of mutual burial associations, and to empower the Burial Association Commissioner to subpoena witnesses and hold hearings.
H. B. 1027. An Act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Graham County for industrial developments and other purposes.

H. B. 1088. An Act to authorize appropriations by the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County for industrial development and other purposes.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M. at which time only public-local legislation will be considered.

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**NINETY-FOURTH DAY**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Saturday, May 25, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Buchanan reports for the Committee on the Journal that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Etheridge:

H. B. 1275, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 192, Session Laws of 1947, and Chapter 305 of the Session Laws of 1951, relating to the operation of motor vehicles in certain beach areas in Dare County.

Passed first reading.

On motion of Mr. Etheridge the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on the Calendar for Monday, May 27, 1957.

**CALENDAR**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 394, a bill to be entitled An act validating all extensions of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1018, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Spencer and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Spencer for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1092, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 435, Session Laws of 1945, relating to a Traffic Bureau in the City of Greensboro.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1093, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 37, Private Laws of 1923, which is designated "Charter of City of Greensboro."

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1094, a bill to be entitled An act to validate local improvement assessments heretofore levied and assessed by the City Council of the City of Greensboro.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1095, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 436 of the Session Laws of 1945 relative to establishing a War Memorial Fund and a War Memorial Fund Commission to acquire and hold property incidental to the construction of War Memorial.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1096, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning, zoning, and building regulations powers of the City of Greensboro and its governing body to the territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1097, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1334 of the Session Laws of 1955 providing for the regulation of the subdivision of land in and around municipalities so as to make said Act applicable to Guilford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1135, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County to extend the time for quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property for taxation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1140, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Chadbourn.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1149, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 137 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the disposition of certain delinquent taxes collected in Wayne County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1155, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Garland in Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1181, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission to determine ways and means of reducing the danger or hazard to citizens, residents, or property in Scotland County from the use of rifles in the taking of deer.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1184, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Board of County Commissioners of Currituck County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1186, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motorboats and other craft on the waters of Cape Fear, Deep, and Haw Rivers in Lee and Chatham Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1189, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Raleigh with respect to initiative and referendum elections.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1113, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 613 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 so as to provide for the election and compensation of a Clerk of the Recorder's Court in the Town of Mooresville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1193, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 211 of the Private Laws of 1939 amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount for the purpose of authorizing the City of Rocky Mount to expend from its
revenues received from its electric power system a sum not exceeding $25,000 for advertising the facilities of the City of Rocky Mount.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907 so as to provide for the election of the Recorder and Prosecuting Attorney of the Recorder's Court of the City of Rocky Mount.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1205, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mount Gilead in Montgomery County to sell cemetery lots owned by said town at private sale.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1209, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 108-11 relating to county boards of public welfare as the same applies to Gaston County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1210, a bill to be entitled An act to make inapplicable a part of Chapter 57, Public-Local Laws of 1925, relating to Yancey County so long as said county complies with the provisions of Article 5, Chapter 67, of the General Statutes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1211, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pasquotank County and the City Council of the City of Elizabeth City to fix the salary of certain county officials.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1213, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the Recorder's Court of Hamlet District, Richmond County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1215, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-340 and General Statutes 160-345 to prescribe the terms of office of Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Burlington in Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1216, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for listing and assessing property in Alleghany County for ad valorem taxes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1218, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 460, ratified the 24th day of April 1957, relating to the date for holding municipal elections in the Town of Cove City in Craven County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1220, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Wake County to promulgate ordinances, rules, and regulations governing the parking of automobiles and other vehicles on property owned by Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1222, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the revaluation and reassessment of real and personal property for taxation in Forsyth County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1224, a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 2 of Chapter 266, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1227, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1228, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Pitt County Board of Education to convey title to the old Ayden Elementary School property to the Town of Ayden.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1229, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Concord to change terms of office for certain appointive officials.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1230, a bill to be entitled An act to dissolve the Charter of "Trustees of North Carolina College," formerly of Mount Pleasant, North Carolina,
and to repeal Chapter 357, Private Laws of 1909, creating said corporation, and Chapter 1, Private Laws, Extra Session, 1921, and Chapter 13, Private Laws of 1939, relating to the Charter of "Trustees of North Carolina College," and all other acts and amendments relating to said "Trustees of North Carolina College."

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1235, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Craven, in its discretion, to postpone the revaluation of taxable real property situate in said county, not later than the year 1961.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1239, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Lincolnton to appropriate $500.00 to Lincoln County Life Saving and First Aid Crew, Inc.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1240, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lincoln to appropriate $500.00 to Lincoln County Life Saving and First Aid Crew, Inc.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1041 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund of Halifax County.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 260, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an increase in the salaries of certain county employees of Stokes County, to authorize the County Commissioners of Stokes County to hire an additional clerk and to amend Chapter 837 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salaries and number of certain county officials of Stokes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 424, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Iredell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the House adjourns and will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by Mr. Britt, Representative from Bladen County.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake, Cecilia Lofberg of Stockholm, Sweden, is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hill, Perry Wilder Norris of Durham County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Shreve S. B. 293 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) by inserting a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes," is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Corporations.

**REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement "The Revenue Act," being Subchapter I of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Falls the committee substitute bill is adopted.

Passed first reading.

On motion of Mr. Falls the bill is made a Special Order for tomorrow, Tuesday, May 28, 1957.

H. B. 19, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for tax rebates on motor fuels used on a farm for farming purposes.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 145, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-149 so as to provide a $2,000 income tax exemption for widows having net taxable incomes not to exceed $4,000.00.

With an unfavorable report.
H. B. 762, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for tax rebates on fuels not used upon the highways.

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. Uzzell:

H. R. 1276, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to study and make recommendations for the adoption of a uniform map law for the State of North Carolina and to report its findings to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Holmes, Uzzell and Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 1277, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for voluntary inspection of motor vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. McCrary:

H. B. 1278, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 429 of the Session Laws of 1951 so as to increase the salary of the County Manager of Haywood County from $3600.00 to $4200.00 per year.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Holcombe:

H. B. 1279, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 109, Session Laws of 1951, so as to provide a travel allowance for the Sheriff of Yancey County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Williams of Pasquotank:

H. B. 1280, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Pasquotank County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Davis:

H. B. 1281, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Forest City.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.
By Mr. Buchanan:

H. B. 1282, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the acquisition of school sites of Jackson County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Pittman:

H. B. 1283, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Halifax County to purchase land outside the corporate limits for municipal government purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1284, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of justices of the peace in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Kennedy:

H. B. 1285, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the barring of tax liens in Wilkes County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Askew:

H. B. 1286, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 47 of the General Statutes so as to validate the registration of deeds, deeds of trust, mortgages, chattel mortgages, contracts and other instruments filed on a date preceding the date of the Clerk's order of registration.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1287, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-389 so as to authorize the Commissioners of Gates County to appoint an assistant prosecuting attorney of the Gates County Criminal Court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Watkins:

H. B. 1288, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Granville County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 1289, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City of Burlington to make certain local improvements and prescribing the procedure therefor and for the assessment of all or a part of the cost thereof.

Referred to Committee on Finance.
And,

H. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a council of five members and to amend General Statutes 160-340, General Statutes 160-341 and General Statutes 160-345 to prescribe the terms of office of the Mayor and Councilmen of the Town of Graham in Alamance County and otherwise to make Plan D form of municipal government apply to said town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-346 relating to the salaries of the members of the City Council of the City of Burlington.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Reynolds and Floyd of Robeson:

H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes relating to pensions for certain public school superintendents and assistant superintendents.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Britt:

H. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the enforcement of ordinances on the waters of White Lake in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Jones of Ashe:

H. B. 1294, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the members of the Ashe County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Phelps:

H. B. 1295, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 65-7 of the General Statutes so as to increase the amount which may be placed in the hands of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County for cemetery maintenance.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the closing of a part of Bullard Street in the Town of Plymouth, and its conveyance to the Washington County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bell:
H. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Harkers Island in Carteret County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 1298, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 120-33 relating to the compensation of employees of the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Pittman:

H. B. 1299, a bill to be entitled An act to dissolve the Charter of the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District and to authorize the City of Roanoke Rapids to assume all of the duties and obligations of the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District and to authorize the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District to turn over all of its assets to the City of Roanoke Rapids.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Venters and Hill:

H. B. 1300, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate certain surplus revenues collected during the fiscal year 1957-58 to pay bond anticipation notes issued pursuant to the State Capital Improvement Bond Act of 1957.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. Turner, Kemp, Hunt and Shreve:

H. B. 1301, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of property in those areas annexed or merged to the City of Greensboro by action of the General Assembly of 1957.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Whitley, by request:

H. B. 1302, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 116-120 so as to authorize the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton so as to eliminate the word "deaf" from the name of said institution.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 1303, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 116-105 so as to authorize the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the State School for the Blind and Deaf to change the name of said school so as to eliminate all reference to the handicap of the student attending said institution.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Bost and Shreve:
H. B. 1304, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 1371 and 1230 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to filing of certificates of incorporation with the Secretary of State.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

And,

H. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled An act to grant permission to G. D. Medlin T/A Medlin Electric Service to institute legal proceedings against the State of North Carolina and East Carolina Teachers College to litigate a controversy between G. D. Medlin and East Carolina Teachers College.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the Session Laws of 1947 so as to raise jurors' fees in Chatham County from five dollars to seven dollars per day.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Vogler, Stone, Hughes, Woodard of Northampton, Wallace, Snepp, Kemp, Hicks, Lloyd, Wilson of Caswell, Simpson, Harriss of Rowan, Yarborough of Cumberland, Henley and Williams of Pasquotank:

H. B. 1307, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 95 of the General Statutes relating to assignments of wages to secure purchase of food, fuel or rent.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

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. 287, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the acts of clerks of the Superior Courts of the several counties of the state while serving as judge of the county juvenile courts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 314, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal General Statutes 153-54 relating to prison bounds.

Referred to Committee on Penal Institutions.

S. B. 322, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain sections of Chapter 139 of the General Statutes relating to soil conservation districts.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 330, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 101 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to names of persons.
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Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 443, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-315 so as to make mandatory the furnishing of lists of motor vehicles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles to all the counties of the state.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 446, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 106-435 relating to the collection and investment of funds for the support of a system of marketing cotton and other agricultural commodities.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. R. 461, a joint resolution calling upon the North Carolina Bar Association Special Committee on Improving and Expediting the Administration of Justice in North Carolina to study the creation of a state system of district family courts in North Carolina and to report its findings to the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1142, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the vaccination of dogs in Mecklenburg County.

Returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Snepp 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. 243, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

Passes its third reading, as amended, by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbaugh, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Wilson of

Those voting in the negative are: None.

Senate Committee Substitute for H. B. 810, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the parking authority of the City of Kinston to issue its notes to raise funds to acquire real property for parking purposes and to secure the payment of such notes by deed of trust upon the real estate so acquired.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 989, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Lumberton City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Lumberton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Durham.

Mr. Powe offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Powe offers the second amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1141, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 40, Private Laws of 1905, the same being the Charter of the Town of Tabor City, so as to increase the corporate boundaries thereof.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1172, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Statutes so as to permit persons to engage in business as a pawnbroker in unincorporated areas of Cumberland County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1177, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Farmville in Pitt County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1234, a bill to be entitled An act to create a law enforcement officers' relief fund for the Peace Officers Association of Brunswick County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1237, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 2 of Chapter 153 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and other Acts relating to the powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1238, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of special bond tax districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of such districts and the levy of taxes within such districts for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 404, a bill to be entitled An act for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Hickory, for an election in furtherance thereof, for the repeal of the Charter of the Town of Longview, and for other purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbaugh, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Spelght, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 279, Public-Local Laws of 1937, relating to the creation of school districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of school districts or special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts or units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder, and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 559, Public-Local Laws of 1935, relating to the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1242, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County to provide a building or buildings to house county offices and levying a special tax therefor.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1247, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 129 of the Private Laws of 1905 so as to increase the tax rate limitation for the Town of Salemburg.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 408, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County to levy a special tax for the purpose of defraying the cost of revaluation and reassessment of real property in said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1154, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the Town of Mocksville to provide for the nomination of candidates for the office of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mocksville by party primaries.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1275, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 192, Session Laws of 1947, and Chapter 305 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the operation of motor vehicles in certain beach areas in Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 124, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-84 relating to the powers of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—110.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 643, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Board of Examiners in psychology, define the duties and powers of that Board, to provide for the examination and certification of psychologists, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Taylor offers an amendment.

Mr. Whitley moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1, which motion fails. The question now recurs to the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Taylor.

Mr. Speaker Doughton rules the amendment offered by Mr. Taylor is out of order.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading, as amended.

Mr. Uzzell moves that consideration of the bill be postponed until Tuesday, May 28, 1957, the motion fails.

Mr. Blue calls the previous question, the call sustains.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading, as amended.

The bill passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.
On motion of Mr. Kerr consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, May 28, 1957.

H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fee for issuance of motor vehicle operator's license so as to provide for additional licensing services and facilities.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burleson, Carpenter, Clark, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Ferebee, Gavin, Hostetler, Hughes, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Murphy, Randall, Simpson, Taylor, Turner, Valentine, Vann, White, Whitley and Zollicoffer—33.

H. B. 501, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds by the Board of Trustees of Western Carolina College to pay the cost of acquiring, constructing, enlarging or improving dormitories at said institution; providing for the issuance of revenue refunding bonds; and providing for the imposition of increased rental for such facilities and for similar facilities and for pledging such increased rentals to the payment of such bonds.

The Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading, as amended, by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 96, General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, known as the Employment Security Law, to provide for the payment of additional contributions with respect to overdrawn accounts; to make certain changes in the benefit formula; to provide for additional administrative funds under the Social Security Act upon authorization by the General Assembly, and to further clarify certain provisions of said chapter.

Passes its second reading, as amended, by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Johnson and Woodard of Wilson—2.

H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Brock, Burleson, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Gavin, Gregory, Harriss of Rowan, Hostetler, Hughes, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Murphy, O'Neal, Pittman, Quinn, Randall, Satterfield, Simpson, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Turner, Vann, Whitley, Woodard of Northampton, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—36.

H. B. 1139, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1060 of the Session Laws of 1945 to authorize the Board of Education of New Hanover County to pass the necessary resolutions of election to place Wilmington College under the Community College Act.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

Mr. Umstead moves that all the bills on the Public Calendar at the present time be considered and disposed of before any Public bills, other than roll calls, are added thereto; the motion prevails.

On motion of Mr. Carpenter the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock noon.

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**NINETY-SIXTH DAY**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Tuesday, May 28, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by Mr. Powell, Representative from Rockingham County.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Taylor, Dora Anne Little and Nancy Shelton of Anson County and Lockhart Ledbetter of Richmond County are made honorary pagettes and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Taylor the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Hal Little, former member of the House from Anson County.

Mr. Speaker Doughton announces the death of one of the State's most beloved figures, particularly in the field of Education, Dr. B. B. Dougherty, President Emeritus of Appalachian State Teachers' College; Messrs. U姆stead and Brock joined Mr. Doughton in paying tribute to Dr. Dougherty.

Mr. Kiser is granted a leave of absence today due to a death in his family.

On motion of Mr. Turner H. B. 1262 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain property owners in Onslow County," is taken from the Committee on Local Government and recommitted to the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

H. B. 643, a bill to be entitled An act to create a State Board of Examiners in psychology, define the duties and powers of that board, to provide for the examination and certification of psychologists, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

H. B. 1194, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907 so as to provide for the election of the Recorder and Prosecuting Attorney of the Recorder's Court of the City of Rocky Mount.

H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Durham.

REPORT 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. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.
H. B. 1007, a bill to be entitled An act to restore to the residents of Bladen County the privilege of hunting and fishing without purchase of a state hunting or fishing license in that part of Robeson County known and designated as “The Big Swamp.”

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1176, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the chasing, shooting, or taking of deer while the deer is swimming or in water to its knees.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1254, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Hope Mills in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

H. R. 1256, a joint resolution requesting the United States Department of the Interior to clarify and make specific the terms of its anti-baiting regulations on migratory waterfowl.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Long, for the Committee on Public Utilities.

S. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 40-2 and General Statutes 60-146 relating to the power of eminent domain so as to include rights of way for pipe lines for the transmission of coal in suspension.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 337, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 56-5 relating to the power of eminent domain granted to telegraph, telephone, electric power and lighting companies.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Quinn, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1105, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net proceeds from the operation of alcoholic beverage control stores in the event such stories shall be established in Lee County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1106, a bill to be entitled An act to restrict the right of the qualified voters of Lee County to determine whether beer or wine shall be legally sold in said county.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1174, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the calling of an election for the purpose of determining whether or not beer or wine may be sold in Croatan Township in Dare County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 1244, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the issuance of licenses for the retail sale of beer and wine in Jacksonville.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 658, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-18.1 so as to prohibit the State Highway and Public Works Commission and its agents and employees, and others, from planting or using bermuda grass, nut grass, johnson grass, or sand spurs on highway rights of way.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 381, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 446, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 106-435 relating to the collection and investment of funds for the support of a system of marketing cotton and other agricultural commodities.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Wilson of Union, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 893, a bill to be entitled An act relating to election petitions one year after the date of issuance and to prohibit the holding thereafter of elections based upon such petitions.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 1258, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1152 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the procedure for the election of members of the City Council of the City of Burlington in Alamance County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1285, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the barring of tax liens in Wilkes County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1302, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 116-120 so as to authorize the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton so as to eliminate the word “deaf” from the name of said institution.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1303, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 116-105 so as to authorize the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the State School for the Blind and the Deaf to change the name of said school
so as to eliminate all reference to the handicap of the student attending said institution.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 287, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the acts of clerks of the Superior Courts of the several counties of the state while serving as Judge of the County Juvenile Courts.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Subsection 5 of General Statutes 18-109 relating to the powers of the State Board of Alcoholic Control with regard to hearings by the Wine Division.

With a favorable report.

House committee substitute for S. B. 342, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to provide that partially destroyed buildings and parts thereof be included under the terms of the statute.

With an unfavorable report as to Senate bill, favorable report as to House committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the House committee substitute bill is adopted.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 151-7 relating to the powers and duties of township constables.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 143, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that the entering and acceptance of a plea of nolo contendere shall constitute a conviction within the meaning of the Uniform Driver’s License Act.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 445, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 105-393 relating to the time for contesting the validity of tax foreclosure titles.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 671, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 20 of Chapter 28 of the General Statutes so as to clarify the powers of joint personal representatives.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 672, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 52-12(a) relating to contracts of wife with husband so as to remove therefrom the words relating to personal property and to specifically include therein separation agreements and to amend General Statutes 47-39 so as to include a provision regarding private examination in the acknowledgment.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 1056, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 6 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes to authorize any sanitary district upon entering into a contract with a city or town to which all of such district shall be annexed to transfer and convey to a non-profit and non-stock corporation, organized under Chapter 55 or other applicable chapters of the General Statutes of North Carolina for recreational purposes, and providing for the continuance in office of members of a sanitary district board and defining the duties of such board when the area included within the limits of a sanitary district are annexed to an incorporated city or town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1111, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-176 relating to penalties for violations of the Motor Vehicles Law.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1185, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the transfer of any surplus from the bonded indebtedness of Harnett County and for the transfer of unclaimed witness checks in the Superior Court and the Recorder's Court of Harnett County to the general fund of Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1231, a bill to be entitled An act giving authority to the Board of County Commissioners of Harnett County to appropriate from county funds a sum of money not exceeding twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) to be used for the construction of the General William C. Lee Memorial.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1274, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to the filing of legal documents for probate and recordation so as to include Surry County within the provisions of said act.

With a favorable report.

H. R. 1276, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission to study and make recommendations for the adoption of a uniform map law for the State of North Carolina and to report its findings to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1282, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the acquisition of school sites in Jackson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the closing of a part of Bullard Street in the Town of Plymouth, and its conveyance to the Washington County Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 63, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the rules of the road provisions of the Motor Vehicle Law.
With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 420, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-2 relating to the taking of acknowledgments by officers of the armed forces of the United States.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 1255, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kenansville to execute on behalf of the Town of Kenansville a deed to certain property in the Town of Kenansville to the County Board of Education of Duplin County and for the County Board of Education to exchange said property with Duplin County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1266, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of New Bern, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the enforcement of ordinances on the waters of White Lake in Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Harkers Island in Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1299, a bill to be entitled An act to dissolve the Charter of the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District and to authorize the City of Roanoke Rapids to assume all of the duties and obligations of the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District and to authorize the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District to turn over all of its assets to the City of Roanoke Rapids.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1301, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of property in those areas annexed or merged to the City of Greensboro by action of the General Assembly of 1957.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:
By Messrs. Long and Umstead:

H. R. 1308, a joint resolution commending James R. Thompson for his heroism in saving the life of Shirley Holder and recommending James R. Thompson to the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission for a medal for heroism.

On motion of Mr. Long the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston:

H. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Princeton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 1310, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 797 of the Session Laws of 1949 and to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Harnett County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Anderson:

H. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the filing of notice of candidacy for the offices of Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Rhodhiss in Caldwell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Williams of Yadkin:

H. B. 1312, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Yadkin County Board of Education to convey to Windsor's Crossroads Developments, Inc., the Windsor's Crossroads Elementary School property no longer needed for school purposes.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Satterfield:

H. B. 1313, a bill to be entitled An act to fix and regulate the salaries of the Sheriff, Deputy Sheriffs, and Register of Deeds in Person County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Falls:

H. B. 1314, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the salaries of the members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Shelby.
Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 1315, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Commissioners of the City of Kings Mountain, North Carolina, to swap vacant tract now used for dumping area for larger tract.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Long:

H. B. 1316, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1160 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the filing of papers by clerks of the superior courts so as to make said chapter applicable to Alamance County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Bell, by request:

H. B. 1317, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Emerald Isle, North Carolina, in Carteret County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Wooten and O'Neal:

H. B. 1318, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of dike and levee districts in Hyde County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 1319, a bill to be entitled An act to clarify the authority of the State Highway Commission to contract for engineering and like services.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

By Messrs. Powe and Hill:

H. B. 1320, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate and license the peddling and sale of college or university scholastic colors, emblems, and other like articles in athletic contests in Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

And,

H. B. 1321, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 to authorize employment of a plumbing inspector in the unincorporated areas of Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 1322, a bill to be entitled An act to fix certain fees of the Register of Deeds, Clerk of the Superior Court and Sheriff of Franklin County.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Wilson of Caswell, by request:

H. B. 1323, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Caswell County to fix the hours during which county offices shall remain open in Caswell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 1324, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the existing laws relating to the territorial jurisdiction of Recorder Courts of Beaufort County in Washington and Aurora.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 1325, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the nomination and election of the Board of Commissionners of Bertie County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1326, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 897 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to provide for the payment of certain funds into the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund in Bertie County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1327, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 279 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the salaries of the County Commissioners of Bertie County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Hill, Holmes and Woodard of Wilson:

H. B. 1328, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina Section 53-70 relative to fees on remittances covering checks.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Blue:

H. B. 1329, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of fortune-telling in Moore County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Venters and Falls:

H. B. 1330, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to provide student housing by the Boards of Trustees of the
University of North Carolina, Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina, Appalachian State Teachers' College, East Carolina College, Elizabeth City State Teachers' College, Fayetteville State Teachers' College, North Carolina College at Durham, Pembroke State College, Western Carolina College and Winston-Salem Teachers' College.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Stone and Gobble:

H. B. 1331, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 400, 1945 Session Laws relating to the administration of certain estates by the Clerk of Superior Court of Forsyth County so as to provide for the administration thereof when same does not exceed the value of two thousand dollars.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 1332, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a Clerk of the Durham County Civil Court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 1333, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town Council of Whiteville to dispose of certain property at private sale.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following bills, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 396, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of mosquito control districts and to define their powers and duties.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 425, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the terms of office of members of the Iredell County Board of Education.

Referred to Committee on Education.

S. B. 427, a bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 428, a bill to be entitled An act to modify the definition of the word "intersection" in the Motor Vehicle Laws.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 431, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.
Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 435, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Judge of the Morehead City Recorder's Court.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 447, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-284.9 relating to the sale of irish potatoes and sweet potatoes and parts thereof offered for the purpose of propagation.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 449, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 35-37 relating to the eugenical sterilization of persons not in institutions.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 451, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1258 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the Northampton County Law Enforcement Officers Relief Association to construct a building for use by said association.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 463, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1202, Session Laws of 1955, so as to relieve the Town of Pembroke of its obligation to provide free sewage disposal service to Pembroke State College.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 476, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the game of bingo in the Town of White Lake in Bladen County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 231, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-150 so as to place certain responsibility upon the principals of the public schools with regard to fire safety.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Fowler the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 713, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1071, 1953 Session Laws, authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the government thereof so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the operation or use of race tracks for motor vehicles racing in Forsyth County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 879, a bill to be entitled An act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina.
Returned for concurrence in Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Wicker the House concurs in the Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1102, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to sell or lease certain real property to the City of Washington.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Ross 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. 1134, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 279, Public-Local Laws of 1937, relating to the creation of school districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of school districts or special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts or units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder, and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 559, Public-Local Laws of 1935, relating to the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes
within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1242, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County to provide a building or buildings to house county offices and levying a special tax therefor.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 1247, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 129 of the Private Laws of 1905 so as to increase the tax rate limitation for the Town of Salemburg.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 408, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County to levy a special tax for the purpose of defraying the cost of revaluation and reassessment of real property in said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
SPECIAL ORDER

The hour for the Special Order having arrived Mr. Speaker Doughton lays before the House for consideration H. B. 12 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement 'the Revenue Act' being Sub-
chapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes."

On motion of Mr. Falls consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 30, 1957.

H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fee for issuance of motor vehicle operator's license so as to provide for additional licensing services and facilities.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Brock, Burleson, Carpenter, Clark, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Gavin, Griggs, Henley, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kennedy, Kerr, Lloyd, Martin, Murphy, Quinn, Randall, Satterfield, Simpson, Thomas of Stanly, Turner, Valentine, Vann, White, Whitley, Wicker, Wooten, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—42.

H. B. 501, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds by the Board of Trustees of Western Carolina College to pay the cost of acquiring, constructing, enlarging or improving dormitories at said institution; providing for the issuance of revenue refunding bonds; and providing for the imposition of increased rental for such facilities and for similar facilities and for pledging such increased rentals to the payment of such bonds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 96, General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, known as the Employment Security Law, to provide for the payment of additional contributions with respect to overdrawn accounts; to make certain changes in the benefit formula; to provide for additional administrative funds under the Social Security Act upon authorization by the General Assembly, and to further clarify certain provisions of said chapter.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 743, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

The bill fails to pass its third reading by the following vote.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Bost, Bynum, Byrum, Childers, Craig; Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gobble, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, Long, Mad-

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Buchanan, Burgess, Carpenter, Clark, Combs, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Gavin, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Harriss of Rowan, Hewlett, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Jones of Ashe, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, Murphy, Philpott, Pittman, Powell, Randall, Rodenbough, Satterfield, Simpson, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Turner, Uzzell, Vann, Wall, Wallace, White, Whitley, Wicker, Woodard of Northampton, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—54.

H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

Mr. Uzzell offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Eggers, Etheridge, Gavin, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hewlett, Houk, Hughes, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Randall, Satterfield, Simpson, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Turner, Vann, Wall, White, Whitley, Wicker, Woodard of Northampton, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—47.

H. B. 1139, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1060 of the Session Laws of 1945 to authorize the Board of Education of New Hanover County to pass the necessary resolutions of election to place Wilmington College under the Community College Act.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 48, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting, rearranging, renumbering, and amending the Public Health Laws of the State of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton Committee Amendment No. 1 is adopted.

Mr. Martin offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Childers offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Jones of Pitt offers an amendment.

Mr. Satterfield offers an amendment and calls for the "Ayes" and "Noes" on the adoption of same, the call sustains.

The amendment is adopted by the following vote.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
Mr. Jones of Pitt withdraws his amendment.

The amendments adopted being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill, as amended, and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 217. An Act to reactivate the municipal government of the Towns of Swanns in Lee County.

S. B. 471. An Act creating the Pitt County Historical Commission.

H. B. 552. An Act to amend Chapter 496 of the Session Laws of 1955, establishing a pension fund for the retirement and disability of members of the Police Department of the City of High Point.

H. B. 600. An Act amending Article 19, Chapter 163, of the General Statutes so as to remove Cherokee County from the operation of the statewide primary law for the purpose of nominating democratic candidates for county offices and members of the General Assembly.


H. B. 860. An Act to regulate the payment of taxes in Mitchell County and to cancel and abate certain interest and penalties on delinquent taxes in said county.

H. B. 921. An Act to fix the salaries of the Judge and the Solicitor of the Dunn Recorder's Court in Harnett County.

H. B. 980. An Act to amend Chapter 238 of the Private Laws of 1935 relating to the maintenance of "junk yards" within the Town of Graham, Alamance County, North Carolina.


On motion of Mr. Vann the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11 o'clock A. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by Mr. Thomas, Representative from Johnston County.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union, James Wilson, Connie Sue Wilson, Linda Covington and Benton Kay Covington, all of Caswell County, are made honorary pagettes and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union, Dorothy Lynn Combs of Tyrrell County, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Combs, is made an honorary pagette of the House.

On motion of Mr. McKnight, Charles B. Winberry, Jr., of Iredell County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Gregory, Carson Gregory, Jr., Joe Gregory, Wilson Ray Lewis, and Frances Gregory of Harnett County are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

The motion lodged by Mr. Simpson on H. B. 857, entitled “a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of Burke County the question of whether the Board of Commissioners of Burke County shall be elected for staggered four-year terms,” to withdraw the bill from the Committee on Local Government is withdrawn, after statement by Chairman, Mr. Turner, that the bill will be reported by his committee on May 30, 1957.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 416, a bill to be entitled An act relative to fee for issuance of motor vehicle operator's license so as to provide for additional licensing services and facilities.

H. B. 501, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of Revenue Bonds by the Board of Trustees of Western Carolina College to pay the cost of acquiring, constructing, enlarging, or improving dormitories at said institution; providing for the issuance of Revenue Refunding Bonds; and providing for the imposition of increased rental for such facilities and for similar facilities and for pledging such increased rentals to the payment of such bonds.
H. B. 1134, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 279, Public-Local Laws of 1937, relating to the creation of school districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of school districts or special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts or units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder, and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

H. B. 587, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 96, General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, known as the Employment Security Law, to provide for the payment of additional contributions with respect to overdrawn accounts; to make certain changes in the benefit formula; to provide for additional administrative funds under the Social Security Act upon authorization by the General Assembly, and to further clarify certain provisions of said chapter.

H. B. 1183, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 559, Public-Local Laws of 1935, relating to the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder and all bonds issued, and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

H. B. 744, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

REPORT 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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1214, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the regulation, taxation, control, and licensing of racing within the State of North Carolina; to create and establish a State Racing Commission, prescribe its duties and authority; to fix the terms of office, compensation, and manner of appointment of its members; to provide for county-wide referenda; to allocate revenues among the various counties of this state, and otherwise to establish a procedure for the issuance of licenses to conduct racing operations; to regulate pari-mutuel pools conducted in connection with racing operations; to declare the purpose and intent of this act; to repeal conflicting laws; to establish the effective date; and for other purposes.

Reported without prejudice, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton, for the Committee on Health.
H. B. 867, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the sale of sodium hydroxide, or concentrated lye.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 882, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the drivers' licenses of persons subject to convulsive seizures and similar conditions.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Whitley, for the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. B. 1029, a bill to be entitled An act relating to fees on remittances covering checks.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1328, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina, Section 53-70, relative to fees on remittances covering checks.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 397, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Subchapter 111 of Chapter 54 of the General Statutes, relating to the interest, rate, fees, powers and duties, and voluntary dissolution of credit unions.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1114, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of constables in Durham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1236, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of Justices of the Peace in Currituck County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1278, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 429 of the Session Laws of 1951 so as to increase the salary of the County Manager of Haywood County from $3600 to $4200 per year.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1281, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Forest City.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the Session Laws of 1947 so as to raise jurors' fees in Chatham County from five dollars to seven dollars per day.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 1310, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 797 of the Session Laws of 1949 and to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1313, a bill to be entitled An act to fix and regulate the salaries of the Sheriff, Deputy Sheriffs, and Register of Deeds in Person County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1314, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the salaries of the members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Shelby.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 427, a bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Gregory, for the Committee on Insurance.

H. B. 1158, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 66 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the licensing and regulation of motor clubs and associations by the Commissioner of Insurance, and to provide for fees in connection therewith.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Craig, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 1245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 602 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913, and Chapter 482 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939, and regulating the demand for jury trials in the Recorder's Court of Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

S. B. 81, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Building Code Council and authorizing it to adopt, amend, and interpret a State Building Code, and hear appeals from agencies enforcing the code.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1091, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Legislative Research Committee.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Clark the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 1182, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate duplication of effort in the water pollution control programs of the state.

With a favorable report.
By Mr. Womble of Forsyth, for the Committee on Higher Education.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 884, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the administration of a student loan fund for teacher education, to be known as the Scholarship Loan Fund for prospective teachers.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 1330, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to provide student housing by the Boards of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina, Appalachian State Teachers College, East Carolina College, Elizabeth City State Teachers College, Fayetteville State Teachers College, North Carolina College at Durham, Pembroke State College, Western Carolina College, and Winston-Salem Teachers College.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the bill is recommitted to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. R. 1273, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to study public school finance and related problems and to report to the Governor, the General Assembly, and the people of the state.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes relating to pensions for certain public school superintendents and assistant superintendents.

Reported without prejudice.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the bill is recommitted to Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

H. B. 1312, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Yadkin County Board of Education to convey to Windsor's Crossroads Developments, Inc., the Windsor's Crossroads Elementary School property no longer needed for school purposes.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 281, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Subsection 5 of General Statutes 115-183 relating to the purposes for which school buses may be used.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 282, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15 of Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to require boards of education and the tax
levying authorities to protect the investment in public school buildings and equipment.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 425, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the terms of office of members of the Iredell County Board of Education.

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. Whitley:

H. B. 1334, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-122 relating to fees to be paid the Commissioner of Banks for making examinations of loan agencies or brokers.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 1335, a bill to be entitled An act prohibiting motorcycle and motor vehicle races on Sunday in Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 1336, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-31.3 so as to clarify and extend the provisions thereof.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Powell:

H. B. 1337, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Mayodan, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Holmes:

H. B. 1338, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to employ additional law enforcement officers and to make appropriations for such purpose.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1339, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in Perquimans County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Jones of Pitt and Valentine:
H. B. 1340, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4 of Chapter 62 of the General Statutes relating to the supervision of public utilities by the Utilities Commission.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Messrs. Womble of Wake, Harris of Wake, and Whitley:

H. B. 1341, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the salaries of certain public officers of Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Jordan, Craig, and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 1342, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of privately-owned cemeteries in Buncombe County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Pittman, Hardy, Whitehurst, Jones of Pitt, and Hostetler:

H. B. 1343, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that trailers or semi-trailers designed and used solely for transporting liquid nitrogen shall be taxed at the rate of one-half of the rate of taxation provided for private haulers.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Eggers, by request:

H. B. 1344, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Watauga County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 1345, a bill to be entitled An act relating to certain sheriff's fees and to the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court in Currituck County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled An act for the better protection of migratory wild fowl in Currituck Sound and its tributaries to enable the County of Currituck to cooperate with the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 1347, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 55 of the General Statutes relating to corporate finance.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Johnson and Hewlett:
H. B. 1348, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-135 so as to change the punishment for cutting timber belonging to someone else.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Woodard of Wilson:

H. B. 1349, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1061 of the Session Laws of 1945 relating to elections in the Town of Stantonsburg in Wilson County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt and Kemp:

H. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1015 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salary of the Clerk of Court of the Superior Court of Guilford County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

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. 251, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-102 relating to license taxes on junk dealers.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 559 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of bonds concerning the purposes for which bonds may be issued and giving authority to call an election upon the issuance of bonds if the issuance of bonds has heretofore not been approved by the voters.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 384, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 88 of the General Statutes relating to cosmetic art.

Referred to Committee on Finance.


Passed first reading and placed on the Calendar.

S. B. 421, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 57 and 58 of the General Statutes relating to the renewability of individual and blanket, group and franchise hospitalization, and accident and health insurance policies.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.
S. B. 437, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for voluntary inspection of meat, meat products, and meat by-products.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 439, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize each governing board of the several public school administrative units of Iredell County to each set up a capital outlay reserve fund for the cost of new school sites or addition to present school sites, new school buildings, new additional construction at existing buildings and equipment for such new buildings and for new additional construction.

Referred to Committee on Education.

On motion of Mr. Ross S. B. 251, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-102 relating to license taxes on junk dealers," is withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and placed on today's Calendar.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

On motion of Mr. Uzzell House Resolution authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee to study the 1957 Rules of the House and make its report to the 1959 Session of the House of Representatives is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell consideration of the "Amendment to Rule 54," which was offered on May 21, is postponed until Wednesday, June 5, 1957.

Mr. Uzzell requests permission to withdraw House Resolution offered by him concerning S. B. 157; permission is granted.

H. B. 1105, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net proceeds from the operation of Alcoholic Beverage Control Stores in the event such stores shall be established in Lee County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1106, a bill to be entitled An act to restrict the right of the qualified voters of Lee County to determine whether beer or wine shall be legally sold in said county.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1174, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the calling of an election for the purpose of determining whether or not beer or wine may be sold in Croatan Township in Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1185, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the transfer of any surplus from the bonded indebtedness of Harnett County and for the transfer of unclaimed witness checks in the Superior Court and the Recorder's Court of Harnett County to the General Fund of Harnett County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1231, a bill to be entitled An act giving authority to the Board of County Commissioners of Harnett County to appropriate from county funds a sum of money not exceeding twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) to be used for the construction of the General William C. Lee Memorial.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1244, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the issuance of licenses for the retail sale of beer and wine in Jacksonville.

On motion of Mr. Quinn the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1254, a bill to be entitled An act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Hope Mills in Cumberland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1255, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kenansville to execute on behalf of the Town of Kenansville a deed to certain property in the Town of Kenansville to the County Board of Education of Duplin County and for the County Board of Education to exchange said property with Duplin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1258, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1152 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the procedure for the election of members of the City Council of the City of Burlington in Alamance County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1274, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to the filing of legal documents for probate and recordation so as to include Surry County within the provisions of said act.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1282, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the acquisition of school sites of Jackson County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1285, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the barring of tax liens in Wilkes County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1293, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the enforcement of ordinances on the waters of White Lake in Bladen County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the closing of a part of Bullard Street in the Town of Plymouth, and its conveyance to the Washington County Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1299, a bill to be entitled An act to dissolve the Charter of the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District and to authorize the City of Roanoke Rapids to assume all of the duties and obligations of the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District and to authorize the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District to turn over all of its assets to the City of Roanoke Rapids.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1301, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of property in those areas annexed or merged to the City of Greensboro by action of the General Assembly of 1957.

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 rewriting, rearranging, renumbering, and amending the public health laws of the State of North Carolina.

Mr. Thompson withdraws committee amendment No. 2.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Childers, Clark, Combs, Crawford of Buncombe, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Leake, Lloyd, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Whitley,

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Bost, Brinkley, Carpenter, Crawford of Swain, Hughes, Kiser, Randall, Simpson, and Williams of Yadkin—10.

H. B. 768, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 62 of Volume 2B of the General Statutes relating to the issuance and distribution of reports of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, authorizing the use of certified mail in addition to registered mail for the purpose of serving certain notices, and to regulate the issuance of notices required by the Bus Act of 1949.

On motion of Mr. Bost the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 930, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite a portion of Article 13 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, entitled “Embalmers and Funeral Directors.”

On motion of Mr. Falls the committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Britt, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Childers, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Henley, Hicks, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, John-

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Coates, Harris of Wake, Kerr, Simpson, Valentine, and Zollicoffer—8.

H. B. 965, a bill to be entitled An act to license importers of beer and wine.

On motion of Mr. Pittman the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled An act to define and impose a license tax on itinerant photographers and their agents and employees.

On motion of Mr. Kemp the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Kemp offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 118, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 27 of Article IV of the Constitution of North Carolina to authorize the General Assembly to give jurisdiction to justices of the peace in civil actions where the value of the property in controversy does not exceed two hundred dollars.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Falls, Simpson, and Snepp—3.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading.

S. B. 118, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 27 of Article IV of the Constitution of North Carolina to authorize the General Assembly to give jurisdiction to justices of the peace in civil actions where the value of the property in controversy does not exceed two hundred dollars.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Ferebee, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Hostetler, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jordan, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd,

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Falls, Hughes, Quinn, Simpson, Snepp, Wallace, and Womble of Wake—7.

S. B. 201, a bill to be entitled An act to secure compliance with the highway fuel use tax law by providing a penalty for failure to register.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Blue, Brinkley, Burgess, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Fowler, Gaither, Griggs, Hicks, Hughes, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Maddrey, Murphy, Powell, Randall, Simpson, Snepp, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Stanly, Valentine, Vann, Whitehurst, Wicker, Woodard of Northampton, Wooten, and Yarborough of Franklin—36.

S. B. 290, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled “Fees and Taxes.”

On motion of Mr. Falls the bill is recommitted to Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 16 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes relating to the taxation of timberland owned by the state.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Byrum, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Gaither, Gregory, Griggs, Hargrett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill,

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Carpenter, Gobble, Hughes, Kerr, Randall, Simpson, Thomas of Stanly, Turner, and Williams of Yadkin—11.

H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent the forced withdrawal of state funds from official depositories of this state when the rate of return on United States Government securities exceeds the rate which official depositories are allowed to pay.

Mr. Fowler offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Woodard of Northampton calls the previous question; the call sustains.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading, as amended.

The bill passes its third reading, as amended, by the following vote and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Bost, Britt, Buchanan, Burgess, Byrum, Childers, Clark, Combs, Craig, Davis, Delamar, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Griggs, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Leake, Lloyd, Maddrey, Martin, O'Neal, Phelps, Powell, Quinn, Reynolds, Shreve, Snepp, Talton, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wallace, Whitley, Wicker, Wilson of Caswell, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Yarborough of Cumberland and Yarborough of Franklin—57.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Burleson, Carpenter, Coates, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Dill, Eggers, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Hill, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Jones of Pitt, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Randall, Rodenbaugh, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Speight, Stone, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Umstead, Valentine, Watkins, White, Whitehurst, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, and Zollicoffer—46.

H. B. 111, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that farmer license plates be issued on a quarterly fee basis applicable to other vehicles.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled An act amending various Sections of Chapter 97 of the General Statutes relating to Workmen's Compensation.
On motion of Mr. White the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 749, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-37 relating to the apportionment of certain funds between municipalities.

On motion of Mr. Taylor consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

H. B. 263, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the furnishing of certain information by well drillers to the Department of Conservation and Development.

On motion of Mr. Kerr consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, May 31, 1957.

H. B. 756, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 122 of the General Statutes relating to the mentally disordered and Chapter 35 of the General Statutes relating to persons with mental diseases and incompetents.

On motion of Mr. Umstead the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

S. B. 189, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection 9 of Section 153-9 of the General Statutes concerning the designation of sites for county buildings and validating action heretofore taken by the board of commissioners of any county which complies with the requirements of said subsection as amended hereby.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Hardy, 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. 260. An Act to provide for an increase in the salaries of certain county employees of Stokes County, to authorize the County Commissioners of Stokes County to hire an additional clerk and to amend Chapter 837 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salaries and number of certain county officials of Stokes County.
S. B. 404. An Act for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Hickory, for an election in furtherance thereof, for the repeal of the Charter of the Town of Longview, and for other purposes.

S. B. 408. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County to levy a special tax for the purpose of defraying the cost of revaluation and reassessment of real property in said county.

S. B. 424. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Iredell County.

H. B. 103. An Act to amend General Statutes 143-166, relating to the Law Enforcement Officers' Benefit and Retirement Fund, so as to exempt benefits thereunder from levy, garnishment, and taxation in the same manner and to the same extent as benefits under other retirement systems.

H. B. 115. An Act to amend General Statutes 67-30 so as to provide for the disposition of the county dog damage fund at the end of each fiscal year.


H. B. 138. An Act to exempt members of the Armed Forces of the United States and members of the United States Merchant Marines from the payment of poll taxes.

H. B. 231. An Act amending General Statutes 115-150 so as to place certain responsibility upon the principals of the public schools with regard to fire safety.

H. B. 232. An Act amending Article 17, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to prescribe regulations for the reduction of fire hazards and for the protection of life and property in public school facilities.


H. B. 234. An Act to amend Chapters 128 and 135 of the General Statutes relating to the investment of funds of the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System and the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System.

H. B. 243. An Act to amend Chapter 74 of the Private Laws of 1891 relating to the Charter of the Town of Linville.

H. B. 285. An Act to amend Section 105-307 of the General Statutes relative to the penalty for failure to list property for taxes.

H. B. 338. An Act to amend General Statutes 113-95 and General Statutes 113-144 relating to hunting and fishing license fees.

H. B. 438. An Act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Dallas in Gaston County.

H. B. 524. An Act to amend Chapter 279 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of school bonds so as to provide for the extension and enlargement of the boundaries
of such school districts and to provide for the issuance of additional school bonds, and validating the creation of school districts under said Chapter 279.


H. B. 616. An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Randolph County to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property.

H. B. 645. An Act to provide that benefits under the North Carolina Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System may be payable to certain members whose service is terminated prior to age 60.

H. B. 646. An Act to provide that optional elections may be made of full force and effect upon the death of a member in service after age 65 under the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System, and under the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System, and to clarify certain other provisions thereunder, including those relating to emergency expenses.

H. B. 710. An Act amending the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, to authorize the issuance of bonds to pay Revenue Bonds issued by any municipality under the provisions of the Revenue Bond Act of 1938.

H. B. 713. An Act to amend Chapter 1071, 1953 Session Laws, authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the government thereof so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Forsyth County to adopt regulations relating to the operation or use of race tracks for motor vehicle racing in Forsyth County.

H. B. 742. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pitt County to call a special election for the authorization of an industrial development tax for Pitt County and to create and fix the powers of an Industrial Development Commission for Pitt County.

H. B. 779. An Act to permit municipalities to enforce collection of delinquent privilege license taxes in the same manner as the state and counties.

H. B. 810. An Act to authorize the Parking Authority of the City of Kinston to issue its notes to raise funds to acquire real property for parking purposes and to secure the payment of such notes by deed of trust upon the real estate so acquired.

H. B. 813. An Act to create the Johnston County Peace Officers' Relief Association.


H. B. 856. An Act to amend Article 33, Chapter 160 of the General Statutes, authorizing municipalities to invest funds.

H. B. 915. An Act to validate tax levies and tax sales of the Town of Aulander.

H. B. 917. An Act to amend Section 30-9 of the General Statutes relating to conveyance of real estate by husband.

H. B. 975. An Act to submit to the voters of the City of Jacksonville in Onslow County the question of whether or not the City Council shall be elected by the voters of the city at large.

H. B. 999. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Richmond County to levy taxes to pay the salary and office expenses of the County Accountant, the Farm Demonstration Agent, the Home Demonstration Agent, and the Veteran's Service Officer.


H. B. 1016. An Act to provide for the appointment of a Town Manager for the Town of Spencer, North Carolina.

H. B. 1017. An Act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Spencer to sell certain property at private sale.

H. B. 1020. An Act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the City of Salisbury and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the City of Salisbury for a distance of one mile in all directions.


H. B. 1035. An Act to repeal Chapter 239 of the 1955 Session Laws providing for the creation of planning and zoning areas in certain portions of Guilford County.

H. B. 1036. An Act amending General Statutes 7-107 to provide for the appointment of a Counselor for the Domestic Relations Court of Buncombe County.

H. B. 1040. An Act to repeal Chapter 82 of the Public Laws of 1913 relative to the boundaries of the counties of Ashe and Wilkes.

H. B. 1046. An Act to amend Chapter 293, Public-Local and Private Laws of 1941, as amended, relating to the establishment of a pension fund for the retirement and disability of the members of the Fire Department of the City of High Point.

H. B. 1047. An Act to repeal Chapter 405 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to payment to the Chief Deputy Sheriff of Wilkes County of the sum of $600.00 for the operation of automobiles.
H. B. 1054. An Act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Ann May Jennings.

H. B. 1055. An Act to authorize the City of Burlington to convey certain lands at private sale to Russell Gant, his heirs and assigns.

H. B. 1057. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to defer the quadrennial revaluation of real estate in said county and to raise revenue to defray the cost of revaluation.

H. B. 1061. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, in their discretion, to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the Madison County Public Library.

H. B. 1062. An Act to authorize the Warren County Board of Education to sell and convey certain property to the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County at private sale.

H. B. 1063. An Act relating to the election of Mayor of the Town of Mount Olive in Wayne County.

H. B. 1064. An Act to authorize the reassessment and revaluation of real property in Onslow County for ad valorem tax purposes and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Onslow County to employ experts and to enter into necessary contracts for said service.

H. B. 1065. An Act to amend Chapter 607 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Craven to annually appropriate not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500.00) to aid any agricultural, animal, or poultry exhibition held within said county.

H. B. 1068. An Act amending Chapter 24, Session Laws of 1949, so as to require candidates for Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Hayesville to pay a filing fee.

H. B. 1070. An Act to extend the jurisdiction of police officers of the Town of Snow Hill one mile in all directions from the corporate limits of said town.

H. B. 1074. An Act to amend General Statutes 9-1 relating to the jury list in Caswell County.

H. B. 1075. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Caswell County.

H. B. 1077. An Act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning regulations of municipal corporations as to the Town of Wallace.

H. B. 1078. An Act to amend Chapter 604 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to travel allowances and other expenses of certain officers of Granville County.

H. B. 1079. An Act to provide for the exercise of powers by police officers one mile beyond the corporate limits of the Town of Draper, Rockingham County.
H. B. 1083. An Act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the Power Board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said board, appointing members thereof, and authorizing certain expenditures by said board.

H. B. 1084. An Act amending Chapter 429, Session Laws of 1945 so as to fix the terms of office of Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners for the Town of Murphy at four years.

H. B. 1087. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to include Martin County within the provisions authorizing tax levies for certain special purposes.

H. B. 1102. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Beaufort County to sell or lease certain real property to the City of Washington.

H. B. 1103. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-113 limiting the number of justices of the peace to be elected in the City of Washington.

H. B. 1107. An Act to rewrite Chapter 624 of the 1955 Session Laws relating to the incorporation of the Town of Yaupon Beach, North Carolina, in Brunswick County.

H. B. 1108. An Act to authorize the City of Southport to establish and regulate daylight saving time in the City of Southport.

H. B. 1120. An Act to raise the salary of one deputy sheriff of Avery County.

H. B. 1128. An Act to validate certain tax levies and tax sales in Bertie County.

H. B. 1129. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-345 and to provide a schedule of discounts for prepayment of taxes in Harnett County.

H. B. 1142. An Act relating to the vaccination of dogs in Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1147. An Act to provide for the election of municipal officers of the Town of Castalia in Nash County.

H. B. 1166. An Act to authorize the County Accountant of Chatham County to transfer certain surplus funds to the General Fund of the county to be used for general county permanent improvements.

H. B. 1167. An Act to require the County Commissioners of Chatham County to turn into the General Fund all taxes collected for the year 1955 and all prior years.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the House takes a recess until 4 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

May 29, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Uzzell, designated by Mr. Speaker Dougton as Speaker Pro Tempore.
On motion of Mr. Shreve, Virginia Douglas Bell, Anne G. Douglass, Elizabeth City State Teachers College, Fayetteville State Teachers College, are made honorary pagettes and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Floyd of Robeson for Friday, May 31, 1957.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 397, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exclusion from gross income amounts received from retirement systems of other states by former teachers or state employees of such states.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the authority of the Board of Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy certain special taxes, to reduce the rates thereof and to validate such taxes heretofore levied by said county.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1217, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain Sections of Article 14, Chapter 115, of the General Statutes relating to special local Board of Commissioners of the Town of Forest City.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Harkers Island in Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1318, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of dike and levee districts in Hyde County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1320, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate and license the peddling and sale of college or university scholastic colors, emblems, and other like articles in athletic contests in Durham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1330, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to provide student housing by the Boards of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina, Appalachian State Teachers College, East Carolina College, Elizabeth City State Teachers College, Fayetteville State Teachers College, North Carolina College at Durham, Pembroke State College, Western Carolina College and Winston-Salem Teachers College.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1343, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that trailers or semi-trailers designed and used solely for transporting liquid nitrogen shall be taxed at the rate of one-half of the rate of taxation provided for private haulers.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Pittman the bill is recommitted to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

S. B. 264, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 67-33 so as to make special provisions with respect to the kennel tax on fox hounds in Halifax County.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-56.1 relating to federal income tax refunds.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 431, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1266, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of New Bern, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1269, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Northampton County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1289, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize and empower the City of Burlington to make certain local improvements and prescribing the procedure therefor and for the assessment of all or a part of the cost thereof.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Womble of Wake, for the Committee on Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement.

H. B. 905, a bill to be entitled An act to provide retirement benefits for solicitors of the Superior Court.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes relating to pensions for certain public school superintendents and assistant superintendents.
With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 30, a bill to be entitled An act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126-1 relating to employees of the Hospitals Board of Control.

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. Taylor:

H. B. 1351, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500.00) from the Contingency and Emergency Fund for expenses incurred in a school bond case.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. Crawford of Buncombe and Jordan:

H. B. 1352, a bill to be entitled An act eliminating watchers at elections in Buncombe County when voting machines are used.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1114, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of constables in Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1236, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of Justices of the Peace in Currituck County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1245, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 602 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 and Chapter 482 of the Public-Local Laws of 1939 and regulating the demand for jury trials in the Recorder's Court of Harnett County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1278, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 429 of the Session Laws of 1951 so as to increase the salary of the County Manager of Haywood County from $3600 to $4200 per year.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1281, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Forest City.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the Session Laws of 1947 so as to raise jurors' fees in Chatham County from five dollars to seven dollars per day.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1310, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 797 of the Session Laws of 1949 and to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Harnett County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1312, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Yadkin County Board of Education to convey to Windsor's Crossroads Developments, Inc., the Windsor's Crossroads Elementary School property no longer needed for school purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1313, a bill to be entitled An act to fix and regulate the salaries of the Sheriff, Deputy Sheriffs, and Register of Deeds in Person County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1314, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the salaries of the members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Shelby.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 427, a bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 425, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the terms of office of members of the Iredell County Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 251, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-102 relating to license taxes on junk dealers.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 716, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-38 so as to classify as special mobile equipment trucks on which special equipment has been mounted and used by Shrine Temples for parade purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1208, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-95 relative to acknowledgments taken by notaries interested as trustees or holding other office.

Passes its second and third readings and is sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled An act to require that manufacturers of household cleaners which contain volatile substances capable of producing toxic effect shall label such cleaners with a warning as to their contents and with directions as to their safe use.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 759, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Turlington Act, Article I, Chapter 18, as found in the General Statutes of North Carolina so as to include equipment or materials designed or intended for use in the manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

On motion of Mr. Ross the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. R. 974, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to study the cause and control of cancer in North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1099, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing bodies of the County of Wake, the City of Raleigh, the County of Durham and the City of Durham, with the approval of the Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority, to convey at private sale certain lands and easements over lands in exchange for property owned by the State of North Carolina in the vicinity of the William B. Umstead State Park.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1014, a joint resolution requesting Congress to call a convention for proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and the Vice-President.

Mr. Clark offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1150, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 51-6 relating to the issuance of marriage licenses.

On motion of Mr. Clark the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1152, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 105-392 of the General Statutes relative to the method of notifying a taxpayer in foreclosure proceeding.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1085, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-414 so as to authorize service by publication in tax foreclosure suits on persons who can not be found and whose names and addresses are unknown.

On motion of Mr. Valentine the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 286, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3A of Chapter 69 of the General Statutes relating to rural fire protection district.

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 General Statutes 115-78 relating to the budget for capital outlay school fund.
On motion of Mr. White the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 961, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-41 to exempt from privilege license taxes persons practicing the professional art of healing through prayer or spiritual means.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1022, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 17, Chapter 28, of the General Statutes so as to authorize a special proceeding against the unknown heirs or next of kin, if any, of a decedent before the distribution of the assets of the estate or such decedent.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 859, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 8 of the General Statutes relating to the competency of witnesses in civil actions.

On motion of Mr. Crawford of Buncombe consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, May 30, 1957.

H. B. 947, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-145 relating to filling vacancies among candidates.

The bill passes its second reading.

Mr. Simpson objects to the third reading of the bill.

Mr. Jordan moves the rules be suspended and the bill placed on its third reading; the motion prevails.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1143, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes relating to the effect of a decree of absolute divorce on a certificate of acknowledgment failing to comply with General Statutes 52-12.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-91 relating to the proclamation of result of general elections.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-151 relating to the names of candidates on ballots used in primary or general elections.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 949, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Paragraph (b) of General Statutes 97-2 so as to bring under the Workmen's Compensation Act all officers and employees of municipal corporations and political subdivisions of the state, except those elected by the people.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1034, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-250 so as to authorize the marking of county-owned vehicles with the county seal.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1081, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a revolving fund for the construction of self-liquidating college facilities.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth committee amendment No. 1 is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth committee amendment No. 2 is tabled.

Mr. Womble of Forsyth offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11 o'clock A. M.

NINETY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 30, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Uzzell, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by Mr. Brock, Representative from Davie County.

Mr. Wallace, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.
On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union, David Morrow of Union County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Richard Hugh Llewellyn and John Earl Llewellyn of Guilford County are made honorary pages of the House.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, Michael Lee and Edward Lewis Ball of Orange County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, H. R. 381 entitled, "a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to study the feasibility of extending the nine months school term" is taken from the Committee on Education and recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Coates moves that H. B. 1267 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-4 relating to the election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina" be taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on University Trustees; the motion fails.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled An act amending various Sections of Chapter 97 of the General Statutes relating to Workmen's Compensation.

H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent the forced withdrawal of state funds from official depositories of this state, when the rate of return on U. S. Government securities exceeds the rate which official depositories are allowed to pay.

H. B. 756, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 122 of the General Statutes relating to the mentally disordered and Chapter 35 of the General Statutes relating to persons with mental diseases and incompetents.

H. B. 759, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Turlington Act, Article I, Chapter 18, as found in the General Statutes of North Carolina so as to include equipment or materials designed or intended for use in the manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

H. B. 936, a bill to be entitled An act to require that manufacturers of household cleaners which contain volatile substances capable of producing toxic effect shall label such cleaners with a warning as to their contents and with directions as to their safe use.

H. R. 1014, a joint resolution requesting Congress to call a convention for proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and the Vice President,
H. B. 1081, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a revolving fund for the construction of self-liquidating college facilities.

H. B. 1150, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 51-6 relating to the issuance of marriage licenses.

H. B. 1171, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-151 relating to the names of candidates on ballots used in primary or general elections.

H. B. 325, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 115-78 relating to the budget for capital outlay school fund.

H. B. 1244, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the issuance of licenses for the retail sale of beer and wine in Jacksonville.

H. B. 1085, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-414 so as to authorize service by publication in tax foreclosure suits on persons who cannot be found and whose names and addresses are unknown.

H. B. 1143, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes relating to the effect of a decree of absolute divorce on a certificate of acknowledgment failing to comply with General Statutes 52-12.

REPORT 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. Murphy, for the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 1082, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 106-99 relating to the inspection tax on feeding stuffs and tax tags.

With a favorable report, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1207, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 119 of the General Statutes so as to require that vehicles used in making retail deliveries of liquid petroleum products shall be equipped with liquid meters with print-ticket attachment.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1345, a bill to be entitled An act relating to certain sheriff's fees and to the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court in Currituck County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1015 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salary of the Clerk of Court of the Superior Court of Guilford County.
With a favorable report.

By Mr. Shreve, for the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 270, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Sections 55-46(a), 55-52(c), and 55-59(a) of The Business Corporation Act as it appears in Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus, for the Committee on Military Affairs.

S. B. 409, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 1 of Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the classification of militia.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.

H. B. 1188, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-3 and General Statutes 113-8 to provide for the development and protection of the navigable waters of the State; to create an effective system of flood control; to establish inland ports and safe harbors; to prevent shore erosion in all of its phases; to dredge small inlets and to utilize the navigable water resources of the state to the greater benefit of its citizens.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 143 of the General Statutes relating to stream sanitation.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1257, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-5 so as to increase the number of members of the Board of Conservation and Development from fifteen to eighteen.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 1248, a bill to be entitled An act to permit a greater length of house trailers.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1262, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain property owners in Onslow County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1318, a bill to be entitled An act to clarify the authority of the State Highway Commission to contract for engineering and like services.

With a favorable report.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 383, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-116 relating to the operation of self-propelled grain combines on the highways of North Carolina.
With an unfavorable report as to Senate bill, favorable report as to House Committee Substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the House committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 443, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-315 so as to make mandatory the furnishing of lists of motor vehicles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles to all the counties of the state.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 1349, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1061 of the Session Laws of 1945 relating to elections in the Town of Stantonsburg, in Wilson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1352, a bill to be entitled An act eliminating watchers at elections in Buncombe County when voting machines are used.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4C of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to structural pest control.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the laws concerning loan agencies and brokers.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled An act to grant permission to G. D. Medlin T/A Medlin Electric Service to institute legal proceedings against the State of North Carolina and East Carolina Teachers College to litigate a controversy between G. D. Medlin and East Carolina Teachers College.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1342, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of privately owned cemeteries in Buncombe County.

With a favorable report.

S. R. 461, a joint resolution calling upon the North Carolina Bar Association Special Committee on Improving and Expediting the Administration of Justice in North Carolina to study the creation of a state system of district family courts in North Carolina and to report its findings to the General Assembly.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of forest districts.
With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1179, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-91 (d) and General Statutes 113-141 relating to powers of arrest without warrant.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1180, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the installation and use of sirens and red lights on all vehicles owned and operated by the state for law enforcement purposes.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1252, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County to establish a county trash dump and to provide ordinances, rules and regulations governing the establishment, use and maintenance thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1260, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the number, election and terms of the County Commissioners of Wake County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1264, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the amassing of funds with which to erect a new courthouse for Harnett County or to improve the existing courthouse of said county.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1265, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 535 of the Session Laws of 1955 establishing a separate office for the Clerk of Recorder's Court of Harnett County, and providing for the election and term of office of the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Harnett County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1268, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Salemburg in Sampson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1270, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Chapter 243 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 and regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Granville County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.
H. B. 1226, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 280 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 relating to trials by jury in the Recorder's Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Western North Carolina Regional Planning Commission and authorizing counties and municipalities to contribute to its support.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1251, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations governing the parking of automobiles or the use thereof on county property.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1232, a bill to be entitled An act to define the status of real estate held by the entirety upon the declaration and finding that one of the tenants by entirety is presumed to be dead as a person missing and unheard from within seven years.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1267, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-4 relating to the election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1277, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for voluntary inspection of motor vehicles.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1283, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Halifax County to purchase land outside the corporate limits for municipal government purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1284, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of justices of the peace in Halifax County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1287, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-389 so as to authorize the Commissioners of Gates County to appoint an assistant prosecuting attorney of the Gates County Criminal Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1271, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem to authorize the holding of sessions of the municipal court of said city in two divisions.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1279, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 109, Session Laws of 1951, so as to provide a travel allowance for the Sheriff of Yancey County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1280, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Pasquotank County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1288, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Granville County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a council of five members and to amend General Statutes 160-340, General Statutes 160-341 and General Statutes 160-345 to prescribe the terms of office of the Mayor and Councilmen of the Town of Graham in Alamance County and otherwise to make Plan D form of municipal government apply to said town.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-346 relating to the salaries of the members of the City Council of the City of Burlington.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1294, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the members of the Ashe County Board of Education.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1295, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 65-7 of the General Statutes so as to increase the amount which may be placed in the hands of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County for cemetery maintenance.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Princeton.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the filing of notice of candidacy for the offices of Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Rhodhiss in Caldwell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1315, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Commissioners of the City of Kings Mountain, North Carolina, to swap vacant tract now used for dumping area for larger tract.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1321, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 to authorize employment of a plumbing inspector in the unincorporated areas of Durham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1322, a bill to be entitled An act to fix certain fees of the Register of Deeds, Clerk of the Superior Court and Sheriff of Franklin County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1323, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Caswell County to fix the hours during which county offices shall remain open in Caswell County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1326, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 897 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to provide for the payment of certain funds into the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund in Bertie County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1329, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of fortunetelling in Moore County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1332, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a Clerk of the Durham County Civil Court.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1333, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town Council of Whiteville to dispose of certain property at private sale.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1286, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 47 of the General Statutes so as to validate the registration of deeds, deeds of trust, mortgages, chattel mortgages, contracts and other instruments filed on a date preceding the date of the Clerk's order of registration.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1307, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 95 of the General Statutes relating to assignments of wages to secure purchase of food, fuel or rent.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1341, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the salaries of certain public officers of Wake County.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1344, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Watauga County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 438, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Concord City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Concord.

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. Reynolds:

H. B. 1353, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the qualification of certain persons for employment by the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 1354, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of justices of the peace in criminal actions in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Carpenter, by request:

H. B. 1355, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 789, Session Laws of 1955 so as to authorize special elections in the Town of Long View, Catawba County.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mrs. Rodenbough:

H. B. 1356, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Danbury in Stokes County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. 1357, a bill to be entitled An act to require county jailers to receive and retain prisoners brought to such county jail by law enforcement officers of this state.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Wicker, by request:

H. B. 1358, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize an election in Lee County upon the question of the election of members of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Lee for terms of two years each.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1359, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing an election in Lee County upon the question of districting the county for the nomination of county commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Crawford of Buncombe and Jordan:

H. B. 1360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1040, Session Laws of North Carolina for 1945, so as to provide that said Chapter shall be applicable to Buncombe County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Jones of Ashe, by request:

H. B. 1361, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 36, Private Laws of 1915, the same being the Charter of the Town of West Jefferson, so as to re-define and extend the corporate limits of the said town.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Bost and Quinn:

H. B. 1362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1144 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to permit an increase in the salary of the Treasurer of Cabarrus County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled An act authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cabarrus County to pay contributions to Social Security for a six months period with respect to law enforcement officers of the county.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Hardy, Whitehurst, Hunt, Jones of Pitt and Bell:

H. B. 1364, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-78 so as to give the State Board of Alcoholic Control the authority to approve the contents of malt beverage products to be sold in this state.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Vogler:

H. B. 1365, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the biennial meetings of the General Assembly on the second Wednesday after the first Monday in January next after their election.

Referred to Committee on State Government.
By Messrs. Venters, Umstead, Hardy, Holmes, Harris of Wake, Dill, Uzzell, Mrs. Rodenbough, Messrs. White, Henley and Hicks:

H. R. 1366, a joint resolution commending Chancellor Robert B. House for his many contributions to the University of North Carolina and to the students of said institution.

On motion of Mr. Venters the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passes first readings.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 1367, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 7 of the General Statutes by inserting a new article immediately following Article 31 to be designated as Article 31A.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Woodard of Wilson:

H. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-30 relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions in Wilson County and fixing the registration fees.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1369, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1028, Session Laws of 1949, and fixing certain fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of Wilson County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Messrs. Yarborough of Franklin, Taylor, Venters and Holmes:

H. R. 1370, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission to study and make recommendations to the Governor as to the necessity and advisability of a reorganization of the state government in the interest of more efficient and economical administration of the same.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 1371, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1303 of the Session Laws of 1953 authorizing county commissioners to fix fees of county officers so as to make the same applicable to Onslow County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

And,
H. B. 1372, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 101-2 so as to permit the change of the name of a minor without the consent of a parent who has abandoned the minor.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

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. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement "The Revenue Act," being Subchapter I of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 195, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County to call and the Board of Elections of said county to conduct special elections on the questions of eliminating the present county library tax, and of creating separate library systems for the City of Reidsville and for the remainder of Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 426, a bill to be entitled An act to define and impose a license tax on itinerant photographers and their agents and employees.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 432, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-134 relating to fees of justices of the peace in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

S. B. 456, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation for the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Murfreesboro in Hertford County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 465, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 50 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes of North Carolina by rewriting Section 106-550.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 482, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation of members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Statesville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 496, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing creation of a city administrative school unit in Rockingham County to be known as West Rockingham Cities Administrative Unit, subject to a referendum vote of the people in areas affected.

Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 907, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a uniform bill of costs for all courts of Wake County, North Carolina, inferior to the Wake County
Superior Court, exclusive of the Wake County Domestic Relations Court and the Raleigh City Court.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1124, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Tyrrell County and to the arrest fees and mileage allowance of the Sheriff of Tyrrell County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Combs the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senator Chamber
Thursday, May 30, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent the House of Representatives requesting the return of S. B. 195 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County to call and the Board of Elections of said county to conduct special elections on the question of eliminating the present County Library Tax, and of creating separate library systems for the City of Reidsville and for the remainder of Rockingham County," for further consideration by the Senate.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message and on motion of Mr. Powell the bill is returned to the Senate.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1266, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of New Bern, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1269, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Northampton County.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Harkers Island in Carteret County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Powe, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Snepp, Speight,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1318, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of dike and levee districts in Hyde County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1320, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate and license the peddling and sale of college and university scholastic colors, emblems and other like articles in athletic contests in Durham County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 431, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 48, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting, rearranging, renumbering and amending the public health laws of the State of North Carolina.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment, which fails of adoption.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Bost, Brinkley, Carpenter, Eggers, Kerr, Kiser, Randall, Simpson, Snepp and Williams of Yadkin—11.

H. B. 768, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 62 of Volume 2B of the General Statutes relating to the issuance and distribution of reports
of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, authorizing the use of certified mail in addition to registered mail for the purpose of serving certain notices, and to regulate the issuance of notices required by the Bus Act of 1949.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 930, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite a portion of Article 13 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina entitled, “Embalmers and Funeral Directors.”

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 965, a bill to be entitled An act to license importers of beer and wine.
Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled An act to define and impose a license tax on itinerant photographers and their agents and employees.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 201, a bill to be entitled An act to secure compliance with the Highway Fuel Use Tax Law by providing a penalty for failure to register.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 16 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes relating to the taxation of timberland owned by the State.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Turner—1.

H. B. 12, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement “The Revenue Act,” being Subchapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.

On motion of Mr. Falls the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1158, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 66 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the licensing and regulation of motor clubs and associations by the Commissioner of Insurance, and to provide for fees in connection therewith.

The bill fails to pass its second reading by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Bowman, Britt, Buchanan, Bynum, Byrum, Delamar, Dill, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gregory, Hargett, Henley, Hill, Holmes, Hunt, Lloyd,

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Brinkley, Brock, Burgess, Burleson, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Davis, Eggers, Ferebee, Gavin, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hicks, Hostetler, Hughes, Johnson, Jordan, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Maddrey, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Philpott, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Snepp, Taylor, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Wallace, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—61.

Mr. Kemp votes present.

Mr. Turner moves that the vote by which the bill failed to pass its second reading be reconsidered and that this motion do lie upon the table; the motion prevails.

H. B. 1217, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Article 14, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes relating to special local tax elections for school purposes.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1330, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to provide student housing by the Boards of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina, Appalachian State Teachers' College, East Carolina College, Elizabeth City State Teachers' College, Fayetteville State Teachers' College, North Carolina College at Durham, Pembroke State College, Western Carolina College and Winston-Salem Teachers' College.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are Representative Kerr—1.

S. B. 251, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-102 relating to license taxes on junk dealers.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 282, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15 of Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to require boards of education and the tax levying authorities to protect the investment in public school buildings and equipment.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-56.1 relating to federal income tax refunds.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 381, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

Mr. Dill offers an amendment, the amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd

Those voting in the negative are Representatives Kerr and Turner—2.

S. B. 397, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Subchapter 111 of Chapter 54 of the General Statutes, relating to the interest rate, fees, powers and duties and voluntary dissolution of credit unions.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1104, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-102 relating to license taxes on junk dealers.

On motion of Mr. Ross consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

H. B. 800, a bill to be entitled An act to make it unlawful for any person to knowingly make false statements to officers constituting charges of the commission of crime.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 950, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the distribution of automobile registration plates by persons selling automobile insurance.
Mr. Hicks offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Hicks offers the second amendment.

Mr. Murphy moves that the second amendment offered by Mr. Hicks lie upon the table; the motion prevails.

Mr. Thomas of Johnston offers an amendment.

Mr. Harriss of Rowan offers an amendment.

Mr. Murphy moves that the amendments offered by Messrs. Thomas of Johnston and Harriss of Rowan lie upon the table; the motion prevails.

The bill passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

S. B. 331, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to civil defense.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 684, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to civil defense.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Columbus consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

S. R. 372, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to study the State Constitution and submit recommendations with respect to amendments or a revision thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 131, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 153 of the General Statutes so as to increase the maximum number of members who may serve on a county planning board.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 118. An Act to amend Section 27 of Article IV of the Constitution of North Carolina to authorize the General Assembly to give jurisdiction to justices of the peace in civil actions where the value of the property in controversy does not exceed two hundred dollars.

S. B. 189. An Act to amend Subsection 9 of Section 153-9 of the General Statutes, concerning the designation of sites for county buildings and validating action heretofore taken by the board of commissioners of any county which complies with the requirements of said Subsection as amended hereby.

H. B. 808. An Act to repeal Subsection C, Section 74 of Chapter 452, Session Laws of 1947, which allows a commission of five per cent on funds paid to the Clerk of the Superior Court for Buncombe County for the use and benefit of a wife or children or other dependents.

H. B. 826. An Act amending Articles 6 and 8, Chapter 156 of the General Statutes, relating to drainage districts so as to fix the compensation of members of boards of drainage commissioners and to authorize the issuance of assessment anticipation notes in amounts not to exceed $50,000.00.

H. B. 879. An Act to appoint justices of the peace for the several counties of North Carolina.

H. B. 941. An Act relating to the appointment of members of the Board of Veterans Affairs for Lee County.

H. B. 987. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-401.5 relating to the practice of phrenology, palmistry, fortunetelling and clairvoyance in Greene County.

H. B. 1019. An Act amending Chapter 178 of the Private Laws of 1929 as it relates to the salaries of the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Salisbury.

H. B. 1023. An Act to amend Chapter 340 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County.

H. B. 1026. An Act prescribing the fees to be collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort County.

H. B. 1028. An Act amending Chapter 191, Session Laws of 1947, so as to fix the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Graham County for his services as Judge of the Juvenile Court.


H. B. 1039. An Act to prescribe compensation for Aldermen of the Town of Bladenboro in Bladen County.

H. B. 1042. An Act to fix the fees of the justices of the peace in Avery County.

H. B. 1050. An Act amending Section 1, Chapter 570 of the 1951 Session Laws of North Carolina, to provide twenty-five dollars ($25.00) for monthly expense of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Carteret County.

H. B. 1067. An Act providing additional compensation for the Clerk of the Superior Court, for the Register of Deeds and the County Accountant of Clay County and fixing the compensation of the County Commissioners and members of the County Board of Education of Clay County.
H. B. 1069. An Act to fix the fees, costs and commissions to be charged and collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court and the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County.

H. B. 1073. An Act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of Education of Dare County.

H. B. 1086. An Act to amend Chapter 768 of the Session Laws of 1943 so as to fix the court costs of divorce actions in the Recorder's Court of Nash County and provide for the payment of the same in advance.

H. B. 1089. An Act to amend Chapter 859 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salaries of the Sheriff, the Register of Deeds, and the Clerk of Superior Court of Lenoir County.

H. B. 1121. An Act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and other members of the Board of County Commissioners of Robeson County.

H. B. 1122. An Act to amend Chapter 121 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to compensation of jurors in Robeson County.

H. B. 1148. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Durham County to adopt subdivision regulations regarding the platting of subdivisions in Durham County.

H. B. 1151. An Act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to designation of draftsmen of instruments to be probated or recorded so as to make said Section applicable to Lincoln County.

H. B. 1157. An Act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of justices of the peace in Hyde County.

H. B. 1161. An Act to fix the salaries of the Clerk of the Superior Court, Sheriff, and Register of Deeds of Forsyth County, and to revise provisions with respect to the special trust fund created by Chapter 147, Session Laws of 1943, for said Clerk of Superior Court's office.

H. B. 1162. An Act to authorize the issuance of ten million dollars in bonds of the state to provide for capital improvements for state institutions and agencies.

H. B. 1168. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-335, relating to public drunkenness, so as to make a part thereof applicable to Chatham County.

H. B. 1187. An Act to fix the salary of the Mayor and the Commissioners of the City of Oxford.

H. B. 1195. An Act relating to the judicial powers of the Mayor of Louisburg in Franklin County.

H. B. 1199. An Act relating to the disposition of confiscated pistols or guns in Rockingham County.

H. B. 1204. An Act to fix the compensation of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County.
H. B. 1210. An Act to make inapplicable a part of Chapter 57, Public-Local Laws of 1925, relating to Yancey County, so long as said county complies with the provisions of Article 5, Chapter 67 of the General Statutes.

H. B. 1211. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pasquotank County and the City Council of the City of Elizabeth City to fix the salary of certain county officials.

H. B. 1220. An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Wake County to promulgate ordinances, rules, and regulations governing the parking of automobiles and other vehicles on property owned by Wake County.

H. B. 1227. An Act to amend Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.


H. B. 1243. An Act making Cherokee County "stock law territory."

On motion of Mr. Falls the House takes a recess until 4:00 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

May 30, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Uzzell, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

On motion of Mr. Burgess the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Odell Williamson, a former member of the House from Brunswick County.

On motion of Mr. Wooten, Mary Drew Roberson of Martin County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wooten, Kathryn Oliver Whichard and John B. Spilmon, III, of Pitt County are made honorary page and page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Wooten, Margaret Catheryn Home and Louise Council Home of Pitt County are made honorary page and page of the House.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement "The Revenue Act," being Subchapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.

With an unfavorable report as to Senate bill, favorable report as to House Committee Substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House Committee Substitute bill is adopted, constituting the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar.

H. B. 41, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 105 of the General Statutes so as to authorize individuals to deduct Federal income tax for state income tax purposes.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 36 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes to provide for refunds of taxes paid by counties and municipalities on fuels purchased.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 995, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 131-54 relating to admission of indigent patients to State sanatoria for tuberculosis.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1214, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the regulation, taxation, control, and licensing of racing within the State of North Carolina; to create and establish a State Racing Commission, prescribe its duties and authority; to fix the terms of office, compensation and manner of appointment of its members; to provide for county-wide referenda; to allocate revenues among the various counties of this State, and otherwise to establish a procedure for the issuance of licenses to conduct racing operations; to regulate pari-mutuel pools conducted in connection with racing operations; to declare the purpose and intent of this act; to repeal conflicting laws; to establish the effective date; and for other purposes.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1264, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the amassing of funds with which to erect a new courthouse for Harnett County or to improve the existing courthouse of said county.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1356, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Danbury in Stokes County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 283, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1146 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to business development corporations, so as to prescribe a method of taxation with respect thereto, and so as to
increase the maximum number of directors to 21, and so as to permit a lower loan limit for building and loan association members.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 559 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of bonds concerning the purposes for which bonds may be issued and giving authority to call an election upon the issuance of bonds if the issuance of bonds has heretofore not been approved by the voters.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Craig, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

H. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 24 of Subchapter VI of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes relating to the establishment of municipal recorder's courts.

With a favorable report, as amended.

Message From The Senate

A message is received from the Senate transmitting the following resolution, which is read the first time and disposed of as follows:

S. R. 455, a joint resolution declaring the legislative intent as to the state policy with respect to certain portions of the outer banks.

On motion of Mr. Bell the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passes first reading.

Mr. Griggs offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The resolution passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered returned to Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1144, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the authority of the Board of Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy certain special taxes, to reduce the rates thereof and to validate such taxes heretofore levied by said county.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1226, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 280 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 relating to trials by jury in the Recorder's Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1251, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations governing the parking of automobiles or the use thereof on county property.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1260, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the number, election and terms of the County Commissioners of Wake County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1252, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County to establish a county trash dump and to provide ordinances, rules and regulations governing the establishment, use and maintenance thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1262, a bill to be entitled An act to give relief to certain property owners in Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1265, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 535 of the Session Laws of 1955 establishing a separate office for the Clerk of Recorder's Court of Harnett County, and providing for the election and term of office of the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Harnett County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1271, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem to authorize the holding of sessions of the municipal court of said city in two divisions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1279, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 109, Session Laws of 1951, so as to provide a travel allowance for the Sheriff of Yancey County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1280, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Pasquotank County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1283, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Halifax County to purchase land outside the corporate limits for municipal government purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1284, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of justices of the peace in Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1287, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-389 so as to authorize the Commissioners of Gates County to appoint an assistant prosecuting attorney of the Gates County Criminal Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1289, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize and empower the City of Burlington to make certain local improvements and prescribing the procedure therefor and for the assessment of all or a part of the cost thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1290, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a council of five members and to amend General Statutes 160-340, General Statutes 160-341 and General Statutes 160-345 to prescribe the terms of office of the Mayor and Councilmen of the Town of Graham in Alamance County and otherwise to make Plan D form of municipal government apply to said town.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1291, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-346 relating to the salaries of the members of the City Council of the City of Burlington.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Long the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

Mr. Long offers an amendment, which is adopted.

The bill passes its third reading, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1294, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation of the members of the Ashe County Board of Education.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1295, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 65-7 of the General Statutes so as to increase the amount which may be placed in the hands of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County for cemetery maintenance.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1311, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the filing of notice of candidacy for the offices of Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Rhodhiss in Caldwell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1315, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Commissioners of the City of Kings Mountain, North Carolina, to swap vacant tract now used for dumping area for larger tract.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1322, a bill to be entitled An act to fix certain fees of the Register of Deeds, Clerk of the Superior Court and Sheriff of Franklin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1323, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Caswell County to fix the hours during which county offices shall remain open in Caswell County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1326, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 897 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to provide for the payment of certain funds into the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund in Bertie County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1332, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the appointment of a Clerk of the Durham County Civil Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1333, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Town Council of Whiteville to dispose of certain property at private sale.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1341, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the salaries of certain public officers of Wake County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1342, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of privately owned cemeteries in Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1344, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Watauga County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1345, a bill to be entitled An act relating to certain Sheriff's fees and to the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court in Currituck County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1349, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1061 of the Session Laws of 1945 relating to elections in the Town of Stantonsburg, in Wilson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1350, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1015 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salary of the Clerk of Court of the Superior Court of Guilford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1352, a bill to be entitled An act eliminating watchers at elections in Buncombe County when voting machines are used.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1203, a joint resolution declaring the legislative intent as to the state policy with respect to certain portions of the outer banks.

On motion of Mr. Bell consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

S. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 8-57 relating to testimony of husband or wife in prosecutions for bigamy and bigamous cohabitation.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

H. R. 1221, a joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to repeal the excise taxes on the transportation of persons and property in interstate and intrastate commerce.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 80, a bill to be entitled An act creating an Interdepartmental Building Regulation Committee to coordinate the activities of state agencies in the field of building regulation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 88, a bill to be entitled An act repealing the proviso appearing at the end of the first paragraph of General Statutes 115-120, relating to the calling of elections to consolidate a part of a county school district with an adjoining city administration unit.

On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted and the bill remains on the Calendar.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 146, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 49-7 to provide for the determination of the issue of paternity in all prosecutions of a man for wilful neglect or refusal to support his illegitimate child, irrespective of dismissal or verdict of not guilty on the issue of wilful neglect or refusal to support said child.

Mr. White offers an amendment.

Mr. Valentine moves that the amendment offered by Mr. White lie upon the table; the motion prevails.

Mr. Turner moves that the bill lie upon the table; the motion prevails.

S. B. 190, a bill to be entitled An act to require that courses in State and National Government be taught in the public schools of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the amendment is adopted and the bill remains on the Calendar.

S. B. 274, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor and Council of State to convey certain property located in the City of Raleigh to Shaw University.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 291, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 26-5 relating to contribution among sureties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 272, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-20.2 (b) relating to the place of registration of mortgages on personal property and to amend certain parts of Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) and Section 1 of Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act).

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 304, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name of the draftsman.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 307, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Article 36 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to plant pests.

Mr. Lloyd offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

H. B. 1190, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the organization of the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Womble of Wake offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

S. B. 320, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the central registration of all decrees of divorce.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 338, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-48 so as to make it illegal to possess or cause to be manufactured counterfeit or unauthorized beverage control stamps.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11:00 o'clock A. M.

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NINETY-NINTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by Mr. Joe Warren of Caswell County, Sergeant-at-Arms of the House.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, Cecilia Lou Cofield and Carol Hollifield of Wake County are made honorary pagettes of the House.

On motion of Mr. Wall, Robert Horace and Byrd Crawford Hennessee of McDowell County and James Anderson of Mitchell County are made honorary pages of the House.
On motion of Mr. Jones of Ashe the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Ira T. Johnston, a former member of the House from Ashe County.

On motion of Mr. Hargett H. B. 1346 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act for the better protection of migratory wild fowl in Currituck Sound and its tributaries, to enable the County of Currituck to cooperate with the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission," is taken from the Committee on Wildlife Resources and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

On motion of Mr. O'Neal, Douglas Tunnell of Hyde County is made an honorary page of the House.

STATEMENT BY MEMBER

I wish to make the following statement in the Journal with respect to H. B. 1350:

The Guilford delegation in the House of Representatives has followed the policy of having a caucus on local legislation and then adhering to the majority vote of the caucus. The House delegation has held a caucus on the matter of raising the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Guilford County. Because a majority of the delegation has favored raising the Clerk of the Superior Court's salary from $10,500 to $11,500 a year, under the unit rule I do not feel free to oppose this action on the floor of the House.

However, I wish to make this position plain and my own feeling on the matter unmistakable. It may be that the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court should be raised. There are many factors which enter into this decision, including the salary in relation to the salaries of other employees, whether one official should be singled out for a salary raise by the Legislature, and whether the Legislature should be concerned with raising a local official's salary.

It is my strong feeling that this is a matter which should be handled at the county level. The County Commissioners must raise by taxes the amount necessary to pay any increased salaries. I believe that the responsibility for raising the salary of county officials should be with them. They must pay the toll; they should have the responsibility and the right to fix the amount of the toll. They are better able to fix the salary of all local officials, as they have before them the entire picture of county salaries. In short, it is a matter of local concern, which should be controlled locally and not from Raleigh.

Moreover, it is pointed out that in the 1953 General Assembly the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court was raised from $9,000 to $10,500, and with the raise contemplated in the present bill his salary shall have been raised $2,500 in four years, time. This is a raise of almost 28% or over $600 a year for each of the four years. I am informed that the maximum salary which the Clerk of the United States District Court may receive is about $9,000 a year. The salary as raised is more than the present salary
of a Superior Court Judge and is more than the salary of the District Solicitor. On a relative basis, I suggest the lack of wisdom of this action, but I rest my opposition to the bill on the ground that it is a local matter and should be regulated in Guilford County and not in Raleigh. The County Commissioners are in a better position to know the facts concerning wisdom and justice of the salary raise, and to adjust salaries in relation to each other so as to avoid the creation of personnel problems.

/s/ THOMAS TURNER.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 768, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 62 of Volume 2B of the General Statutes relating to the issuance and distribution of reports of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, authorizing the use of certified mail in addition to registered mail for the purpose of serving certain notices, and to regulate the issuance of notices required by the Bus Act of 1949.

H. B. 930, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite a portion of Article 13 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, entitled "Embalmers and Funeral Directors."

H. B. 965, a bill to be entitled An act to license importers of beer and wine.

H. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled An act to define and impose a license tax on itinerant photographers and their agents and employees.

H. B. 800, a bill to be entitled An act to make it unlawful for any person to knowingly make false statements to officers constituting charges of the commission of crime.

H. B. 950, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the distribution of automobile registration plates by persons selling automobile insurance.

H. B. 1190, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the organization of the Department of Motor Vehicles.

REPORT 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. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

S. B. 439, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize each governing board of the several public school administrative units of Iredell County to each set up a capital outlay reserve fund for the cost of new school sites
or addition to present school sites, new school buildings, new additional construction at existing buildings and equipment for such new buildings and for new additional construction.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 1246, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the installation and use of sirens on emergency rescue vehicles owned and operated by local civil defense organizations.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1343, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that trailers or semi-trailers designed and used solely for transporting liquid nitrogen shall be taxed at the rate of one-half of the rate of taxation provided for private haulers.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 428, a bill to be entitled An act to modify the definition of the word “intersection” in the Motor Vehicle Laws.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 430, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights-of-way for state highways located within municipalities.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 264, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4, Chapter 113 of the General Statutes to provide for recovering expenses incurred as a result of a fire started through negligence.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 688, a bill to be entitled An act to increase coverage requirements of the Financial Responsibility Law.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 971, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled An act relating to barratry and providing for revocation of professional licenses and corporate charters and disbarment of attorneys upon conviction of barratry.

With a favorable report, as amended.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 1178, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 126-47 making it unlawful for the State Highway
Commission to open for public transportation any highway crossing railroad tracks where trains pass at night until electric traffic warning signals shall be installed.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 1353, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the qualification of certain persons for employment by the State of North Carolina.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1040 Session Laws of North Carolina for 1945 so as to provide that said chapter shall be applicable to Buncombe County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-30 relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions in Wilson County and fixing the registration fees.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 51, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 2-42 relating to the keeping of books by clerks of the superior court.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 411, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 50 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to establish limited residence for military personnel.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 412, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1, Section 82, of the General Statutes of North Carolina to establish a limited residence for military personnel.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 442, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 15-199 relating to conditions of probation.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 991, a bill to be entitled An act regulating occupational licensing boards.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Clark the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. R. 1370, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to study and make recommendations to the Governor as to the
necessity and advisability of a reorganization of the State Government in the interest of more efficient and economical administration of the same.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 406, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the State Personnel Director and Council to classify and set the salary ranges for positions covered by the State Personnel Act; to clarify responsibility for setting the number of allowable positions in each state agency.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 857, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of Burke County the question of whether the Board of Commissioners of Burke County shall be elected for staggered four-year terms.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1317, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Emerald Isle, North Carolina, in Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1324, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the existing laws relating to the territorial jurisdiction of Recorder Courts of Beaufort County in Washington and Aurora.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1337, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Mayodan, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Turner the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 435, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Judge of the Morehead City Recorder's Court.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Messrs. Doughton, Brock and Eggers:

H. R. 1373, a joint resolution honoring the memory of Dr. Blanford Barnard Dougherty.

On motion of Mr. Doughton the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.
Passes first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Messrs. Wilson of Caswell, Hunt, Powell and Buchanan:

H. R. 1374, a joint resolution requesting the Board of Conservation and Development to emphasize the slogan “Year Around Mid-South” in advertising the State of North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Messrs. Speight and Maddrey:

H. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Boards of Commissioners of Bertie and Hertford Counties to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Bertie and Hertford Counties.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Powe:

H. B. 1376, a bill to be entitled An Act relating to the bonds required of certain Justices of the Peace of Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Griggs:

H. B. 1377, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Currituck County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Whitley, Harris of Wake and Womble of Wake:

H. B. 1378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1198 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the collection of advance cost by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Harriss of Rowan:

H. B. 1379, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-122 relating to fees to be paid the Commissioner of Banks for making examinations of loan agencies or brokers.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Messrs. Valentine and Dill:

H. B. 1380, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in the
Town of Whitakers, in Nash and Edgecombe Counties, for municipal tax purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1381, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Whitakers, Nash and Edgecombe Counties, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Gregory:

H. B. 1382, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials of the Town of Coats.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Hill, Powe and Wilson of Union:

H. R. 1383, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study and report on the problem of uninsured negligent motorists in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

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. 195, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County to call and the Board of Elections of said county to conduct special elections on the questions of eliminating the present county library tax, and of creating separate library systems for the City of Reidsville and for the remainder of Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 477, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the qualified voters of the Town of Clinton to determine whether alcoholic beverage control stores shall be established in said town and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits thereof.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 448, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-70 relating to the terms of Superior Court of the several counties of the state.

Referred to Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

S. B. 467, a bill to be entitled An act to permit a greater length of house trailers.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.
S. B. 472, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-39 relating to the care and treatment of former residents of this state in the state mental hospitals.

Referred to Committee on Mental Institutions.

S. B. 480, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 439, Public-Local Laws of 1939, as rewritten by Chapter 46, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the maintenance of and permanent improvements at Asheville Biltmore College.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 597, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Article 31, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes of North Carolina as it relates to the licensing of business, trade, and correspondence schools and solicitors for such schools.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 31, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives requesting the return of S. B. 496 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act authorizing creation of a city administrative school unit in Rockingham County to be known as West Rockingham Cities Administrative Unit, subject to a referendum vote of the people in areas affected", for further consideration by the Senate.

Respectfully
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message and on motion of Mr. Powell the bill is returned to the Senate.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1266, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the City of New Bern, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1269, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Northampton County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1297, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Harkers Island in Carteret County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1318, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of dike and levee districts in Hyde County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 431, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1264, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the amassing of funds with which to erect a new courthouse for Harnett County or to improve the existing courthouse of said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1268, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Salemburg in Sampson County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1288, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Granville County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Princeton.

Mr. Thomas of Johnston offers an amendment which is adopted; the amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 1321, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 to authorize employment of a plumbing inspector in the unincorporated areas of Durham County.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1329, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of fortunetelling in Moore County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1356, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Danbury in Stokes County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 438, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Concord City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Concord.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1217, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Article 14, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes relating to special local tax elections for school purposes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1320, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate and license the peddling and sale of college or university scholastic colors, emblems, and other like articles in athletic contests in Durham County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1330, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds to provide student housing by the Boards of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina, Appalachian State Teachers' College, East Carolina College, Elizabeth City State Teachers' College, Fayetteville State Teachers' College,
North Carolina College at Durham, Pembroke State College, Western Carolina College and Winston-Salem Teachers' College.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 282, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 15 of Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to require boards of education and the tax levying authorities to protect the investment in public school buildings and equipment.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
S. B. 349, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 28-56.1 relating to federal income tax refunds.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 381, a bill to be entitled An act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of forest districts.
On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted; the amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill, as amended, and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second roll call reading, as amended.

S. B. 397, a bill to be entitled An act to amend certain sections of Subchapter 111 of Chapter 54 of the General Statutes relating to the interest rate, fees, powers and duties and voluntary dissolution of credit unions.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Western North Carolina Regional Planning Commission and authorizing counties and municipalities to contribute to its support.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Jordan offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. Jordan offers the second amendment which is adopted.

The amendments being material adoption of the amendments constitute the first reading of the bill, as amended, and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

House committee substitute for S. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement "The Revenue Act", being Subchapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.

Mr. Falls moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance; the motion prevails.

H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4C of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to structural pest control.

Mr. Bynum offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Bynum offers the second amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1277, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for voluntary inspection of motor vehicles.

Mr. Hicks offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. White moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

Mr. Holmes moves that the motion offered by Mr. White be tabled, the motion prevails.

Mr. Uzzell moves the previous question.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its second reading, as amended.

The bill fails to pass its second reading roll call, as amended, by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Bell, Blue, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Clark, Dill, Falls, Gobble, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Hunt, Jones of Ashe, Long, McKnight, Philpott, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Snepp, Stone, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Umstead, Uzzell, Venters, Wallace, Watkins, Whitley, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Yarborough of Cumberland and Yarborough of Franklin—30.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burleson, Carpenter, Coates, Delamar, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gregory, Hardy, Hargett, Henley, Hos-
Mr. Kerr moves that the vote by which the bill failed to pass its second reading be reconsidered and that this motion lie upon the table; the motion prevails.

S. B. 283, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1146 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to business development corporations, so as to prescribe a method of taxation with respect thereto, and so as to increase the maximum number of directors to 21, and so as to permit a lower loan limit for building and loan association members.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1098, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 57 and 58 of the General Statutes relating to the renewability of individual and blanket, group and franchise hospitalization and accident and health insurance policies.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Blue the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered and the bill remains on the Calendar.

H. R. 1101, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operation of motorboats on the waters of the state and to submit its recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.
On motion of Mr. Bell the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties to enact ordinances regulating public recreations, amusements and entertainments, and to define, prohibit, abate, or suppress things detrimental to the health, morals, safety, convenience and welfare of the people in areas within the county outside an incorporated municipality.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

H. B. 1173, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the safety and security of county prisoners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1191, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 35 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the costs of tests and vaccinations in livestock markets.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1223, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 130-37 so as to provide for the appointment of members of sanitary district boards in the event no members thereof were elected at the general election in November, 1956.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 559 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of bonds concerning the purposes for which bonds may be issued and giving authority to call an election upon the issuance of bonds if the issuance of bonds has heretofore not been approved by the voters.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hughes, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kerr, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Love, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 373, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 496 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Board of Trustees of the Daniel Boone Association.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 372. A Joint Resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to study the State Constitution and submit recommendations with respect to amendments or a revision thereof.

H. R. 974. A Joint Resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to study the cause and control of cancer in North Carolina.

S. B. 131. An Act to amend Chapter 153 of the General Statutes so as to increase the maximum number of members who may serve on a county planning board.

S. B. 201. An Act to secure compliance with the highway fuel use tax law providing a penalty for failure to register.

S. B. 251. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-102 relating to license taxes on junk dealers.

S. B. 331. An Act to amend Chapter 166 of the General Statutes relating to civil defense.

S. B. 425. An Act fixing the terms of office of members of the Iredell County Board of Education.

S. B. 427. An Act relating to compensation of the Board of County Commissioners of Halifax County.

H. B. 394. An Act validating all extensions of the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

H. B. 568. An Act to amend General Statutes 122-51 relating to the fees of physicians making examinations of mentally disordered persons in Johnston County.

H. B. 673. An Act to repeal Chapter 561 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to vacation and sick leave for employees of Cumberland County.
H. B. 681. An Act amending Chapter 806, Session Laws of 1953, relating to the power board for the Town of Murphy, changing the name of said board, appointing members thereof, and authorizing certain expenditures by said board.

H. B. 786. An Act relating to the term of office of County Commissioners of Swain County.

H. B. 907. An Act to provide a uniform bill of costs for all courts of Wake County, North Carolina, inferior to the Wake County Superior Court, exclusive of the Wake County Domestic Relations Court and the Raleigh City Court.

H. B. 1018. An Act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Spencer and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Spencer for a distance of one mile in all directions.

H. B. 1093. An Act amending Chapter 37, Private Laws of 1923, which is designated “Charter of City of Greensboro”.

H. B. 1094. An Act to validate local improvement assessments heretofore levied and assessed by the City Council of the City of Greensboro.

H. B. 1095. An Act to amend Chapter 436 of the Session Laws of 1945 relative to establishing a War Memorial Fund and a War Memorial Fund Commission to acquire and hold property incidental to the construction of war memorial.

H. B. 1096. An Act to extend the planning, zoning and building regulation powers of the City of Greensboro and its governing body to the territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro for a distance of one mile in all directions.

H. B. 1097. An Act to amend Chapter 1334 of the Session Laws of 1955 providing for the regulation of the subdivision of land in and around municipalities so as to make said Act applicable to Guilford County.

H. B. 1124. An Act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Tyrrell County and to the arrest fees and mileage allowance of the Sheriff of Tyrrell County.

H. B. 1135. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County to extend the time for quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property for taxation.

H. B. 1140. An Act relating to the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Chadbourn.

H. B. 1149. An Act to amend Chapter 137 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the disposition of certain delinquent taxes collected in Wayne County.

H. B. 1154. An Act to amend the Charter of the Town of Mocksville to provide for the nomination of candidates for the office of Mayor and
members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Mocksville by
divorce.

H. B. 1189. An Act to amend Chapter 211 of the Private Laws of 1939
respect to initiative and referendum elections.

H. B. 1193. An Act to amend Chapter 21 of the Private Laws of 1939
amending the Charter of the City of Rocky Mount for the purpose of author-
izing the City of Rocky Mount to expend from its revenues received from
its electric power system a sum not exceeding $25,000 for advertising the
facilities of the City of Rocky Mount.

H. B. 1205. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the
Town of Mount Gilead in Montgomery County to sell cemetery lots owned
by said town at private sale.

H. B. 1215. An Act to amend General Statutes 160-340 and General
Statutes 160-345 to prescribe the terms of office of Mayor and Councilmen
of the City of Burlington in Alamance County.

H. B. 1216. An Act to provide for listing and assessing property in
Alleghany County for ad valorem taxes.

H. B. 1222. An Act relating to the revaluation and reassessment of
real and personal property for taxation in Forsyth County.

H. B. 1229. An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Concord to
change terms of office for certain appointive officials.

H. B. 1235. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the
County of Craven, in its discretion, to postpone the revaluation of taxable
real property situate in said county, not later than the year 1961.

S. B. 80. An Act creating an interdepartmental building regulation com-
mittee to coordinate the activities of state agencies in the field of building
regulation.

S. B. 272. An Act to amend General Statutes 47-20.2(B) relating to
the place of registration of mortgages on personal property and to amend
certain parts of Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The
Business Corporation Act) and Section 1 of Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Ses-
sion Laws (The Nonprofit Corporation Act).

S. B. 274. An Act to authorize the Governor and Council of State to con-
vey certain property located in the City of Raleigh to Shaw University.

S. B. 291. An Act to amend General Statutes 26-5 relating to contribu-
tion among sureties.

S. B. 304. An Act to amend General Statutes 47-17.1 requiring that
documents accepted for probate or recordation be identified by the name
of the draftsman.

S. B. 320. An Act to provide for the central registration of all decrees
of divorce.
S. B. 338. An Act amending General Statutes 18-48 so as to make it illegal to possess or cause to be manufactured counterfeit or unauthorized beverage control stamps.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House takes a recess until 3:15 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION
May 31, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, temporarily presiding for Mr. Uzzell, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Satterfield for Monday, June 3, 1957.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Davis for today, May 31, 1957.

A leave of absence is granted Mr. Floyd of Columbus for Monday, June 3, 1957.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
May 30, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conferees on S. B. 65 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism", to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, we may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

REPORT 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. Thomas of Johnston, for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

H. B. 1369, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1028, Session Laws of 1949, and fixing certain fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of Wilson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1371, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1303 of the Session Laws of 1953 authorizing county commissioners to fix fees of county officers so as to make the same applicable to Onslow County.
With a favorable report.

S. B. 432, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-134 relating to fees of Justices of the Peace in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 476, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the game of bingo in the Town of White Lake in Bladen County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Gregory for the Committee on Insurance.

H. R. 1383, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study and report on the problem of uninsured negligent motorists in North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 421, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 58 and 58 of the General Statutes relating to the renewability of individual and blanket, group and franchise hospitalization and accident and health insurance policies.

With a favorable report.

CONFERENCE REPORT

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

The Committee of Conferees on S. B. 65 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend the equipment provisions of the motor vehicle laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism," begs leave to report that they have agreed as follows:

1. That the Senate concur in the House amendments reading as follows:

   Amend S. B. 65 by deleting from Section 1 thereof so much of line 10 as reads "and with", and all of lines 11 and 12; and by placing a period after "General Statutes 20-132" in line 10.

2. That the Senate does not concur in the House amendments reading as follows:

   By deleting Section 2 thereof;

   By renumbering Section 3 as "Sec. 2", Section 4 as "Sec. 3", and Section 5 as "Sec. 4".

3. That the Senate and House do, however, concur that Section 2 of said bill be deleted and that said section be rewritten as follows:

   Sec. 2. Part 9 of Article 3 of Chapter 20 of the General Statutes is hereby amended by inserting therein in an appropriate place a new section, to be designated by an appropriate number and to read as follows:
A. "Safety Belts—The Commissioner shall establish specifications or requirements for approved type safety belts and safety harness and attachments.

B. No person shall sell, offer or keep for sale any safety belt, safety harness, or attachments thereto as referred to in Subsection A. for use in a vehicle, unless of a type and brand which has been approved by the Commissioner".

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Addison Hewlett, Jr.
A. A. Zollicoffer, Jr.
Frank W. Snepp
Conferees on the part of the House

/s/ Paul E. Jones
James W. Mason
Conferees on the part of the Senate

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the Conference Report is adopted and the Senate is so notified.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 857, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of Burke County the question of whether the Board of Commissioners of Burke County shall be elected for staggered four-year terms.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1324, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the existing laws relating to the territorial jurisdiction of Recorder Courts of Beaufort County in Washington and Aurora.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1360, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1040, Session Laws of North Carolina for 1945 so as to provide that said chapter shall be applicable to Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1368, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 47-30 relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions in Wilson County and fixing the registration fees.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
S. B. 435, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of the Judge of the Morehead City Recorder's Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Mr. Uzzell comes into the Hall of the House and assumes the duties of the Chair.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 1384, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 897 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund in Bertie County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Powe and Hill:

H. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled An act to direct the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County and the City Council of the City of Durham to appoint a commission to study the joint functions of the county and city and the sources of income therefrom.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement "The Revenue Act", being Subchapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.

With a favorable report, as amended.

Mr. Falls moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration, the motion prevails.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement "The Revenue Act", being Subchapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.
On motion of Mr. Falls committee amendments, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 are adopted; the amendments being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill, as amended, and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

S. B. 351, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 57 of the General Statutes so as to permit contracts for payment to Dentists for certain services.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1225, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30.2 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to liens upon the real property of a recipient of old age assistance.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 414, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 127-111 relating to the State Guard of North Carolina.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Columbus consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, June 4, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M. at which time only Public-Local legislation will be considered.

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ONE HUNDREDTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Saturday, June 1, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Womble of Wake County, designated by Mr. Speaker Doughton as Speaker Pro Tempore.

Prayer is offered by Mr. Holmes of Perquimans County.

Mr. Brock reports for the Committee on the Journal, that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Speight the House adjourns and will meet Monday Night at 8 o'clock P. M.
The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Graham K. Hobbs, a former member of the House from New Hanover County.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, George Maurice Burnette of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Wilson, Fayetta Neff Pittman and Frank Shields Pittman, Jr., daughter and son of Representative and Mrs. Frank Pittman of Halifax County, are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the vote by which H. B. 1125, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties to enact ordinances regulating public recreations, amusements and entertainments, and to define, prohibit, abate, or suppress things detrimental to the health, morals, safety, convenience and welfare of the people in areas within the county outside an incorporated municipality", was postponed indefinitely is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the bill is placed on the Calendar for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett S. B. 442, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 15-199 relating to conditions of probation", is taken from the unfavorable Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

STATEMENT BY MEMBER

Mr. Speaker:

I have heard it said that the world is divided between those who love and those who hate. Like you and my colleagues, I want to be counted among those who love. Mr. Speaker, Lady and Gentlemen of the House, through my association with you in the body politic, I have cultivated a deep affection for all of you. It is my humble opinion, that the political experiences of each member of this Assembly lends to forming a body fraternal based on understanding, and to me, understanding is the precious jewel of the human mind.
Realizing that our differences are a matter of opinion, that our rules are a matter of opinion, and that the light shining into our eyes can create a blind spot that shades the way we view the issues coming before us, I am setting forth here the shades of my thinking on the following:

By nature of a balanced budget, our Appropriations Bill is conceived in the heart of the Revenue Act. The life in any appropriation is based on the revenue appropriated to sustain its life. If, Lady and Gentlemen of the House, as has been suggested, the Revenue Bill and Appropriations Bill have nothing in common with each other, then one cannot conceive the other, but I submit to you that the Appropriations Bill cannot be conceived except by the Revenue Act. The Revenue Bill that we enact determines the substance of the Appropriations Bill. The Revenue Bill we pass breathes life into the Appropriations Bill. We who advocate the enactment of the United Forces Program for Education have arrived at the disputed barricade. We cannot vote for this Revenue Bill that gives tax relief at the expense of the human mind. Here against the passage of this bill, we stand for a state's greatest asset—its children. At this crossroad, we decide whether to give our children the best educational facilities we can afford, or give tax relief to corporations, more than half of which will go directly to the federal government in increased taxes. Our public hearings brought out that our farmers, small business men and North Carolina's small domestic corporations are the ones that need tax relief.

If, Mr. Speaker, you will recognize me when the time comes to vote on this Revenue Bill, I will make a motion that it lay on the table. If that motion carries, I will then send forward a substitute Revenue Bill that re-enacts the 1956-1957 Revenue Law, amended to give the Governor and Conservation and Development the authority to give a two year moratorium in taxes to foreign corporations that they feel would be beneficial to our state's continued progress. That would give then a lead-way in securing industries that would not compound our already great stream pollution problem. We would have no need for new taxes. We would not have to tax into the purchasing power of those who are now being caught in the squeeze. We would not gamble on uncertain revenues.

In my humble opinion, Mr. Speaker, a vote for this Revenue Act is a vote for Republican theory of trickle-down, and a vote against is a vote for the people and children of our state. Let North Carolina take care of its own!

/s/ Clarence E. Stone, Jr.

EN GRO SSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. R. 1101, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a com-
tion of motorboats on the waters of the state and to submit its recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

H. B. 1269, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Northampton County.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Womble of Forsyth:

H. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the creation of life insurance trusts.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Zollicoffer:

H. B. 1387, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the basis, for income tax purposes, of property acquired by gift held to be in contemplation of death.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Wooten:

H. B. 1388, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 15-177.1 so as to require any fine and court costs paid by a defendant upon a conviction in the court of a justice of the peace or other inferior court to be refunded upon appeal to the Superior Court.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

And,

H. B. 1389, a bill to be entitled An act to confirm and validate the appointment of Drainage Commissioners of Pitt County Drainage District No. 2.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 1390, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 1391, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election to be held in Onslow County on the question of the adoption of daylight saving time.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 1392, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Windsor to purchase a cemetery lot and dispose of certain unused land.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1393, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Commissioners of the Town of Windsor.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,

H. B. 1394, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the nomination and election of the members of the Boards of Education and County Commissioners of Bertie County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Kerr:

H. B. 1395, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Warren County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Woodard of Wilson:

H. B. 1396, a bill to be entitled An act repealing in its entirely Chapter 188, Private Laws of 1913, requiring elections for the granting of public utility franchises in the City of Wilson.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Askew:

H. B. 1397, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the County Criminal Court of Gates County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Philpott:

H. B. 1398, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the salaries of the Mayor of Lexington, the members of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Lexington, and the members of the Lexington Utility Commission.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Holcombe:

H. B. 1399, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Yancey County.

Referred to Committee on Finance.
By Messrs. Henley and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. B. 1400, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-589 and General Statutes 8-59 so as to provide for the service of subpoenas and summonses for jurors by the use of certified or double postal cards in Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lenoir County to appropriate funds to purchase equipment for a voluntary fire department in the community of Deep Run in said county.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Jordan, Craig, and Crawford of Buncombe:

H. B. 1402, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 46, Public Laws of 1917, now codified as General Statutes 66-10 relating to keeping records of the purchases of brass, copper, et cetera, so as to make said act applicable to Buncombe County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 1403, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-53 as the same applies to certifications to be made on foreign vehicles before registration in this state.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

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. 327, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize cities and towns to make street improvements and to borrow money in anticipation of receipts of Powell Bill funds to pay therefor.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 392, a bill to be entitled An act regulating occupational licensing boards.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

S. B. 401, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 15-197 relating to suspension of sentence in probation in criminal cases.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1

S. B. 445, a bill to be entitled An act to require justices of the peace to furnish bond for the faithful performance of their duties.
Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1

S. B. 466, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-568.4 (e) relating to pretrial examination of witnesses in civil actions in the Superior Court.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1

S. B. 478, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1061 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to selection of the Recorder and the Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Leasville Township in Rockingham County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 481, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate certain surplus revenues collected during the fiscal year 1957-58 to pay bond anticipation notes issued pursuant to the State Capital Improvement Bond Act of 1957.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 483, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-25 relating to the appointment of policemen, firemen, and other employees in the Town of Weldon in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 484, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Gold Point in Martin County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 485, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of profits from liquor control stores in Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 490, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to county tuberculosis hospitals.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 491, a bill to be entitled An act to clarify the authority of the State Highway Commission to contract for engineering and like services.

Referred to Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 164, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taking of catfish by the use of electrical devices in the commercial fishing waters of the Cape Fear River.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Britt the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the outer banks.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.
On motion of Mr. Bell the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Senate Committee Substitute for H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subchapter 7 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

Returned for concurrence in Senate committee substitute bill.

Passed first reading.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 952, a bill to be entitled An act pertaining to notice to property owners by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Taylor the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1033, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize boards of county commissioners to designate the names of roads or streets in unincorporated areas.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1118, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Avery County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Randall, by request, consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

**CALENDAR**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4C of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to structural pest control.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 283, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1146 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to business development corporations so as to prescribe a method of taxation with respect thereto, and so as to increase the maximum number of directors to 21, and so as to permit a lower loan limit for building and loan association members.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 559 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of bonds concerning the purposes for which bonds may be issued and giving authority to call an election upon the issuance of bonds if the issuance of bonds has heretofore not been approved by the voters.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 925, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the establishment of forest districts.

On motion of Mr. Wooten the bill is recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Western North Carolina Regional Planning Commission and authorizing counties and municipalities to contribute to its support.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the vote by which the bill passed its second reading, as amended, is reconsidered.
On motion of Mr. Jordan the vote by which the amendment concerning Buncombe County was adopted is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the amendment is tabled.

Mr. Jordan offers another amendment which is adopted. The amendment being material the adoption of same constitutes the first reading of the bill, as amended, and the bill remains on the Calendar for its second reading roll call, as amended.

H. B. 1343, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that trailers or semitrailers designed and used solely for transporting liquid nitrogen shall be taxed at the rate of one-half of the rate of taxation provided for private haulers.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Pitt consideration of the bill is postponed until Tuesday, June 4, 1957.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement “The Revenue Act” being Subchapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.

Mr. Stone offers an amendment and calls for the “Ayes” and “Noes” on the adoption of same, and calls the previous question; the call fails to sustain on the previous question.

Mr. Falls moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Stone lie on the table, the motion prevails and the amendment is tabled.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its second roll call reading, as amended.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Ross, Stone, Turner, Valentine, Wilson of Union, and Wooten—6.

The following pairs are announced: Mr. Clark votes “Aye”, Mr. Kiser votes “No;” Mr. Hargett votes “No,” and Mr. Harris of Rowan votes “Aye,”

STATEMENT BY MEMBER

STATEMENT OF REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS J. WHITE WITH RESPECT TO THAT PORTION OF THE REVENUE BILL WHICH RELATES TO THE ALLOCATION FORMULA DEALING WITH TAXES ON INCOME OF FOREIGN MULTI-STATE CORPORATIONS.

Because I believe that our share of moving industry will come to North Carolina under our present tax structure;

Because our present law provides for the adjustment of inequities which should be corrected;

Because I believe that the greatest single force which moves industry into North Carolina is the character and stability of our people;

Because I believe that we can at this time better use $800,000 for the people of North Carolina whose tax payments provide it than to gamble it on the uncertainty of realizing a mushrooming industrialization of the state;

Because I believe that we ought not to give away the taxpayers’ money at a time when it is insisted that we need to borrow money by way of a $10,000,000 bond issue without a vote of the people, even though we are assured that we have a $64,000,000 surplus;

Because I believe that we should first supply the needs of the people of North Carolina who pay the taxes, before we, in effect, give the taxpayers’ money to those who as yet have not contributed tax money or effort to the development of this state;

Because our state has surpassed all other southeastern states in industrial development in recent years;

I am not convinced that it is wise at this time to adopt the proposed allocation formula as it relates to taxes on the income of foreign multi-state corporations.

I cannot subscribe to the portion of the Revenue Bill which contains the allocation formula mentioned.

On motion of Mr. Falls the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11 o’clock A. M.
ONE HUNDRED SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, June 4, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Turner the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Robert M. Moseley, a former member of the House from Guilford County.

On motion of Mr. Powe, Christine, Lorry and Trudy Lowenbach of Durham County are made honorary pagettes of the House.

On motion of Mr. Floyd of Columbus, Fred Maynard Benton, Jr. of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Philpott H. B. 1319 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to clarify the authority of the State Highway Commission to contract for engineering and like services”, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

On motion of Mr. Philpott H. B. 1248 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to permit a greater length of house trailers”, is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

On motion of Mr. Clark H. B. 991 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act regulating Occupational Licensing Boards” is taken from the Calendar and recommitted to the Committee on State Government.

On motion of Mr. Britt H. B. 1198 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Bladen County to establish Recorder’s Courts under the provisions of Article 24 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes” is recalled from the Senate for further consideration by the House.

On motion of Mr. Falls S. B. 481 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate certain surplus revenues collected during the fiscal year 1957-1958 to pay bond anticipation notes issued pursuant to the State Capital Improvement Bond Act of 1957” is taken from the Committee on Finance and placed on today’s Calendar for consideration.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT

Pursuant to House Resolution entitled, “a House Resolution authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee to study the 1957 Rules of the House and make its report to the 1959 Session of the House of Representatives”, Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as the Committee, Messrs. Uzzell, Holmes, Taylor, Womble of Forsyth and Womble of Wake.
Mr. Askew, for the committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bill has been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed and asks that it be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 954, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4C of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to structural pest control.

REPORT 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. Whitley, for the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. B. 1379, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-122 relating to fees to be paid the Commissioners of Banks for making examinations of loan agencies or brokers.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 919, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the General Statutes relative to drainage districts.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1317, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Emerald Isle, North Carolina in Carteret County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1337, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Mayodan, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Boards of Commissioners of Bertie and Hertford Counties to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Bertie and Hertford Counties.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. B. 1402, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 46, Public Laws of 1917, now codified as General Statutes 66-10, relating to keeping records of the purchases of brass, copper, et cetera, so as to make said Act applicable to Buncombe County.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 485, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of profits from liquor control stores in Durham County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 490, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to county tuberculosis hospitals.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1002, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of mosquito control districts and to define their powers and duties.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 1348, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-135 so as to change the punishment for cutting timber belonging to someone else.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1376, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the bonds required of certain justices of the peace of Durham County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled An act to direct the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County and the City Council of the City of Durham to appoint a commission to study the joint functions of the county and city and the sources of income therefrom.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1388, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 15-177.1 so as to require any fine and court costs paid by a defendant upon a conviction in the court of a justice of the peace or other inferior court to be refunded upon appeal to the Superior Court.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1389, a bill to be entitled An act to confirm and validate the appointment of drainage commissioners of Pitt County Drainage District No. 2.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 442, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 15-199 relating to conditions of probation.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 478, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1061 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to selection of the Recorder and the Solicitor of the Recorder's Court of Leaksville Township in Rockingham County.
With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1327, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 279 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the salaries of the county commissioners of Bertie County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1338, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the board of commissioners of Perquimans County to employ additional law enforcement officers and to make appropriations for such purpose.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1339, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in Perquimans County, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1354, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of justices of the peace in criminal actions in Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1358, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize an election in Lee County upon the question of the election of members of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Lee for terms of two years each.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1359, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing an election in Lee County upon the question of districting the county for the nomination of county commissioners.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1144 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to permit an increase in the salary of the Treasurer of Cabarrus County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cabarrus County to pay contributions to Social Security for a six months period with respect to law enforcement officers of the county.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1377, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Currituck County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1198 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the collection of advance cost by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1380, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in the Town of Whitakers, in Nash and Edgecombe Counties, for municipal tax purposes.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1381, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Whitakers, Nash and Edgecombe Counties, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1382, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials of the Town of Coats.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1384, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 897 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund in Bertie County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1390, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1391, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election to be held in Onslow County on the question of adoption of daylight saving time.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1392, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Windsor to purchase a cemetery lot and dispose of certain unused land.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1393, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Commissioners of the Town of Windsor.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1395, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Warren County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1397, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the County Criminal Court of Gates County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1398, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the salaries of the Mayor of Lexington, the members of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Lexington, and the members of the Lexington Utility Commission.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1400, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-589 and General Statutes 8-59 so as to provide for the service of subpoenas and summonses for jurors by the use of certified double postal cards in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the bill is recommitted to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lenoir County to appropriate funds to purchase equipment for a voluntary fire department in the community of Deep Run in said county.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 195, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County to call, and the Board of Elections of said County to conduct special elections on the questions of eliminating the present county library tax, and of creating separate library systems for the City of Reidsville and for the remainder of Rockingham County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 441, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a Boxing and Wrestling commission to regulate boxing and wrestling in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 451, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1258 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the Northampton County Low Enforcement Officers Relief Association to construct a building for use by said Association.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 456, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation for the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Murfreesboro in Hertford County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 463, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1202, Session Laws of 1955, so as to relieve the Town of Pembroke of its obligation to provide free sewage disposal service to Pembroke State College.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 482, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation of members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Statesville.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 483, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-25 relating to the appointment of policemen, firemen and other employees in the Town of Weldon in Halifax County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 484, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Gold Point in Martin County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Murphy for the Committee on Agriculture.

S. B. 322, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain sections of Chapter 139 of the General Statutes relating to soil conservation districts.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 437, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for voluntary inspection of meat, meat products and meat by-products.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 447, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-284.9 relating to the sale of Irish potatoes and sweet potatoes and parts thereof offered for the purpose of propagation.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 465, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 50 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes of North Carolina by rewriting Section 106-550.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Quinn, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

H. B. 1364, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-78 so as to give the State Board of Alcoholic Control the authority to approve the contents of malt beverage products to be sold in this state.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Bost, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 291, a bill to be entitled An act to simplify and standardize the reporting of inventories and lists of merchandise for ad valorem tax purposes.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 307, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing boards of counties, cities and towns in this state to purchase supplies, equipment and materials through the North Carolina Division of Purchase and Contract.

With an unfavorable report.
H. B. 1146, a bill to be entitled An act to require all public, private or other hospitals operated in this state to furnish, upon demand, patients with itemized statements of charges and expenses incurred in such hospitals.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1270, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Chapter 243 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 and regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Granville County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1316, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1160 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the filing of papers by clerks of the Superior Courts so as to make said Chapter applicable to Alamance County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1331, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 400, 1945 Session Laws relating to the administration of certain estates by the Clerk of Superior Court of Forsyth County so as to provide for the administration thereof when same does not exceed the value of two thousand dollars.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled An act for the better protection of migratory wild fowl in Currituck Sound and its tributaries, to enable the County of Currituck to cooperate with the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Bost the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the creation of life insurance trusts.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 401, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 15-197 relating to suspension of sentence in probation in criminal cases.

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. Floyd of Columbus:

H. B. 1404, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a Chairman of the City Council of Whiteville and to prescribe his duties.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Talton:
H. B. 1405, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Wayne County to regulate the speed and parking of vehicles in areas located outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton:

H. B. 1406, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the appointment of salaried deputy sheriffs in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Gobble and Stone:

H. B. 1407, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 520 of the Public-Local Laws 1937 Session and to repeal Chapter 611, Public-Local Laws 1949 Session, relating to the office of the official court reporter so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Forsyth to fix and determine the cost of typewritten transcripts to be furnished by the official court reporter for Forsyth County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Venters:

H. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-46 to exempt business managers of certain educational institutions from provisions of the State Personnel Act.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. McCrary, by request:

H. B. 1409, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 376, Public-Local Laws of 1918 so as to give the Police Court for the Town of Clyde jurisdiction throughout Clyde Township.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Vann:

H. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-127 so as to provide that a justice of the peace shall not regularly maintain an office outside the township for which he has been elected or appointed.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Hewlett:

H. B. 1411, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, in his discretion, to accept a retrocession of jurisdiction over Federal areas.

Referred to Committee on Federal and Interstate Cooperation.

By Mr. Britt:
H. B. 1412, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for state-wide elections on issues raised by at least fifteen percent of the registered voters of the state.

Referred to Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin:

H. B. 1413, a joint resolution authorizing and directing the Secretary of State to have printed two thousand five hundred copies of the Public School Laws enacted by the General Assembly of 1957, and providing that the distribution thereof be under the direction of the State Superintendent of Public Instructions.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Speight:

H. B. 1414, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize in Bertie County, subject to an election thereon, exemption from ad valorem taxation of the place of residence of the owner of real property, such exemption not to exceed $1,000 in value of property.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 1415, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize all of the counties of the state, subject to an election thereon, exemption from ad valorem taxation of the place of residence of the owner of real property, such exemption not to exceed $1,000 in value of property.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

And,

H. B. 1416, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 579 of the 1957 Session and to make the revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes effective either the 1st day of January, 1958, or the 1st day of January, 1959, in discretion of the Board of County Commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Womble of Forsyth, Stone and Gobble:

H. B. 1417, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 669, 1951 Session Laws relating to fees, costs, and commissions to be charged and collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Turner, Shreve, Hunt and Kemp:

H. R. 1418, a joint resolution requesting the Governor and the General Assembly to join in the sesquicentennial celebration of founding of the City of Greensboro.
Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Messrs. Shreve, Kemp, Hunt and Turner:

H. B. 1419, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 224, Private Laws 1927, as amended.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

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. 452, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the operation of junk yards within the corporate limits of any municipality in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

S. B. 453, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 18-45 relating to the duties of the County Board of Alcoholic Control of Cumberland County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 486, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 299 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to the County Board of Health of Durham County and to make the provisions of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes applicable to the administration of the public health laws in Durham County.

Referred to Committee on Health.

S. B. 502, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 879, ratified the 30th of May, 1957, relating to the appointment of justices of the peace.

Referred to Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 503, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the nomination of members of the Anson County Board of Education by districts, in case the Wadesboro and Morven City Administrative Units shall be consolidated with the Anson County School Administrative Unit.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to require the registration of clubs and organizations in Anson County.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

S. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 98, Public-Local Laws of 1941, as amended by Chapter 601, Session Laws of 1943, so as to authorize the Greensboro-High Point Airport Authority to operate airports jointly with adjoining counties or the municipalities therein.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
H. B. 1032, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Durham.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Powe the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1202, a bill to be entitled An act creating three districts in Hyde County for the nomination and election of the Board of Education of said county.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. O'Neal the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 4, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your request we are returning herewith H. B. 1198 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Bladen County to establish Recorder's Courts under the provisions of Article 24 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes" for further consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

On motion of Mr. Britt the bill is placed on the Calendar.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1264, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the amassing of funds with which to erect a new courthouse for Harnett County or to improve the existing courthouse of said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kemp, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, O'Neal,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1268, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Salemburg in Sampson County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1288, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Granville County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kemp, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of
Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—95.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1321, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 to authorize employment of a plumbing inspector in the unincorporated areas of Durham County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1329, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of fortune telling in Moore County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
H. B. 1356, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Danbury in Stokes County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 438, a bill to be entitled An act providing that the boundaries of the Concord City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Concord.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Princeton.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 439, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize each governing board of the several public school administrative units of Iredell County to each set up a capital outlay reserve fund for the cost of new school sites or addition to present school sites, new school buildings, new additional construction at existing buildings and equipment for such new buildings and for new additional construction.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1369, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1028, Session Laws of 1949, and fixing certain fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of Wilson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1371, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1303 of the Session Laws of 1953 authorizing county commissioners to fix fees of county officers so as to make the same applicable to Onslow County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 432, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-134 relating to fees of justices of the peace in Cumberland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 7, a bill to be entitled An act to amend and supplement "The Revenue Act", being Subchapter 1 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Brinkley, Carpenter, Hughes, Kizer, Randall, Ross, Stone and Wilson of Union—8.

The following pairs are announced: Mr. Hargett votes "No", Mr. Wilson of Caswell votes "Aye"; Mr. Valentine votes "No", Mr. Harriss of Rowan votes "Aye"; Mr. Wooten votes "No", Mr. Love votes 'Aye'.

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

Exercising my privilege under the Constitution, I record my protest to the passage of House Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 7, being the 1957 Revenue Bill and dissent therefrom, so far as the bill relates to a change in the allocation formula applicable to foreign corporations. My protest and dissent is for the following reasons:

1. The bill was not thoroughly considered and was passed with incontinent haste. The change in the allocation formula results in a revenue loss of at least $14,000,000, representing a tax reduction to the larger tax payers of the state of approximately 15%. Such an important measure
should be thoroughly considered and fully debated. The bill was not thoroughly considered nor fully debated. On the contrary, the opponents of the bill at most had only two afternoons in which to present their ideas and information upon their point of view. The bill was referred to a sub-committee comprised of a few members of the full committee. When this committee finished its study, and before its report has been typed, it was actually suggested that the report be made orally before the members of the full committee had had an opportunity to examine and study the written report. Moreover, contrary to all precedent, the bill was not considered by the House sitting as a committee of the whole, where it could be amended without effect upon the readings of the bill.

2. The change in the allocation formula as applied to foreign corporations represents a tax reduction of approximately 15% to the bigger corporations and bigger tax payers of the state, whereas no other tax payer is granted any substantial relief. As I analyse the bill, the bigger corporations receive a tax reduction of $14,000,000 and the individual tax payers of the state a paltry reduction of $580,000.

This action was taken upon the assigned ground that it was necessary in order to attract industry to the state. North Carolina is the 12th state in the nation in industrialization. All statistics including the statistics and reports of the Department of Conservation and Development, indicate that North Carolina is leading the southeast in the race of industrialization. Moreover, it should be borne in mind that this $14,000,000 largess to the larger corporations must enter into and enhance the income of such corporations which will be taxable by the Federal Government. Hence, of the $14,000,000 tax relief to the bigger corporations, at least 50% thereof will be captured by the Federal government as additional income taxes collected from the corporations.

It is my opinion that this tax reduction to the bigger corporations is unwarranted especially at this time, and is made at the expense of the schools and other state agencies. I further believe that it is unjust and contrary to the principles of the Democratic party to give such relief to the larger tax payers and to give practically no relief to the small tax payer. The financial history of this and related bills may be stated as follows: $14,000,000 reduction in taxes to the larger tax payers, practically no reduction to the smaller tax payers and the authorization of $10,000,000 of bonds, without a vote of the people, in the face of a $64,000,000 General Fund surplus.

/s/ Thomas Turner of Guilford.

With reluctance I cast my vote against the Revenue Bill.

The Chairman, Vice Chairman and members of the Committee have worked long and diligently on this Bill. My decision is not intended as a reflection upon them, they have my respect and esteem.

I object, however, to the unusual procedure followed in presenting the Revenue Bill to the House before this body had had an opportunity to vote on the Appropriations Bill.
I object, furthermore, to that portion of the Bill which grants tax relief to those most able financially to bear the expenses of government. I do not feel that the economic progress of our state requires this measure. Relief so granted must result in additional tax burdens upon those least able to bear them. This philosophy written into the laws of the State of North Carolina does violence to the fundamental principles of our Democracy.

June 4, 1957

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/s/ Frank M. Wooten, Jr.

S. B. 30, a bill to be entitled An act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126-1 relating to employees of the Hospitals Board of Control.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 63, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the rules of the road provisions of the Motor Vehicle Law.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 81, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Building Code Council and authorizing it to adopt, amend, and interpret a state building code and hear appeals from agencies enforcing the code.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 88, a bill to be entitled An act repealing the proviso appearing at the end of the first paragraph of General Statutes 115-120, relating to the
calling of elections to consolidate a part of a county school district with an adjoining city administration unit.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 190, a bill to be entitled An act to require that courses in State and National Government be taught in the public schools of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 281, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite Subsection 5 of General Statutes 115-183 relating to the purposes for which school buses may be used.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 270, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 55-46 (a), 55-52 (c), and 55-59 (a) of The Business Corporation Act as it appears in Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 287, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the acts of clerks of the superior courts of the several counties of the state while serving as judge of the county juvenile courts.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 336, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 40-2 and General Statutes 60-146 relating to the power of eminent domain so as to include rights of way for pipe lines for the transmission of coal in suspension.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 337, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 56-5 relating to the power of eminent domain granted to telegraph, telephone, electric power and lighting companies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 339, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-63 relating to the amount to be paid by the Commissioner of Insurance for publication of financial statements of insurance companies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 340, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Subsection 5 of General Statutes 18-109 relating to the powers of the State Board of Alcoholic Control with regard to hearings by the Wine Division.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 348, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discontinuance of school bus transportation by reason of the extension of the corporate limits of any municipality.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin consideration of the bill is postponed until Wednesday, June 5, 1957.

S. B. 354, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-21 and 116-22 so as to clarify the laws relating to the escheat of real and personal property where the owner dies intestate without leaving surviving any known heirs, relatives or spouse to inherit such property.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 355, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-23 relating to the escheat of unclaimed personal property to the University of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 356, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 116-23.1 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the escheat of unclaimed funds held or owing by life insurance companies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 357, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 116-25 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the escheat of unpaid and unclaimed salaries and wages.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 359, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 54 of the General Statutes relating to books and records of building and loan associations.

Mr. Womble of Forsyth offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 371, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the execution of process on Sunday.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 376, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 30.1 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, relating to liens on the real property of recipients of Old Age Assistance.

On motion of Mr. Bost the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 393, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Public School Laws of North Carolina as they relate to the sale of public school property.
On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 406, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the State Personnel Director and Council to classify and set the salary ranges for positions covered by the State Personnel Act; to clarify responsibility for setting the number of allowable positions in each state agency.

Mr. Jordan offers an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Clark consideration of the bill and amendment are postponed until Wednesday, June 5, 1957.

S. B. 481, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate certain surplus revenues collected during the fiscal year 1957-58 to pay bond anticipation notes issued pursuant to the State Capital Improvement Bond Act of 1957.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell consideration of the bill is postponed until Thursday, June 6, 1957.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 455. A Joint Resolution declaring the legislative intent as to the state policy with respect to certain portions of the outer banks.

H. R. 1366. A Joint Resolution commending Chancellor Robert B. House for his many contributions to the University of North Carolina and to the students of said institution.


S. B. 349. An act to amend General Statutes 28-56.1 relating to Federal income tax refunds.

S. B. 351. An Act to amend Chapter 57 of the General Statutes so as to permit contracts for payment to dentists for certain services.

S. B. 362. An Act to amend Article 16 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes relating to the taxation of timberland owned by the State.

S. B. 397. An Act to amend certain sections of Subchapter III of Chapter 54 of the General Statutes, relating to the interest rate, fees, powers and duties and voluntary dissolution of credit unions.

S. B. 431. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to construct a county office building.

S. B. 435. An Act relating to the election of the Judge of the Morehead City Recorder's Court.
H. B. 110. An Act to amend General Statutes 143-213, Subsection (a) relating to the membership of the State Stream Sanitation Committee.

H. B. 123. An Act to provide for the planning, designation, establishment, use, regulation, alteration, improvement, maintenance, and vacation of controlled-access facilities; the acquisition of lands required therefor; the restriction of intersections and control of approaches; the establishment of local service or frontage roads; the prohibition of certain acts thereon; and for other purposes.

H. B. 271. An Act rewriting General Statutes 133-1.1 requiring buildings involving the expenditure of public funds to be designed and inspected by engineers and architects.

H. B. 337. An Act to prevent damage or destruction to sand dunes along the outer banks of North Carolina.

H. B. 400. An Act to authorize creation within the Department of Conservation and Development a division of community planning and assign powers and duties thereto.

H. B. 433. An Act to amend the Uniform Driver's License Act by changing the definition of the word "Chauffeur".

H. B. 436. An Act to amend General Statutes 58-210 so as to increase from $20,000 to $40,000 the maximum group life insurance policy coverage as to any one person.

H. B. 526. An Act amending General Statutes 44-52 relating to agricultural liens so as to require the lienholder to notify the landlord of the existence of such lien.

H. B. 597. An Act rewriting Article 31, Chapter 115 of the General Statutes of North Carolina as it relates to the licensing of business, trade, and correspondence schools and solicitors for such schools.

H. B. 620. An Act to amend General Statutes 113-111 relating to taking of foxes in Granville County.

H. B. 635. An Act to require the inspection by the Department of Agriculture of seed planted by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

H. B. 864. An Act to amend General Statutes 127-23.1 relating to brevet rank of retired officers and enlisted men of the National Guard.

H. B. 903. An Act to require that at least one member of the Merit System Council shall have had experience in county government; that the Merit System Council and the State Personnel Council have two common members; to clarify the classification authority of the Merit System Council and the State Personnel Council; and to provide that certain regulations of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, the Merit System Council, the State Board of Health, and the State Board of Public Welfare shall under certain circumstances be advisory only.

H. B. 922. An Act amending General Statutes 18-45 (0) so as to authorize county and municipal board of alcoholic control, in their discretion, to expend not more than five per cent of their total profits for education as to the effects of the use of alcohol.

H. B. 990. An Act amending Article 7, Chapter 113 of the General Statutes so as to legalize the possession, sale and transportation of ring-necked pheasants and chukar partridges propagated in captivity.

H. B. 1000. An Act to amend General Statutes 58-211.2 relating to the definition of employee life insurance.

H. B. 1006. An Act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Elizabethtown in Bladen County.

H. B. 1008. An Act to regulate the operation of motor boats, power boats and boats propelled by outboard motors and other forms of mechanical power, and to regulate the speed thereof when operated in Tar River, Pitt County, North Carolina.


H. B. 1025. An Act to provide for a new registration of voters in the Town of Sylva in Jackson County.

H. B. 1031. An Act to amend General Statutes 164-10 relating to the supplements to the General Statutes.

H. B. 1038. An Act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Chad- bourn in Columbus County.

H. B. 1044. An Act to amend the law relating to the Municipal-County Court of the City of Kinston and County of Lenoir.

H. B. 1053. An Act to amend Section 6-5 of the General Statutes so as to eliminate inclusion of the jury tax in costs in criminal courts not having juries.

H. B. 1092. An Act to amend Chapter 435, Session Laws of 1945, relating to a traffic bureau in the City of Greensboro.

H. B. 1113. An Act to amend Chapter 613 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 so as to provide for the election and compensation of a clerk of the Recorder's Court in the Town of Mooresville.

H. B. 1115. An Act to amend Chapter 221 of the 1951 Sessions Laws relating to the compensation of the Tax Collector of Avery County.

H. B. 1116. An Act to amend Chapter 634 of the Session Laws of 1951, as amended, relating to the annual salary of the Sheriff of Avery County.
H. B. 1117. An Act to amend Chapter 189 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the fees of the Register of Deeds of Avery County.


H. B. 1141. An Act amending Chapter 40, Private Laws of 1905, the same being the Charter of the Town of Tabor City, so as to increase the corporate boundaries thereof.

H. B. 1155. An Act to create a bird sanctuary within the territorial limits of the Town of Garland, in Sampson County.

H. B. 1156. An Act to repeal Chapter 98 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the keeping of bears in captivity in Jackson County.

H. B. 1170. An Act to amend Chapter 734, Session Laws of 1955 relating to the appointment of election officials for the City of Winston-Salem by the Forsyth County Board of Elections, the consolidation of the City of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County election books, and the creating of a central registration system for the voters of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County.

H. B. 1177. An Act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Farmville in Pitt County.

H. B. 1181. An Act to authorize the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission to determine ways and means of reducing the danger or hazard to citizens, residents or property in Scotland County from the use of rifles in the taking of deer.

H. B. 1184. An Act relating to the election of the Board of County Commissioners of Currituck County.

H. B. 1186. An Act to regulate the operation of motorboats and other craft on the waters of Cape Fear, Deep and Haw Rivers in Lee and Chatham Counties.

H. B. 1213. An Act relating to the Recorder's Court of Hamlet District, Richmond County.

H. B. 1218. An Act to amend H. B. 460, ratified the 24th day of April, 1957, relating to the date for holding municipal elections in the Town of Cove City in Craven County.

H. B. 1237. An Act amending Article 2 of Chapter 153 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and other Acts relating to the powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County.

H. B. 1260. An Act relating to the number, election and terms of the County Commissioners of Wake County.

H. B. 1275. An Act to amend Chapter 192, Session Laws of 1947, and Chapter 305 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the operation of motor vehicles in certain beach areas in Dare County.
On motion of Mr. Falls the House takes a recess and will meet tonight at 8:00 o'clock.

NIGHT SESSION
June 4, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, Jay Jenkins, III, of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wooten S. B. 303 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 559 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of bonds concerning the purposes for which bonds may be issued and giving authority to call an election upon the issuance of bonds if the issuance of bonds has heretofore not been approved by the voters” is recalled from the Enrolling Office and placed on tonight's Calendar.

On motion Carol Jane Woodard is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, David and Carroll Johnson of Wake County are made honorary pages of the House.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 1112, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Firemen's Pension Fund.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report, as amended, as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Falls the committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 327, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize cities and towns to make street improvements and to borrow money in anticipation of receipts of Powell Bill Funds to pay therefor.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1024, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 105-147 so as to conform to the Federal law certain percentage depletion allowances therein authorized for State income tax purposes.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1387, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the basis, for income tax purposes, of property acquired by gift held to be in contemplation of death.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1399, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Yancey County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 475, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 105 of the General Statutes so as to provide for the withholding of State income tax from wages by employers.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 881, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of out-of-state food manufacturers storing food in warehouses in this state.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 481, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 20-279.2 relating to review of driver license suspensions for failure to deposit security.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 972, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Franklin County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 66, a bill to be entitled An act relating to conveyances and mortgages of household and kitchen furniture.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 102, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 2-53 relating to payment of money for indigent children and persons non compos mentis in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1404, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a Chairman of the City Council of Whiteville and to prescribe his duties.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1405, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Wayne County to regulate the speed and parking of vehicles in areas located outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wayne County.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 1406, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the appointment of salaried deputy sheriffs in Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1407, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 520 of the Public-Local Laws 1937 Session and to repeal Chapter 611, Public-Local Laws 1949 Session, relating to the official Court Reporter so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Forsyth to fix and determine the cost of type-written transcripts to be furnished by the official Court Reporter for Forsyth County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1409, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 376, Public-Local Laws of 1913, so as to give the Police Court for the Town of Clyde jurisdiction throughout Clyde Township.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-127 so as to provide that a justice of the peace shall not regularly maintain an office outside the township for which he has been elected or appointed.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1416, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 579 of the 1957 Session and to make the revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes effective either the 1st day of January, 1958, or 1st day of January, 1959, in discretion of the Board of County Commissioners.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1417, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 669, 1951 Session Laws relating to fees, costs, and commissions to be charged and collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court.

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. Britt:

H. B. 1420, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-40 so as to prohibit members of the state and local Boards of Alcoholic Control from engaging in lobbying and to prescribe penalties therefor.

Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. 1421, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the maintenance and use of haul nets on part of the Pungo Creek in Beaufort County.
Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Messrs. Snepp, Gregory, Hewlett, Wilson of Union, Bowman, Clark, Harris of Wake, Blue and Hicks:

H. B. 1422, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 12, Chapter 18 of the General Statutes by adding a new section thereto to require all manufacturers, brewers, bottlers and other persons selling, soliciting orders for, delivering or distributing malt beverages for the purpose of resale to apply for and obtain permits from the State Board of Alcoholic Control.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1309, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Princeton.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 303, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 559 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of bonds concerning the purposes for which bonds may be issued and giving authority to call an election upon the issuance of bonds if the issuance of bonds has heretofore not been approved by the voters.

On motion of Mr. Wooten the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

Mr. Wooten offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 439, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize each governing board of the several public school administrative units of Iredell County to each set up a capital outlay reserve fund for the cost of new school sites or addition to present school sites, new school buildings, new additional construction at existing buildings and equipment for such new buildings and for new additional construction.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1317, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Emerald Isle, North Carolina in Carteret County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.
Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1337, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Mayodan, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kemp, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrory, McKnight, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbaugh, Ross, Satterfield, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—95.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cabarrus County to pay contributions to Social Security for a six months period with respect to law enforcement officers of the county.

On motion of Mr. Quinn the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Greg-

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1339, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in Perquimans County, North Carolina.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Boards of Commissioners of Bertie and Hertford Counties to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Bertie and Hertford Counties.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Brunswick, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kemp, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lenoir County to appropriate funds to purchase equipment for a voluntary fire department in the community of Deep Run in said county.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 195, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County to call and the Board of Elections of said county to conduct special elections on the questions of eliminating the present county library tax, and of creating separate library systems for the City of Reidsville and for the remainder of Rockingham County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bost, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kemp, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, O'Neal, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbaugh, Ross, Satterfield, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 484, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Gold Point in Martin County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1270, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Chapter 243 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 and regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Granville County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1316, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1160 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the filing of papers by clerks of the superior courts so as to make said Chapter applicable to Alamance County.

On motion of Mr. Long the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1331, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 400, 1945 Session Laws, relating to the administration of certain estates by the Clerk of Superior Court of Forsyth County so as to provide for the administration thereof when same does not exceed the value of Two Thousand Dollars.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1327, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 279 of the Sessions Laws of 1943 relating to the salaries of the County Commissioners of Bertie County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1338, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to employ additional law enforcement officers and to make appropriations for such purpose.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1354, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of justices of the peace in criminal actions in Northampton County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1358, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize an election in Lee County upon the question of the election of members of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Lee for terms of two years each.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1359, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing an election in Lee County upon the question of districting the county for the nomination of County Commissioners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1376, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the bonds required of certain justices of the peace of Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1362, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1144 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to permit an increase in the salary of the Treasurer of Cabarrus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1377, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Currituck County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1378, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1198 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the collection of advance cost by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1380, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in the Town of Whitakers, in Nash and Edgecombe Counties, for municipal tax purposes.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1381, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Whitakers, Nash and Edgecombe Counties, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1382, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salaries of certain officials of the Town of Coats.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled An act to direct the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County and the City Council of the City of Durham to appoint a commission to study the joint functions of the county and city and the sources of income therefrom.

On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1389, a bill to be entitled An act to confirm and validate the appointment of drainage commissioners of Pitt County Drainage District No. 2.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1390, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Cumberland County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1384, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 897 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund in Bertie County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1391, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for an election to be held in Onslow County on the question of the adoption of daylight saving time.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1392, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Windsor to purchase a cemetery lot and dispose of certain unused land.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1395, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Warren County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1393, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the salary of the Commissioner of the Town of Windsor.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1397, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the County Criminal Court of Gates County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1398, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the salaries of the Mayor of Lexington, the members of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Lexington, and the members of the Lexington Utility Commission.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1402, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 46, Public Laws of 1917, now codified as General Statutes 66-10, relating to keeping records of the purchases of brass, copper, etcetera, so as to make said Act applicable to Buncombe County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 463, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1202, Session Laws of 1955, so as to relieve the Town of Pembroke of its obligation to provide free sewage disposal service to Pembroke State College.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 482, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the compensation of members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Statesville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 441, a bill to be entitled An act to provide a boxing and wrestling commission and to regulate boxing and wrestling in Cumberland County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 451, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1258 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the Northampton County Law Enforcement Officers’ Relief Association to construct a building for use by said Association.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 456, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the compensation for the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Murfreesboro in Hertford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 483, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-25 relating to the appointment of policemen, firemen and other employees in the Town of Weldon in Halifax County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 485, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of profits from liquor control stores in Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Western North Carolina Regional Planning Commission and authorizing counties and municipalities to contribute to its support.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1343, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that trailers or semi-trailers designed and used solely for transporting liquid nitrogen shall be taxed at the rate of one-half of the rate of taxation provided for private haulers.
Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Blue, Brinkley, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Clark, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Eggers, Falls, Gobble, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hill, Jordan, Kemp, Long, McKnight, Philpott, Powe, Powell, Randall, Simpson, Snepp, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Venters, Wall, White, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth, Yarborough of Cumberland and Zollicoffer—39.

H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 151-7 relating to the powers and duties of township constables.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 263, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the furnishing of certain information by well drillers to the Department of Conservation and Development.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 342, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to provide that partially destroyed buildings and parts thereof be included under the terms of the Statute.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute bill.

H. B. 762, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for tax rebates on fuels not used upon the highways.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1182, a bill to be entitled An act to eliminate duplication of effort in the water pollution control programs of the State.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1241, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 143 of the General Statutes relating to stream sanitation.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 658, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-18.1 so as to prohibit the State Highway and Public Works Commission and its agents and employees, and others from planting or using Bermuda grass, nut grass, Johnson grass, or sand spurs on highway rights of way.

On motion of Mr. Reynolds the Committee amendments are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 672, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 52-12 (a) relating to contracts of wife with husband so as to remove therefrom the words relating to personal property and to specifically include therein separation agreements and to amend General Statutes 47-39 so as to include a provision regarding private examination in the acknowledgment.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 688, a bill to be entitled An act to increase coverage requirements of the Financial Responsibility Law.

On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Turner moves the House adjourn; the motion fails.

Mr. Thompson moves that the bill lie upon the table, the motion prevails and the bill is laid on the table.

House Committee Substitute for S. B. 383, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-116 relating to the operation of self-propelled grain combines on the highways of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Substitute bill.

H. B. 397, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the exclusion from gross income amounts received from retirement systems of other states by former teachers or state employees of such states.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 36 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes to provide for refunds of taxes paid by counties and municipalities on fuels purchased.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 859, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 8 of the General Statutes relating to the competency of witnesses in civil actions.

On motion of Mr. Crawford of Buncombe consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.
H. B. 1098, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 57 and 58 of the General Statutes relating to the renewability of individual and blanket, group and franchise hospitalization and accident and health insurance policies.

On motion of Mr. Gregory consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

H. B. 1056, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 6 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes to authorize any sanitary district upon entering into a contract with a city or town to which all of such district shall be annexed to transfer and convey to a non-profit and non-stock corporation, organized under Chapter 55 or other applicable Chapters of the General Statutes of North Carolina for recreational purposes, and providing for the continuance in office of members of a sanitary district board and defining the duties of such board when the area included within the limits of a sanitary district are annexed to an incorporated city or town.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 893, a bill to be entitled An act relating to election petitions one year after the date of issuance and to prohibit the holding thereafter of elections based upon such petitions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 420, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 47-2 relating to the taking of acknowledgments by officers of the armed forces of the United States.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 421, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 57 and 58 of the General Statutes relating to the renewability of individual and blanket, group and franchise hospitalization and accident and health insurance policies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 428, a bill to be entitled An act to modify the definition of the word "intersection" in the Motor Vehicle Laws.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 430, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights-of-way for state highways located within municipalities.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 422, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that religious, educational, or charitable corporations, institutions or religious bodies have an insurable interest in employees or agents.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 446, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 106-435 relating to the collection and investment of funds for the support of a system of marketing cotton and other agricultural commodities.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.


On motion of Mr. Long consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

S. B. 409, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 1 of Chapter 127 of the General Statutes relating to the classification of militia.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 414, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 127-111 relating to the State Guard of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 412, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1, Section 82 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to establish a limited residence for military personnel.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Kiser the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 11:00 o'clock A. M.

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ONE HUNDRED THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, June 5, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Gregory the following boys and girls are made honorary pages and pagettes, respectively, of the House of Representatives: Clayton Williams, Jr., Mike Williams, Garry Williams, Joe Williams, Wade Turner, Dwight Turner, Vicky Williams, Peggy Williams, Judy Williams and Sandra House.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst, Ned Everett Delamar, III, Dennis Woodward Delamar and Mary Ann Delamar, sons and daughter of Representative
and Mrs. Delamar of Pamlico County are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 25, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 151-7 relating to the powers and duties of township constables.

H. B. 658, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 136-18.1 so as to prohibit the State Highway and Public Works Commission and its agents and employees, and others, from planting or using Bermuda grass, not grass, Johnson grass or sand spurs on highway rights of way.

H. B. 1316, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1160 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the filing of papers by clerks of the superior courts so as to make said chapter applicable to Alamance County.

H. B. 1385, a bill to be entitled An act to direct the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County and the City Council of the City of Durham to appoint a commission to study the joint functions of the county and city and the sources of income therefrom.

REPORT 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. Philpott, for the Committee on Roads and Highway Safety.

H. B. 1219, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-143 so as to require vehicles carrying inflammable, explosive or radioactive materials to stop at certain railroad crossings.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1403, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-53 as the same applies to certifications to be make on foreign vehicles before registration in this state.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 467, a bill to be entitled An act to permit a greater length of house trailers.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 491, a bill to be entitled An act to clarify the authority of the State Highway Commission to contract for engineering and like services.

With a favorable report.
By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 1394, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the nomination and election of the members of the Boards of Education and County Commissioners of Bertie County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. R. 1413, a joint resolution authorizing and directing the Secretary of State to have printed two thousand five hundred copies of the Public School Laws enacted by the General Assembly of 1957, and providing that the distribution thereof be under the direction of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hargett, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

S. B. 413, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Person County to appoint game wardens in townships of said county and to provide for their fees.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Long, for the Committee on Public Utilities.

H. B. 1340, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 4 of Chapter 62 of the General Statutes relating to the supervision of public utilities by the Utilities Commission.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1396, a bill to be entitled An act repealing in its entirety Chapter 188, Private Laws of 1913 requiring elections for the granting of public utility franchises in the City of Wilson.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Wilson of Union, for the Committee on Federal and Interstate Cooperation.

H. B. 1411, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, in his discretion, to accept a retrocession of jurisdiction over federal areas.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Shreve, for the Committee on Corporations.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 1133, a bill to be entitled An act to require certain organizations and associations to file financial information with the Secretary of State.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the committee substitute bill is adopted.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 1304, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapters 1371 and 1230 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to filing of certificates of incorporation with the Secretary of State.
With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 290, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled “Fees and Taxes”.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, “Fees and Taxes”.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.

H. R. 1374, a joint resolution requesting the Board of Conservation and Development to emphasize the slogan “Year Around Mid-South” in advertising the State of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1421, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the maintenance and use of haul nets on part of the Pungo Creek in Beaufort County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Valentine, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1130, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-46 relating to commitment of mentally disordered persons to state hospitals.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1131, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 35-32 relating to the commitment of alleged inebriates for treatment.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1357, a bill to be entitled An act to require county jailers to receive and retain prisoners brought to such county jail by law enforcement officers of this state.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 143, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes so as to validate certain conveyances between husband and wife.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 445, a bill to be entitled An act to require justices of the Peace to furnish bond for the faithful performance of their duties.

With a favorable report, as amended.
S. B. 466, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-568.4 (e) relating to pretrial examination of witnesses in civil actions in the superior court.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 503, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the nomination of members of the Anson County Board of Education by Districts, in case the Wadesboro and Morven City Administrative Units shall be consolidated with the Anson County School Administrative Unit.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to require the registration of clubs and organizations in Anson County.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Wicker, for the Committee on Justices of the Peace.

S. B. 502, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 879, ratified the 30th of May, 1957, relating to the appointment of justices of the peace.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Messrs. Quinn and Bost:

H. B. 1423, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1097, Session Laws of 1953, creating an emergency fund for persons engaged in the enforcement of the criminal laws in Cabarrus County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Whitehurst:

H. B. 1424, a bill to be entitled An act amending H. B. 922 ratified the 4th of June, 1957, which amends General Statutes 18-45 (o) so as to allow county and municipal boards of alcoholic control to expend funds for the rehabilitation of alcoholics.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the rules are suspended and the bill placed upon its immediate passage.

Passed first reading

Rules suspended

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

And,
H. B. 1425, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Tryon Palace Commission to adopt certain emblems and obtain copyrights with respect thereto.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Clark:

H. B. 1426, a bill to be entitled An act to improve the administrative provisions relating to utilization of surface waters of North Carolina for the purpose of irrigation.

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Development.

By Mr. Harris of Wake, by request:

H. B. 1426, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Financial Responsibility Act so as to increase from two years to five years period for maintaining proof of financial responsibility.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Doughton:

H. B. 1428, a bill to be entitled An act to provide nine hundred dollars ($900.00) per year for clerical assistance for the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Alleghany County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Hill and Powe:

H. B. 1429, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Durham to define, provide, and rearrange the voting wards in the City of Durham.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Shreve, Hunt, Kemp, Taylor, Wicker, Valentine, Long, Burgess, Harris of Wake, Henley, Bell and Yarborough of Cumberland:

H. R. 1430, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operations and licensing of nursing homes, convalescent homes, boarding homes and homes for the aged and submitting recommendations with respect to a revision of the laws governing the licensing and supervision of such homes.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

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. 419, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real property in the Town of Blowing Rock.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.
S. B. 515, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 580 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to fees to be charged by the sheriff and constables of Rockingham County so as to make the same applicable to fees to be charged by municipal police officers of said county.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns

S. B. 496, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing creation of a City Administrative School Unit in Rockingham County to be known as West Rockingham Cities Administrative Unit, subject to a referendum vote of the people in areas affected.

On motion of Mr. Powell the rules are suspended and the bill passed its first reading and placed on the Calendar.

H. B. 451, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by increasing the limitation of tax for general purposes from one dollar twenty-five cents ($1.25) to one dollar sixty cents ($1.60) on every one hundred dollar ($100.00) valuation of property, and to amend General Statutes 160-402 as it applies to the City of Winston-Salem.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Stone the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 908, a bill to be entitled An act repealing Articles 2 through 9 of Chapter 116 of the General Statutes and substituting a new Article 2 in lieu thereof.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Forsyth the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1296, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the closing of a part of Bullard Street in the Town of Plymouth, and its conveyance to the Washington County Board of Education.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Dr. Phelps the House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 511, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe certain zoning regulations for the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 48, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting, rearranging, renumbering, and amending the Public Health Laws of the State of North Carolina.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.
On motion of Mr. Thompson the vote by which the House concurred in the Senate amendment is reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the House fails to concur in the Senate amendment and requests Conferees.

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as Conferees on the part of the House Messrs. Thompson, Woodard of Northampton and Valentine and the Senate is so notified.

H. B. 385, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by justices of the peace.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Hunt the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

June 5, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in the Senate amendment of H. B. 48 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act rewriting, rearranging, renumbering and amending the Public Health Laws of the State of North Carolina”, and request for a Conference and the appointment of Conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as Conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Cowen and Hoyle, to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

CONFERENCE REPORT

To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The following conferees on the part of the Senate and the House, appointed to resolve the differences between the two bodies existing as to H. B. 48, beg leave to report that we have agreed and respectfully submit the following report:

That the Senate amendment be adopted, with the following addition:

Further amend H. B. 48 by deleting from the amendments heretofore adopted the provision that the sections be renumbered on account of the deletion of certain sections from the bill.
On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the Conference report is adopted.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 5, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the Conferences on H. B. 48 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act rewriting, rearranging, renumbering and amending the Public Health Laws of the State of North Carolina”, to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, you may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message the House having adopted a similar report, the bill is ordered enrolled.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

On motion of Mr. Taylor consideration of the “Amendment to Rule No. 54” is postponed until Saturday, June 8, 1957.

H. B. 1317, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Emerald Isle, North Carolina in Carteret County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burseldon, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin,
Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1337, a bill to be entitled An act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Mayodan, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1339, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in Perquimans County, North Carolina.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—97.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cabarrus County to pay contributions to Social Security for a six months period with respect to law enforcement officers of the county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1375, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Bertie and Hertford Counties to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Bertie and Hertford Counties.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1401, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lenoir County to appropriate funds to purchase equipment for a voluntary fire department in the community of Deep Run in said county.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 195, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County to Call and the Board of Elections of said county to conduct special elections on the questions of eliminating the present county library tax, and of creating separate library systems for the City of Reidsville and for the remainder of Rockingham County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.
S. B. 484, a bill to be entitled An act to incorporate the Town of Gold Point in Martin County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1399, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Yancey County.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 972, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Franklin County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.
H. B. 1404, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for a Chairman of the City Council of Whiteville and to prescribe his duties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1405, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Wayne County to regulate the speed and parking of vehicles in areas located outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wayne County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1406, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the appointment of salaried deputy sheriffs in Northampton County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1407, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 520 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 Session and to repeal Chapter 611 Public-Local Laws 1949 Session relating to the office of the official court reporter so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Forsyth to fix and determine the cost of typewritten transcripts to be furnished by the official court reporter for Forsyth County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1409, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 376, Public-Local Laws of 1913 so as to give the Police Court for the Town of Clyde jurisdiction throughout Clyde Township.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1416, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 579 of the 1957 Session and to make the revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes effective either the 1st day of January, 1958, or the 1st day of January, 1959, in discretion of the Board of County Commissioners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1417, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 669, 1951 Session Laws relating to fees, costs, and commissions to be charged and collected by the Clerk of the Superior Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 102, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 2-53 relating to payment of money for indigent children and persons non compos mentis in Cumberland County.
On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 476, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the game of bingo in the Town of White Lake in Bladen County.

On motion of Mr. Britt the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Western North Carolina Regional Planning Commission and authorizing counties and municipalities to contribute to its support.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered engrossed.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1343, a bill to be entitled An act to provide that trailers or semitrailers designed and used solely for transporting liquid nitrogen shall be taxed at the rate of one-half of the rate of taxation provided for private haulers.

Mr. Philpott offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Bowman, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Byrum, Coates, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, O'Neal, Phelps, Pittman, Quinn, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Speight, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Umstead, Uzzell, Venters, Watkins, Whitehurst, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson and Yarborough of Franklin—52.

H. B. 919, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the General Statutes relative to drainage districts.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1002, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of mosquito control districts and to define their powers and duties.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Etheridge, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kennedy, Kiser, Leake, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, Murphy, O'Neal, Phelps, Pittman, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wallace, Watkins,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1112, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Firemen's Pension Fund.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Falls offers an amendment.

Mr. Whitley moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. White offers a substitute motion that the motion offered by Mr. Whitley be tabled; the motion prevails and the motion is tabled.

The question now recurs to the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Falls.

The amendment is adopted.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Craig, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Gavin, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Hill, Hostetler, Houk, Hughes, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Maddrey, Philpott, Powe, Randall, Rodenough, Stone, Taylor, Wallace, Watkins, Whitley, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Woodard of Wilson and Zollicoffer—37.

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled An act for the better protection of migratory wild fowl in Currituck Sound and its tributaries, to enable the County of Currituck to cooperate with the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

On motion of Mr. Griggs the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 760, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-23 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked.
On motion of Mr. Uzzell the House fails to concur in the Senate amendment and requests Conferrees.

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as Conferrees on the part of the House Messrs. Taylor, Uzzell and Blue and the Senate is so notified.

H. B. 481, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 20-279.2 relating to review of driver license suspensions for failure to deposit security.

The bill fails to pass its second reading.

H. B. 905, a bill to be entitled An act to provide retirement benefits for solicitors of the Superior Court.

On motion of Mr. Arledge consideration of the bill is postponed until Friday, June 7, 1957.

H. B. 884, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the administration of a Student Loan Fund for teacher education, to be known as the Scholarship Loan Fund for Prospective Teachers.

Mr. Kiser moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Kiser withdraws his motion.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 948, a bill to be entitled An act to provide an effective method for collecting taxes on personal property transferred by the listing taxpayer to another between the listing date and the due date thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 995, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 131-54 relating to admission of indigent patients to state sanatoria for tuberculosis.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1011, a joint resolution calling upon the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to provide air conditioning for the Senate and House Chambers.

On motion of Mr. Umstead the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. R. 1373. A Joint Resolution honoring the memory of Dr. Blanford Barnard Dougherty.

S. B. 25. An Act to amend General Statutes 8-57 relating to testimony of husband or wife in prosecution for bigamy and bigamous cohabitation.

S. B. 30. An Act repealing that portion of General Statutes 126-1 relating to employees of the Hospitals Board of Control.

S. B. 65. An Act to amend the equipment provisions of the Motor Vehicle Laws pertaining to head lamps, safety belts, and steering mechanism.

S. B. 270. An Act to amend Sections 55-46(a), 55-52(c), and 55-59(a) of the Business Corporation Act as it appears in Section 1 of Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws.

S. B. 282. An Act amending Article 15 of Chapter 115 of the General Statutes so as to require boards of education and the tax levying authorities to protect the investment in public school buildings and equipment.

S. B. 283. An Act to amend Chapter 1146 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to Business Development Corporations, so as to prescribe a method of taxation with respect thereto, and so as to increase the maximum number of directors to 21, and so as to permit a lower loan limit for Building and Loan Association members.

S. B. 287. An Act to validate the acts of clerks of the superior courts of the several counties of the state while serving as judge of the county juvenile courts.

H. B. 1160. An Act to establish the compensation of members of the Board of Education of Wilkes County.

S. B. 336. An Act to amend General Statutes 40-2 and General Statutes 60-146 relating to the power of eminent domain so as to include rights of way for pipe lines for the transmission of coal in suspension.

S. B. 337. An Act to amend General Statutes 56-5 relating to the power of eminent domain granted to telegraph, telephone, electric power and lighting companies.

S. B. 339. An Act to amend General Statutes 58-63 relating to the amount to be paid by the Commissioner of Insurance for publication of financial statements of insurance companies.

S. B. 340. An Act rewriting Subsection 5 of General Statutes 18-109 relating to the powers of the State Board of Alcoholic Control with regard to hearings by the wine division.

S. B. 355. An Act to amend General Statutes 116-23 relating to the escheat of unclaimed personal property to the University of North Carolina.

S. B. 356. An Act to amend Section 116-23.1 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the escheat of unclaimed funds held or owing by life insurance companies.

S. B. 371. An Act relating to the execution of process on Sunday.

S. B. 381. An Act to develop and promote fair practices among producers, handlers and buyers of farmers stock peanuts.

S. B. 432. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-134 relating to fees of Justices of the Peace of Cumberland County.

S. B. 438. An Act providing that the boundaries of the Concord City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Concord.

H. B. 164. An Act relating to the taking of catfish by the use of electrical devices in the commercial fishing waters of the Cape Fear River.

H. B. 336. An Act to prohibit stock and cattle from running at large along the outer banks.

H. B. 531. An Act to prevent false advertising as to going-out-of-business sales.

H. B. 587. An Act to amend Chapter 96, General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, known as the Employment Security Law, to provide for the payment of additional contributions with respect to overdrawn accounts; to make certain changes in the benefit formula; to provide for additional administrative funds under the Social Security Act upon authorization by the General Assembly, and to further clarify certain provisions of said Chapter.

H. B. 744. An Act to amend Chapter 89 of the General Statutes, relating to certificates of registration for engineers and land surveyors.

H. B. 766. An Act to amend General Statutes 147-45 relating to the distribution to the Utilities Commission of Supreme Court reports and session laws.

H. B. 767. An Act to authorize the North Carolina Utilities Commission to enact rules and regulations governing the internal affairs and business of said commission and to require the chairman of the commission to administer and execute said rules and regulations.

H. B. 952. An Act pertaining to notice to property owners by the State Highway and Public Works Commission.

H. B. 961. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-41 to exempt from privilege license taxes persons practicing the professional art of healing through prayer or spiritual means.

H. B. 989. An Act providing that the boundaries of the Lumberton City Administrative School Unit shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Lumberton.
H. B. 996. An Act amending General Statutes 115-116 so as to authorize county-wide supplemental tax elections prior to the consolidation of city administrative units with the county administrative unit.

H. B. 1030. An Act for mandatory disposition of detainers within the state.

H. B. 1033. An Act to amend General Statutes 153-9 so as to authorize boards of county commissioners to designate the names of roads or streets in unincorporated areas.

H. B. 1076. An Act to amend H. B. 477, ratified April 19, 1957 so as to change the effective date thereof.

H. B. 1127. An Act to permit the Guilford County Board of Education to sell certain real property without offering the same at public auction.

H. B. 1139. An Act to amend Chapter 1060 of the Session Laws of 1945 to authorize the Board of Education of New Hanover County to pass the necessary resolutions of election to place Wilmington College under the Community College Act.

H. B. 1164. An Act to authorize the calling of elections on extension of the corporate limits of the Town of Mount Airy in Surry County.

H. B. 1175. An Act granting certain additional powers to Board of Education of Mecklenburg County.

H. B. 1192. An Act to establish a Law Library for the public officials and courts in Cleveland County.

H. B. 1202. An Act creating three districts in Hyde County for the nomination and election of the Board of Education of said county.

H. B. 1228. An Act authorizing the Pitt County Board of Education to convey title to the old Ayden Elementary School property to the Town of Ayden.

H. B. 1234. An Act to create a Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund for the Peace Officers' Association of Brunswick County.

H. B. 1238. An Act to authorize the creation of Special bond tax districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of such districts and the levy of taxes within such districts for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes.

H. B. 1242. An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Cleveland County to provide a building or buildings to house county offices and levying a special tax therefor.

H. B. 1282. An Act relating to the acquisition of school sites in Jackson County.

H. B. 1312. An Act authorizing the Yadkin County Board of Education to convey to Windsor's Crossroads Developments, Inc., the Windsor's Crossroads Elementary School property no longer needed for school purposes.

S. B. 412. An Act to amend Chapter 1, Section 82, of the General Statutes of North Carolina to establish a limited residence for military personnel.


S. B. 420. An Act to amend General Statutes 47-2 relating to the taking of acknowledgments by officers of the Armed Forces of the United States.

S. B. 421. An Act to amend Chapters 57 and 58 of the General Statutes relating to the renewability of individual and blanket, group and franchise hospitalization and accident and health insurance policies.

S. B. 422. An Act to provide that religious, educational, or charitable corporations, institutions or religious bodies have an insurable interest in employees or agents.

S. B. 428. An Act to modify the definition of the word “intersection” in the Motor Vehicle Laws.

S. B. 430. An Act to amend General Statutes 136-41.1 relating to the acquisition of rights-of-way for state highways located within municipalities.

S. B. 439. An Act to authorize each governing board of the several public school administrative units of Iredell County to each set up a capital outlay reserve fund for the cost of new school sites or additions to present school sites, new school buildings, new additional construction at existing buildings and equipment for such new buildings and for new additional construction.

S. B. 441. An Act to provide a Boxing and Wrestling Commission and to regulate boxing and wrestling in Cumberland County.

S. B. 446. An Act amending General Statutes 106-435 relating to the collection and investment of funds for the support of a system of marketing cotton and other agricultural commodities.

S. B. 451. An Act to amend Chapter 1258 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to authorize the Northampton County Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Association to construct a building for use by said Association.

S. B. 456. An Act relating to the compensation for the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Murfreesboro in Hertford County.

S. B. 463. An Act amending Chapter 1202, Session Laws of 1955 so as to relieve the Town of Pembroke of its obligation to provide free sewage disposal service to Pembroke State College.

S. B. 482. An Act fixing the compensation of members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Statesville.
S. B. 483. An Act to amend General Statutes 160-25 relating to the appointment of policemen, firemen and other employees in the Town of Weldon in Halifax County.

S. B. 485. An Act relating to the division of profits from liquor control stores in Durham County.

H. B. 761. An Act to provide a plan of organization and operation for community colleges.


On motion of Mr. Falls the House takes a recess until 2:30 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

June 5, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

STATEMENT BY MEMBER

Is North Carolina lagging behind her sister states in business and industrial development? The statistics say NO.

For the first four months of 1957 Virginia had 248 fewer businesses incorporated than for the corresponding four months of 1956. South Carolina for the first four months of 1957 had a drop of 61 business corporations under what she did the first four months of 1956. Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Arkansas and Oklahoma likewise dropped below the number created during the first four months of 1956. But in North Carolina for the first four months of 1957 there were 87 increase over the corresponding period of 1956. These results obtained in the face of a 6% drop in new created businesses throughout the nation for the first four months of 1957. (The above facts were released May 20, 1957, by Dun and Bradstreet, Inc.)

The above facts deal with business corporations of all sorts and kinds.

Looking more specifically at North Carolina's industrial progress: From 1939 to 1955, 4,075 new industries located in North Carolina. In 1956 an additional 147 new industries were located in North Carolina with an investment of $50,346,000.00. In 1956, 154 expansions of old plants were effected with an investment of $97,865,500.00. The total additional payroll for 1956 amounted to $45,402,300.00. North Carolina had only 3,225 industries in 1939 and they produced $1,421,300,000.00 worth of products, while in 1955 the 7,300 industries produced $6,482,000,000.00 worth of products or an increase in industrial growth of 450% in sixteen years.

During the first three months of 1957, if the trend continues for the remaining nine months, North Carolina industries will be increased by 71 over the 147 of the preceding year.
Do the above facts indicate that North Carolina has been or is now an undesirable State in which to locate an industry?

"The State leads the Southeast in all industrial production". This quotation comes from North Carolina's Department of Conservation and Development.

If North Carolina's tax structure has been inequitable or unfair in the past two decades, why does North Carolina rank as the leading industrial state in the southeast?

During the six years including 1951 to 1956, 1,321 foreign corporations have domesticated in North Carolina.

Since 1950, 12 of the 25 domestic life insurance companies have organized in this state; and 9 of these 12 have been chartered during the past twenty-eight months.

Under the provisions of the present Revenue Act, if any corporation "believes" that the method of allocation or apportionment will so operate as to subject it to a greater portion of its net income than is reasonably attributable to the business earnings within this state, it can appeal to the North Carolina Tax Review Board. The Tax Review Board, under Sub-Section A, is authorized to add to or substitute the ratios involving the factors of sales, wages and commissions. Or, under Sub-Section B, "Separate Accounting" may be employed if this method more nearly reflects the income attributable to this state. And, under sub-Section C, if neither the allocation formula nor the alternate formulas satisfy the corporation, then the corporation may submit a formula of its own design which more clearly reflects the income attributable to their business within this state.

Now, if the Tax Review Board finds that the allocation formula and the alternate formulas allocate too much of the total income of the corporation than is reasonably attributable to earnings within this state, "it shall" determine by such other method as it shall find best calculated to assign to this state the portion of net income reasonably attributable to this state.

It would seem that, under this flexible formula, every corporation doing business in a multi-state operation, could find, through the Tax Review Board, relief from having to pay an inequitable portion of its tax responsibility to this state.

Since 1953, when the present allocation formulas were enacted and provision was made for the creation of the flexible formulas, the Tax Review Board has handled 81 cases involving 57 corporations, 8 of which were given pre-determined formulas, and 34 of the 57 corporations received orders relating to income tax only.

The foregoing would indicate that the Tax Review Board has stood ready and willing to grant relief to any corporate tax-payer under the very flexible law now existing.

The tax revision program recommended in the proposed Revenue Bill now before the 1957 General Assembly would favor industries which have
multi-state operations and relieve them by law rather than by equity of their reasonable share of taxes on their attributable income earned in this state.

North Carolina does not and, in my opinion, the 1957 General Assembly does not want to extract one cent of taxes from corporate earnings in another state. The law, as amended in 1953, says that the Tax Review Board shall grant relief when the case is clear, cogent and convincing that the petitioning taxpayer is entitled thereto; furthermore granting to the petitioner the right to make and submit his own formula which will more nearly reflect the income earned in this state.

Now, North Carolina and the General Assembly has under consideration the worst hoax with which it has been confronted in recent years. We are being told by men in high positions of responsibility that industry in North Carolina is "leveling off".

In the Wall Street Journal, May 8, 1957, the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development published this statement in an advertisement: "Together with its many natural advantages and favorable tax situation, North Carolina offers you the understanding and know-how of practical business in its government".

Income-tax-wise the percentage of gain in 1955-56 over the tax year 1954-55 was as follows: Individuals, 19.4; foreign corporations, 26.4; and domestic corporations, 25.8. (STATISTICS OF TAXATION, 1956, North Carolina Department of Tax Research, p. 92). Do these figures indicate that North Carolina is "unattractive" to industry, "leveling off", or that North Carolina's tax structure is an obstruction to out-of-state industry?

/\ Roger C. Kiser
June 5, 1957

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.

It is so ordered.

H. B. 972, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Franklin County.

H. B. 1233, a bill to be entitled An act creating a Western North Carolina Regional Planning Commission and authorizing counties and municipalities to contribute to its support.

H. B. 1363, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cabarrus County to pay contributions to Social Security for a six months period with respect to law enforcement officers of the county.
REPORT 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. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.

H. B. 692, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the nomination and election of members of the Board of Education of Polk County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Venters, for the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 1072, a bill to be entitled An act providing that appropriations made to the North Carolina Cancer Institute shall be paid quarterly.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1200, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 13 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to student loans for graduate students in sociology and psychology.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-46 to exempt business managers of certain educational institutions from provisions of the State Personnel Act.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 239, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-249 relating to the limit that may be expended for the purchase of motor vehicles by the State of North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 390, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Raymond Vernon Wilson to file and prosecute his claim under the State Tort Claims Act for an injury received by him while a public school pupil in Gaston County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 480, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Section 1 and 2 of Chapter 439, Public-Local Laws of 1939, as rewritten by Chapter 46, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the maintenance of and permanent improvements at Asheville Biltmore College.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled An act for the better protection of migratory wild fowl in Currituck Sound and its tributaries, to enable the County of Currituck to cooperate with the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

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. Hargett:

H. B. 1431, a bill to be entitled An act to fill a vacancy in the Board of Education of Jones County created by the resignation of a member thereof.

Referred to Committee on Education.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 5, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate has failed to concur in House amendment to S. B. 63, entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to amend the rules of the road provisions of the Motor Vehicle Law” and requests a conference thereon. To this end the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Jones and Mason to act with a like committee on the part of the House to the end that the differences existing between the two bodies may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. Hewlett, Yarborough of Franklin and Thompson and the Senate is so notified.

SENATE CHAMBER
June 5, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in the Senate amendment to H. B. 760 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver’s license is suspended or revoked”, and request for a conference and the appointment of conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Rutledge and Owens, to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk
CALANDER

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1111, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-176 relating to penalties for violations of the Motor Vehicles Law.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties to enact ordinances regulating public recreations, amusements and entertainments, and to define, prohibit, abate, or suppress things detrimental to the health, morals, safety, convenience and welfare of the people in areas within the county outside an incorporated municipality.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the amendment offered by Mr. Snepp is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled An act relating to barratry and providing for revocation of professional licenses and corporate charters and disbarment of attorneys upon conviction of barratry.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Uzzell offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1176, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the chasing, shooting, or taking of deer while the deer is swimming or in water to its knees.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1178, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 136-47 making it unlawful for the State Highway Commission to open for public transportation any highway crossing railroad tracks where trains pass at night until electric traffic warning signals shall be installed.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1179, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-91 (d) and General Statutes 113-141 relating to powers of arrest without warrant.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1180, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the installation and use of sirens and red lights on all vehicles owned and operated by the state for law enforcement purposes.
On motion of Mr. Buchanan the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1188, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-3 and General Statutes 113-8 to provide for the development and protection of the navigable waters of the state; to create an effective system of flood control; to establish inland ports and safe harbors; to prevent shore erosion in all of its phases; to dredge small inlets and to utilize the navigable water resources of the state to the greater benefit of its citizens.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 24 of Subchapter VI of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes relating to the establishment of municipal recorders' courts.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Yarborough of Franklin offers an amendment which is adopted.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst further consideration of the bill is postponed until tomorrow.

H. B. 1232, a bill to be entitled An act to define the status of real estate held by the entirety upon the declaration and finding that one of the tenants by entirety is presumed to be dead as a person missing and unheard from within seven years.

On motion of Mr. Hostetler the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1246, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the installation and use of sirens on emergency rescue vehicles owned and operated by local civil defense organizations.

Mr. Hill offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. R. 1256, a joint resolution requesting the United States Department of the Interior to clarify and make specific the terms of its anti-baiting regulations on migratory waterfowl.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1257, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-5 so as to increase the number of members of the Board of Conservation and Development from fifteen to eighteen.
On motion of Mr. Hunt the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. 1267, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 116-4 relating to the election of trustees of the University of North Carolina.

Mr. Uzzell offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Umstead offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

The bill passes its second reading, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

H. B. 1272, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the laws concerning loan agencies and brokers.

On motion of Mr. Wilson of Union the amendments are adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns until tomorrow at 10:30 A. M.

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, June 6, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. McCrary the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable R. E. Sentelle, a former member of the House from Haywood County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, Walter Clark, young son of Representative and Mrs. David Clark of Lincoln County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Powe, Caroline Rollins of Durham is made an honorary pagette of the House.

On motion of Mr. Powe, Rita, Harry and Sidney Nurkin of Durham County are made honorary pagette and pages, respectively, of the House of Representatives.
On motion of Mr. Kiser, Daniel Patterson Jones of Scotland County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Woodard, George H. Adams and Dwight Hudson are made honorary pages of the House.

Mr. Hill sends forward the following editorial from the Greensboro Daily News, dated June 5, 1957, and requests that it be spread upon the Journal.

It is so ordered.

DEGREES WORTHILY BESTOWED

The honorary degrees bestowed by the University of North Carolina upon four distinguished alumni reflect credit and discernment upon the institution.

Associate Justice William H. Bobbitt is outstanding as lawyer and jurist, Dr. Samuel C. Collins of Massachusetts Institute of Technology as physicist and Professor Emeritus J. G. deR. Hamilton of Chapel Hill as historian and teacher.

While applauding these degrees, the Daily News confesses particular satisfaction in the honor bestowed up John W. Umstead. He has given unstintingly of his time, substance, thought and energy to public service. As long-time member of the university’s board of trustees and executive committee he has contributed greatly to the functioning, administration and progress of his alma mater. Indirectly his contribution has been richest and most productive in the number of worthy students he has helped, quietly and unostentatiously, to secure an education which enabled them to develop and utilize their skills and abilities in service to their fellow man and in advancement of the state.

While Mr. Umstead, who has served term after term in the Legislature from Orange County, has frequently been referred to as a gadfly, who prodded fellow legislators and raised his voice when others remained silent, we have considered him more than that. Over the years he has become the social conscience of North Carolina in the General Assembly. His look has been forward, dictated by his humanitarianism and his sense of fairness and justice. Education on all levels has known no more vigorous or consistent champion. North Carolina’s improved and expanded mental hospitals and training schools will ever stand as a monument to his dedication to a cause involving unfortunate individuals incapable of acting or even thinking for themselves.

To the university’s LL.D. for John Wesley Umstead we’ll add our own doctor of humanities, for it is in human beings and their assistance that his big-heartedness has centered down the years.

ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Askew, for the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills have been carefully considered, found to be properly engrossed, and asks that they be sent to the Senate.
H. B. 1137, a bill to be entitled An act relating to barratry and providing for revocation of professional licenses and corporate charters and disbarment of attorneys upon conviction of barratry.

H. B. 1246, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the installation and use of sirens on emergency rescue vehicles owned and operated by local civil defense organizations.

H. B. 1180, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the installation and use of sirens and red lights on all vehicles owned and operated by the state for law enforcement purposes.

H. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties to enact ordinances regulating public recreations, amusements and entertainments, and to define, prohibit, abate, or suppress things detrimental to the health, morals, safety, convenience and welfare of the people in areas within the county outside an incorporated municipality.

H. B. 1257, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 113-5 so as to increase the number of members of the Board of Conservation and Development from fifteen to eighteen.

REPORT 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. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

S. B. 384, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 88 of the General Statutes relating to cosmetic art.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Valentine, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1414, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize in Bertie County, subject to an election thereon, exemption from ad valorem taxation of the place of residence of the owner of real property, such exemption not to exceed $1,000 in value of property.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1415, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize all of the counties of the state, subject to an election thereon, exemption from ad valorem taxation of the place of residence of the owner of real property, such exemption not to exceed $1,000 in value of property.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Blue, for the Committee on Penal Institutions.

S. B. 314, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal General Statutes 153-54 relating to prison bounds.

With a favorable report.
By Mr. Venters, for the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 13, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate to the State Board of Education from the general fund of the State Treasury such amounts as are necessary to provide during each year of the 1957-59 biennium a twenty per cent increase in salaries for public school employees.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 14, a bill to be entitled An act to create a sinking fund for the purpose of retiring the principal and interest of all bonds issued pursuant to the State Permanent Improvement Bond Act of 1953, and to provide funds therefor by transferring thereto sufficient moneys from the general fund surplus.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 15, a bill to be entitled An act to create a sinking fund for the purpose of retiring the principal and interest of all bonds issued pursuant to the State Mental Institutions Bond Act of 1953, and to provide funds therefor by transferring thereto sufficient moneys from the general fund surplus.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 40, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for an increase in the salaries and wages of state employees because of the inflationary increase in consumer goods, services, necessities and other living requirements of state employees, and to fix the terms, conditions and amount of said salary increase.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 82, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate sufficient funds to provide for proper increases for the salaries of public school personnel.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 177, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Director of the Budget to make certain transfers of funds provided for institutions under the control of the State Hospitals Board of Control, including the Psychiatric Center at the University of North Carolina Medical School.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 182, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the reading clerk and sergeant-at-arms of each House of the General Assembly.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 212, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate $100,000.00 for each year of the biennium 1957-1959 to the Department of Agriculture to be used to defray the expense of its fruit and vegetable inspection service.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 320, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a school for the training of nurses to be located at East Carolina College and making an ap-
priation of $70,000.00 for the first year of the coming biennium and $100,000.00 for the second year for the maintenance thereof.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 361, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds to provide for clerical assistance in the public schools.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 414, a bill to be entitled An act to make an emergency appropriation of $125,000 to the State Board of Health for the purpose of making available to indigent and medically indigent persons over twenty years of age the opportunity for vaccination against polio.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 495, a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Luther Seavy Cain for personal injuries sustained in an accident as a result of negligence of an employee of the State Highway and Public Works Commission on September 3, 1955.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 573, a bill to be entitled An act fixing the tuition at the Consolidated University of undergraduate students who are non-residents of North Carolina.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 677, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for investigation and payment of certain claims growing out of the disastrous destruction by fire of a school building in Surry County in February, 1957.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1048, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate to Mrs. J. P. Morgan, Sr., the sum of $256.71 to reimburse her for damages done to her automobile by escaping convict.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1058, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the bee industry in the State of North Carolina and to appropriate the sum of $5100 each year of the next biennium to the Department of Agriculture for the preservation thereof.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1253, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) to the Board of County Commissioners of Hyde County to be expended for the construction of a dock on Far Creek at Eaglehard.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1261, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subsection (f) of General Statutes 20-185 as the same appears in the 1955 Cumulative
Supplement to the General Statutes so as to provide for payment of a subsistence allowance to the Director, Assistant Director, and Inspectors of the License and Theft Enforcement Division of the Department of Motor Vehicles.

With an unfavorable report.

House Resolution by Mr. Everett: A House Resolution relating to increase of salaries of teachers and all other employees of the state.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 312, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 14-A of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes relating to the appointment of justices of the peace so as to make the Articles applicable to Wake County.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1335, a bill to be entitled An act prohibiting motorcycle and motor vehicle races on Sunday in Sampson County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1423, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1097, Session Laws of 1953, creating an Emergency Fund for persons engaged in the enforcement of the criminal laws in Cabarrus County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1428, a bill to be entitled An act to provide nine hundred dollars ($900.00) per year for clerical assistance for the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Alleghany County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 240, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motorboats and other craft on the waters of the Roanoke River between the Edens Ferry Landing and the Roanoke Rapids Dam in Halifax, Warren and Northampton Counties.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 511, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe certain zoning regulations for the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 515, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 580 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to fees to be charged by the Sheriff and Constables of Rockingham County so as to make the same applicable to fees to be charged by municipal police officers of said county.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.
H. B. 1431, a bill to be entitled An act to fill a vacancy in the Board of Education of Jones County created by the resignation of a member thereof.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Turner, for the Committee on Local Government.

H. R. 1418, a joint resolution requesting the Governor and the General Assembly to join in the sesquicentennial celebration of founding of the City of Greensboro.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1419, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 224, Private Laws, 1927, as amended.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 419, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real property in the Town of Blowing Rock.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 614, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 556 of the Session Laws of 1955 pertaining to salaries of certain officials in Randolph County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 798, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366 of the Public-Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to the salaries of the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Charlotte.

With a favorable report.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 1250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 971 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the election of the Judge and Solicitors of the Municipal-County Court of Guilford County.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Turner the committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 452, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the operation of junk yards within the corporate limits of any municipality in Northampton County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 98, Public-Local Laws of 1941 as amended by Chapter 601, Session Laws of 1943, so as to authorize the Greensboro-High Point Airport Authority to operate airports jointly with adjoining counties or the municipalities therein.

With a favorable report.
By Mr. Quinn, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

S. B. 477, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the qualified voters of the Town of Clinton to determine whether Alcoholic Beverage Control Stores shall be established in said town and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits thereof.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1422, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 12, Chapter 18, of the General Statutes by adding a new section thereto to require all manufacturers, brewers, bottlers and other persons selling, soliciting orders for, delivering or distributing malt beverages for the purpose of resale to apply for and obtain permits from the State Board of Alcoholic Control.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1425, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Tryon Palace Commission to adopt certain emblems and obtain copyrights with respect thereto.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1429, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the City Council of the City of Durham to define, provide, and rearrange the voting wards in the City of Durham.

With a favorable report, as amended.

Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subchapter 7 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1212, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the definition of "conviction" in the Uniform Driver's License Act.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1367, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 7 of the General Statutes by inserting a new Article immediately following Article 31 to be designated as Article 31A

With a favorable report, as amended.
H. B. 1400, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-589 and General Statutes 8-59 so as to provide for the service of subpoenas and summonses for jurors by the use of certified or double postal cards in Cumberland County.

With a favorable report.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

June 6, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on S. B. 63, entitled "A bill to be entitled An act to amend the rules of the road provisions of the Motor Vehicle Law", to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, we may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

CONFERENCE REPORT

To:
President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House

Your Conference Committee appointed on Senate Bill 63, "A bill to be entitled An act to amend the Rules of the Road Provisions of the Motor Vehicle Law", have considered carefully the differences existing between the two bodies and respectfully recommend as follows:

That the Senate concur in the House amendment respectfully submitted.

/s/ James W. Mason
    Paul E. Jones
    The Senate

/s/ W. Reid Thompson
    Edward F. Yarborough
    Addison Hewlett, Jr.
    The House of Representatives

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the conference report is adopted and the Senate is so notified.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Messrs. Everett, Phelps, Turner and White;
H. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled An act to control and regulate the sale of beer and other malt beverages.

Referred to Committee on Proposition and Grievances.

By Mr. Falls:

H. R. 1433, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to continue a study of the revenue structure of the state and to make its recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Messrs. Wooten, Snepp, Powe, Hill, Hicks, Vogler, Kemp, Hunt, Hewlett, Ross, Harris of Wake, Talton, Long, Bell, and Jones of Pitt:

H. R. 1434, a joint resolution creating a commission of the North Carolina General Assembly to study problems of municipal government and to report its findings and recommendations to the 1959 Session thereof.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

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. 423, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt small grain grown in North Carolina and stored in Iredell County from ad valorem taxation for the year following the year in which grown.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 524, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-72 as it relates to Polk County so as to provide that the election of a principal by the district school committee upon recommendation of the county superintendent shall be final.

Referred to Committee on Education.

H. B. 181, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the exemption from taxation of certain personal property stored in Nash County for shipment to foreign countries.

On motion of Mr. Valentine the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 464, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix the terms of Superior Court to be held in Cabarrus County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 487, a bill to be entitled An act to amend S. B. 98, ratified the 22nd of April, 1957, relating to the salaries of certain officials in Person County so as to provide for an increase in the permitted pay allowance of clerical assistants in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 493, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 6 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 and to fix the amount of bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County in accordance with the provisions of General Statutes 2-3.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 516, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 933 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the fire department tax in Martin County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 492, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the assessment, levying and collection of taxes in the Town of Colerain in Bertie County for the years 1950 to 1956, inclusive.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 507, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the Recorder's Court of the District of Denton in Davidson County and to provide for his compensation.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 508, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Johnston County to appropriate funds to the Department of Archives and History to be used to aid in the acquisition and restoration of the site of the Battle of Bentonville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 517, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1258 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to make the Sheriff's Department the custodian of the Law Enforcement Officer's Relief Fund for the County of Northampton.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 518, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the fees paid for the seizure of distilleries in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 519, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of police officers of the Town of Gaston in Northampton County one mile beyond the corporate limits of said town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 520, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of "juke boxes" in Northampton County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 521, a bill to be entitled An act to provide better library and court facilities in Cumberland County, North Carolina.
Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1306, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 47 of the Session Laws of 1947 so as to raise jurors’ fees in Chatham County from five dollars to seven dollars per day.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 527, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 63-53 so as to authorize the Laurinburg-Maxton Airport Commission, subject to the authorization of the governing bodies of the City of Laurinburg and the Town of Maxton, to lease any part of the Laurinburg-Maxton Airport real property, to construct buildings for rental purposes and to borrow money and pledge or assign such leases as collateral security therefor.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1399, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Law Library in Yancey County.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askey, Blue, Brinkley, Brock, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett, Falls, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gavin, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Hostetler, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O’Neal, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenbough, Ross, Satterfield, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Stone, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Watkins, Whitehurst, Wicker, Williams of Yadkin, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth, Woodard of Wilson, and Yarborough of Cumberland—81.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 496, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing creation of a city administrative school unit in Rockingham County to be known as West Rockingham Cities Administrative Unit, subject to a referendum vote of the people in areas affected.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askey, Blue, Brinkley, Brock, Burleson, Byrum, Carpenter, Coates, Combs,

Those voting in the negative are—None.

H. B. 692, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the nomination and election of members of the Board of Education of Polk County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1394, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the nomination and election of the members of the Boards of Education and County Commissioners of Bertie County.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1396, a bill to be entitled An act repealing in its entirety Chapter 188, Private Laws of 1913, requiring elections for the granting of public utility franchises in the City of Wilson.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1198, a bill to be entitled An act to permit the municipalities in Bladen County to establish Recorder's Courts under the provisions of Article 24 of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes.

On motion of Mr. Britt the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

Mr. Britt offers an amendment which is adopted.

The bill passes its third reading, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 413, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Person County to appoint game wardens in townships of said county and to provide for their fees.
On motion of Mr. Hargett the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 480, a bill to be entitled An act rewriting Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 439, Public-Local Laws of 1939 as rewritten by Chapter 46, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the maintenance of and permanent improvements at Asheville-Biltmore College.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 503, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the nomination of members of the Anson County Board of Education by districts, in case the Wadesboro and Morven City Administrative Units shall be consolidated with the Anson County School Administrative Unit.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 504, a bill to be entitled An act to require the registration of clubs and organizations in Anson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 919, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 156 of the General Statutes relative to drainage districts.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1002, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the creation of mosquito control districts and to define their powers and duties.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1112, a bill to be entitled An act creating a firemen's pension fund.

Mr. Jordan offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Representative Kerr votes present.

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled An act for th ebetter protection of migratory wild fowl in Currituck Sound and its tributaries to enable the County of Currituck to cooperate with the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second reading by the following vote, as amended, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 290, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled “Fees and Taxes”.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled “Fees and Taxes”.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Dill, Eggers, Etheridge, Everett,

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1072, a bill to be entitled An act providing that appropriations made to the North Carolina Cancer Institute shall be paid quarterly.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1130, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-46 relating to commitment of mentally disordered persons to state hospitals.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1131, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 35-32 relating to the commitment of alleged inebriates for treatment.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1133, a bill to be entitled An act to require certain organizations and associations to file financial information with the Secretary of State.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment.

Mr. Shreve moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Snepp lie upon the table; the motion prevails and the amendment is tabled.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate.

STATEMENT BY MEMBER

Mr. Womble of Forsyth sends forward the following statement and requests that it be spread upon the Journal.

It is so ordered.

Mr. Speaker and members of the House:

It has been said that this bill will pass. That may be. It has also been suggested that it would be politically inexpedient to oppose this legislation. That may be. Nevertheless, as members of the Committee on Corporations know, I have strong convictions about this matter. I would like to
speak in opposition to committee substitute for H. B. 1133. To insure brevity, I have reduced my remarks to writing and if the members will indulge me, I will read:

North Carolina is a great state, and those of us who were born here, as well as those who have made this their adopted home, can take just pride in the heritage that is ours.

This great heritage includes, among other things, the following fundamental declaration in Article 1, Section 1, of the North Carolina Constitution:

"That we hold it to be self-evident that all persons are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, the enjoyment of the fruits of their own labor, and the pursuit of happiness."

It also includes the United States Constitutional guarantees of freedom of speech and the right of assembly.

This heritage also includes a broad recognition and confession of the Christian faith. I am neither saint nor preacher, but I dare say that every home represented here today has a Bible in it, that all of us are members of some church, and that practically all of us have served as deacon, steward, vestryman, or in some other capacity in the church of which we are a member.

These things are basic—they set the moral tone of our lives; they are at the marrow of our being; they are the rock upon which we can stand.

What, you may ask, has this to do with committee substitute for H. B. 1133.

Let us see. The problem of race relations has long been one of the burdens of, and challenges to, mankind. Recent decisions of the courts have caused this problem to bear down upon us with a new acuteness. The problem is not one of easy solution—it challenges the best that is in all of us—both black and white—to work toward a sound solution with dignity and in recognition of the fundamental rights of every person.

Thus far North Carolina’s heritage has stood us in good stead—it has been our bulwark against ill-advised, hasty, or extreme action. And this has been reflected in the absence of violence and in the continuation of amicable relations between our white and negro citizens.

In all sincerity I ask you, would committee substitute for H. B. 1133 promote harmony between the races in this, our beloved state? There can be but one answer—and that answer is NO.

This bill, admitted by its sponsors to be directed at the NAACP and broadened only for the purpose of attempting to make it constitutional, would require burdensome and detailed reports of any organization which takes a stand on one, and only one, proposition—i.e., either for or against racial separation in the use of public facilities—and which receives contributions therefor, EXCEPT political parties and religious organizations.
I say to you that if you or I or any other citizen should want to organize or belong to a dues-paying group that either supports or opposes the separation of the races in the use of public facilities, we should be permitted to do so with freedom and dignity—as we might on any other proposition of public concern—without being singled out for the treatment and burdens which this bill would impose upon such groups.

It is most singular and significant that Section 7 of this bill excludes political parties and religious organizations. If nothing else, this Section points up the folly of this legislation.

I humbly beseech you to hark back to the heritage that is ours as North Carolinians and Christians, to let reason overrule prejudice, and out of your sense of wisdom and justice to all people to vote against this bill.

/s/ W. F. Womble

H. B. 1200, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 13 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to student loans for graduate students in sociology and psychology.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1201, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 24 of Subchapter VI of Chapter 7 of the General Statutes relating to the establishment of Municipal Recorder's Court.

On motion of Mr. Whitehurst consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

H. B. 1287, a bill to be entitled A nact to amend General lStatutes 116-4 relating to the election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina.

Mr. Uzzell offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Hill offers an amendment.

Mr. Whitley moves that the amendment offered by Mr. Hill lie on the table; the motion prevails and the amendment is tabled.

Mr. Philpott moves that the bill, as amended, lie upon the table; the motion fails.

Mr. Bowman calls the previous question; the motion prevails.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill on its third reading.

The bill fails to pass its third reading, as amended.

Mr. Turner moves that the vote by which the bill failed to pass its third reading be reconsidered, and that this motion lie on the table; the motion prevails.

H. R. 1273, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to study public school finance and related problems and to report to the Governor, the General Assembly, and the people of the State.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1276, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to study and make recommendations for the adoption of a uniform map law for the State of North Carolina and to report its findings to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1286, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 4, Chapter 47, of the General Statutes so as to validate the registration of deeds, deeds of trust, mortgages, chattel mortgages, contracts and other instruments filed on a date preceding the date of the clerk's order of registration.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1302, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 116-120 so as to authorize the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton so as to eliminate the word "deaf" from the name of said institution.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1303, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 116-105 so as to authorize the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the State School for the Blind and the Deaf to change the name of said school so as to eliminate all reference to the handicap of the student attending said institution.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 88. An Act repealing the proviso appearing at the end of the first paragraph of General Statutes 115-120, relating to the calling of elections to consolidate a part of a county school district with an adjoining city administrative unit.

S. B. 190. An Act to require that courses in state and national government be taught in the public schools of North Carolina.

S. B. 195. An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Rockingham County to call, and the Board of Elections of said county to conduct, special elections on the questions of eliminating the present county library tax and of creating separate library systems for the City of Reidsville and for the remainder of Rockingham County.
S. B. 281. An Act to rewrite Subsection 5 of General Statutes 115-183 relating to the purposes for which school buses may be used.

S. B. 303. An Act to amend Chapter 559 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 relating to the creation of school districts and the issuance of bonds concerning the purposes for which bonds may be issued and giving authority to call an election upon the issuance of bonds if the issuance of bonds has heretofore not been approved by the voters.

S. B. 354. An Act to amend General Statutes 116-21 and 116-22 so as to clarify the laws relating to the escheat of real and personal property where the owner dies intestate without leaving surviving any known heirs, relatives or spouse to inherit such property.

S. B. 359. An Act to amend Chapter 54 of the General Statutes relating to books and records of building and loan associations.


S. B. 484. An Act to incorporate the Town of Gold Point in Martin County.

H. B. 385. An Act relating to the issuance of warrants and receipts by justices of the peace.

H. B. 451. An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem by increasing the limitation of tax for general purposes from one dollar twenty-five cents ($1.25) to one dollar sixty cents ($1.60) on every one hundred dollar ($100.00) valuation of property, and to amend General Statutes 160-402 as it applies to the City of Winston-Salem.

H. B. 1114. An Act to fix the fees of constables in Durham County.

H. B. 1123. An Act to amend H. B. 108, ratified the 16th of April, 1957, relating to the recording of maps and plats in the office of the Register of Deeds of Burke County.

H. B. 1138. An Act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Wrightsville Beach in New Hanover County to sell and convey property in certain instances.

H. B. 1185. An Act to provide for the transfer of any surplus from the bonded indebtedness of Harnett County and for the transfer of unclaimed witness checks in the Superior Court and the Recorder's Court of Harnett County to the General Fund of Harnett County.

H. B. 1224. An Act amending Section 2 of Chapter 266, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the salary of the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Buncombe County.

H. B. 1236. An Act to amend Article 17, Chapter 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to fees of justices of the peace in Currituck County.
H. B. 1258. An Act to amend Chapter 1152 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the procedure for the election of members of the City Council of the City of Burlington in Alamance County.

H. B. 1271. An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem to authorize the holding of sessions of the municipal court of said city in two divisions.

H. B. 1274. An Act amending General Statutes 47-17.1 relating to the filing of legal documents for probate and recordation so as to include Surry County within the provisions of said Act.

H. B. 1278. An Act to amend Chapter 429 of the Session Laws of 1951 so as to increase the salary of the County Manager of Haywood County from $3600 to $4200 per year.

H. B. 1279. An Act amending Chapter 109, Session Laws of 1951, so as to provide a travel allowance for the Sheriff of Yancey County.

H. B. 1281. An Act to amend Chapter 2 of the Private Laws of 1925 relating to the salaries of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Forest City.

H. B. 1285. An Act relating to the barring of tax liens in Wilkes County.

H. B. 1291. An Act to amend General Statutes 160-346 relating to the salaries of the members of the City Council of the City of Burlington.

H. B. 1294. An Act relating to the compensation of the members of the Ashe County Board of Education.

H. B. 1295. An Act to amend Section 65-7 of the General Statutes so as to increase the amount which may be placed in the hands of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County for cemetary maintenance.

H. B. 1296. An Act to authorize the closing of a part of Bullard Street in the Town of Plymouth and its conveyance to the Washington County Board of Education.

H. B. 1310. An Act to amend Chapter 797 of the Session Laws of 1949 and to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Harnett County.

H. B. 1313. An Act to fix and regulate the salaries of the Sheriff, Deputy Sheriffs, and Register of Deeds in Person County.

H. B. 1324. An Act to amend the existing laws relating to the territorial jurisdiction of Recorder's Courts of Beaufort County in Washington and Aurora.

H. B. 1330. An Act authorizing the issuance of Revenue Bonds to provide student housing by the Boards of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina, Appalachian State Teachers College, East Carolina College, Elizabeth City State Teachers College, Fayetteville State Teachers College, North
Carolina College at Durham, Pembroke State College, Western Carolina College, and Winston-Salem Teachers College.

H. B. 1341. An Act to increase the salaries of certain public officers of Wake County.

H. B. 1344. An Act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Watauga County.

H. B. 1345. An Act relating to certain sheriff's fees and to the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court in Currituck County.


H. B. 1350. An Act to amend Chapter 1015 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the salary of the Clerk of Court of the Superior Court of Guilford County.

H. B. 1368. An Act amending General Statutes 47-30 relating to the recording of plats and subdivisions in Wilson County and fixing the registration fees.

S. B. 81. An Act creating a building code council and authorizing it to adopt, amend, and interpret a state building code and hear appeals from agencies enforcing the code.

H. B. 434. An Act to exempt certain agriculture products from ad valorem taxes in Harnett County.

H. B. 606. An Act to exempt agricultural products stored in Johnston County from ad valorem taxation for the year following the year in which grown.


On motion of Mr. Snepp the House adjourns in honor of the memory of the late Waldo C. Cheek, former North Carolina Insurance Commissioner, and will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M.

**ONE HUNDRED FIFTH DAY**

**House of Representatives**

Friday, June 7, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.
Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, Jane Elizabeth and Sara Jo Walker of Orange County are made honorary page-ettes of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hardy, David W. Parrish, Jr., and Sharon Rose Skinner of Wake County are made honorary page and page-ette, respectively, of the House.

On motion of Mr. Henley, Celia Marie Yarborough, David Yarborough and Franz Thiemer of Cumberland County are made honorary page-ettes and page, respectively of the House.

On motion of Mr. Venters, James Buckner Murrill, III, of Onslow County is made an honorary page of the House.

STATEMENT BY MEMBER

I desire to make a statement for the Journal and record my dissent to the passage of Committee Substitute for H. B. 1133, being "a bill to be entitled An act to require certain organizations and associations to file financial information with the Secretary of State".

In my judgment, this bill is unwise, harmful to calmness and moderation in working out the problems which have been created by the decision in the Brown case, and discriminates against certain citizens and organizations in the exercise of rights guaranteed to them by the Constitution of the United States. Moreover, I cannot see that the bill will serve any useful or necessary purpose, but, on the contrary, may serve as an exacerbating agent in race relations.

North Carolina has rightly followed the course of moderation. This bill marks a departure from this course. The creation of litigation and martyrdom in this field is certainly undesirable. This legislation is inevitably headed for a test of its validity in the federal courts. I predict that it shall not be defended successfully there. Whether or not its legal validity is maintained, it does not represent a contribution to moderation, calmness, good will, or to the maintenance of the institutions and mores of the state.

I dissent therefrom.

/s/ Thomas Turner, of Guilford

CONFERENCE REPORT

To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The following Conferrees on the part of the Senate and the House, appointed to resolve the differences between the two Bodies existing as to H. B. 360 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3
of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Person County Criminal Court", beg leave to report that we have agreed as follows:

The Senate recedes from its position and recommends that the bill be passed in its original form without the Senate amendments.

/s/ B. I. Satterfield
/s/ C. Blake Thomas
/s/ Radford Powell
Conferees on the part of the House of Representatives.

/s/ R. G. Long
/s/ J. W. Copeland
Conferees on the part of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Satterfield the Conference Report is adopted, and the Senate is notified.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
SENATE CHAMBER
June 7, 1957

MR. SPEAKER:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on H. B. 360 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Person County Criminal Court", to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, you may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message the House, having previously adopted a similar report, orders the bill enrolled.

REPORT 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. Jordan, for the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. B. 1355, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 789, Session Laws of 1955, so as to authorize special elections in the Town of Long View, Catawba County.

With a favorable report, as amended.
By Mr. Quinn, for the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.  
H. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled An act to control and regulate the sale of beer and other malt beverages.  
With a favorable report, as amended.  
By Mr. Umstead, for the Committee on Mental Institutions.  
S. B. 472, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-39 relating to the care and treatment of former residents of this state in the state mental hospitals.  
With a favorable report.  
By Mr. Yarborough of Franklin, for the Committee on Education.  
S. B. 524, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-72 as it relates to Polk County so as to provide that the election of a principal by the district school committee upon recommendation of the county superintendent shall be final.  
With a favorable report.  
By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.  
S. B. 464, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix the terms of Superior Court to be held in Cabarrus County.  
With a favorable report.  
S. B. 487, a bill to be entitled An act to amend S. B. 98, ratified the 22nd of April, 1957, relating to the salaries of certain officials in Person County so as to provide for an increase in the permitted pay allowance of clerical assistants in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds.  
With a favorable report.  
S. B. 493, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 6 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 and to fix the amount of bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County in accordance with the provisions of General Statutes 2-3.  
With a favorable report.  
S. B. 507, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the Recorder’s Court of the district of Denton in Davidson County, and to provide for his compensation.  
With a favorable report.  
S. B. 508, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Johnston County to appropriate funds to the Department of Archives and History to be used to aid in the acquisition and restoration of the site of the Battle of Bentonville.  
With a favorable report.
S. B. 516, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 933 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the fire department tax in Martin County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 517, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1258 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to make the Sheriff's Department the custodian of the Law Enforcement Officers Relief Fund for the County of Northampton.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 518, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the fees paid for the seizure of distilleries in Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 519, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of police officers of the Town of Gaston in Northampton County one mile beyond the corporate limits of said town.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 520, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of "juke boxes" in Northampton County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 521, a bill to be entitled An act to provide better library and court facilities in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 527, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 63-53 so as to authorize the Laurinburg-Maxton Airport Commission, subject to the authorization of the governing bodies of the City of Laurinburg and the Town of Maxton, to lease any part of the Laurinburg-Maxton airport real property, to construct buildings for rental purposes and to borrow money and pledge or assign such leases as collateral security therefor.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. B. 1082, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 106-99 relating to the inspection tax on feeding stuffs and tax tags.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 423, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt small grain grown in North Carolina and stored in Iredell County from ad valorem taxation for the year following the year in which grown.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Valentine, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1336, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-31.3 so as to clarify and extend the provisions thereof.
Reported without prejudice.

On motion of Mr. Valentine the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Elections and Election Laws.

H. R. 1430, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operations and licensing of nursing homes, convalescent homes, boarding homes and homes for the aged and submitting recommendations with respect to a revision of the laws governing the licensing and supervision of such homes.

With a favorable report.

On motion of Mr. Valentine the bill is recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Hunt, for the Committee on Conservation and Development.

H. B. 1426, a bill to be entitled An act to improve the administrative provisions relating to utilization of surface waters of North Carolina for the purpose of irrigation.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Woodard of Northampton, for the Committee on Health.

S. B. 486, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 299 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to the County Board of Health of Durham County and to make the provisions of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes applicable to the administration of the public health laws in Durham County.

With a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1435, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Elizabeth City and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Elizabeth City for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Gobble, Womble of Forsyth and Stone:

H. B. 1436, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem fixing the time for the holding of general and primary elections for the election of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Winston-Salem.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Floyd of Columbus:
H. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the cost in Mayor's Court in the Town of Tabor City.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

And,  

H. B. 1438, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 251 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to civil jurisdiction of the County Recorder's Court of Columbus County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Jones of Ashe:

H. B. 1439, a bill to be entitled An act governing the valuation and assessment of real and personal property for county and municipal taxation in and for Ashe County, North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Wooten:

H. B. 1440, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-320 so as to provide the Clerk of Superior Court as well as the County Superintendent of Public Welfare may consent to the separation of a child under six months of age from mother.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Pittman and Kerr:

H. R. 1441, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the racial status of certain citizens in Warren, Halifax and adjoining counties.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Powe, Kerr, Buchanan, Craig, Uzzell, and Clark:

H. R. 1442, a joint resolution requesting the Committee of the North Carolina Bar Association on expediting and improving the administration of justice in North Carolina to make available to the 1959 General Assembly and report their recommendations with respect to the tenure, pay, work load and advisability of full-time Superior Court Solicitors.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Philpott, Clark and McKnight:

H. B. 1443, a bill to be entitled An act to establish minimum wage in North Carolina.

Mr. Philpott moves that the rules be suspended and the bill placed on the Calendar.

On this motion Mr. Turner calls for the "Ayes" and "Noes", the call sustains.
The roll is called and the motion fails by the following vote:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Anderson, Blue, Bowman, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Dill, Eaggers, Falls, Hughes, Gregory, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hill, Hughes, Hunt, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, McKnight, Philpott, Powe, Powell, Randall, Rodenbough, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Stone, Thomas of Johnston, Thomas of Stanly, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Valentine, Vogler, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Yarborough of Cumberland and Zollicoffer—54.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Buchanan, Byrum, Combs, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Delamar, Etheridge, Ferebee, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gobble, Hardy, Hargett, Hicks, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Kerr, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, Martin, McCrary, Murphy, O'Neal, Pittman, Quinn, Reynolds, Ross, Speight, Talton, Taylor, Vann, Venters, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, White, Williams of Pasquotank, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Yarborough of Franklin—52.

The bill is referred to the Committee on Manufacturers and Labor.

By Messrs. Yarborough of Cumberland and Henley:

H. B. 1444, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the number of passengers on the front seat of a motor vehicle.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
SENATE CHAMBER
June 7, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate has failed to concur in House Amendment to S. B. 413, entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Person County to appoint game wardens in townships of said county and to provide for their fees", and requests a conference thereon. To this end the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Hamilton and Hoyle to act with a like committee on the part of the House to the end that the differences existing between the two bodies may be adjusted.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message, Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. Hargett, Buchanan and Satterfield and the Senate is so notified.
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. 8, a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for capital improvements of state institutions, departments and agencies and construction of buildings and permanent improvements for the State.

On motion of Mr. Venters the rules are suspended and the bill is placed as a Special Order for consideration on today's Calendar.

S. B. 9, a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for the maintenance of the state's departments, bureaus, institutions and agencies, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. Venters the rules are suspended and the bill is placed as a Special Order for consideration on today's Calendar.

H. B. 1126, a bill to be entitled An act to define and impose a license tax on itinerant photographers and their agents and employees.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Kemp the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1284, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the fees of justices of the peace in Halifax County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Pittman the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 523, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposal of confiscated alcoholic beverages in Halifax County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

The bill is placed on the Calendar for concurrence.

H. B. 1226, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 280 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 relating to trials by jury in the Recorder's Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake, the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1342, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of privately owned cemeteries in Buncombe County.
Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 150, a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of William G. Jones of Stokes County for damage to his automobile incurred in an accident with a State Highway and Public Works Commission truck.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 530, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article XIII, Section 92 of the Charter of the City of Statesville, Session Laws 1947, Chapter 1002, Section 5.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning ordinances of the City of Statesville in Iredell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 496, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing creation of a city administrative school unit in Rockingham County to be known as West Rockingham Cities Administrative Unit, subject to a referendum vote of the people in areas affected.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Etheridge, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, McCrory, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Zollicoffer—84.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 419, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real property in the Town of Blowing Rock.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.
Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Etheridge, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Johnston, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Philpott, Pittman, Poe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Zollicoffer—84.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 477, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the qualified voters of the Town of Clinton to determine whether alcoholic beverages control stores shall be established in said town and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits therof.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Bell, Bowman, Buchanan, Byrum, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Dill, Etheridge, Ferebee, Gaither, Gobble, Griggs, Hardy, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hicks, Hill, Holmes, Houk, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Lloyd, Love, McKnight, Phelps, Philpott, Pittman, Quinn, Ross, Shreve, Snepp, Stone, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Venters, Vogler, White, Whitehurst, Whitley, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Wilson, Yarbrough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—49.

Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Askew, Blue, Brinkley, Britt, Brock, Burleson, Bynum, Carpenter, Childers, Coates, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Eggers, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gavin, Gregory, Hargett, Holcombe, Hughes, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Kiser, Long, Maddrey, McCrary, Murphy, O'Neal, Powell, Randall, Reynolds, Rodenborough, Satterfield, Simpson, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Valentine, Wallace, Watkins, Wicker, Williams of Yadkin, Woodard of Northampton and Wooten—46.

Mr. Vann votes "Present".

H. B. 614, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 556 of the Session Laws of 1955 pertaining to salaries of certain officials in Randolph County.

On motion of Mr. Gavin the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 798, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 366 of the Public-Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to the salaries of the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Charlotte.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1250, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 971 of the Session Laws of 1955, relating to the election of the Judge and Solicitors of the Municipal-County Court of Guilford County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1414, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize in Bertie County, subject to an election thereon, exemption from ad valorem taxation of the place of residence of the owner of real property, such exemption not to exceed $1,000 in value of property.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1421, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the maintenance and use of haul nets on part of the Pungo Creek in Beaufort County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1423, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1097, Session Laws of 1953, creating an emergency fund for persons engaged in the enforcement of the criminal laws in Cabarrus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1428, a bill to be entitled An act to provide nine hundred dollars ($900.00) per year for clerical assistance for the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Alleghany County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1431, a bill to be entitled An act to fill a vacancy in the Board of Education of Jones County created by the resignation of a member thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1335, a bill to be entitled An act prohibiting motorcycle and motor vehicle races on Sunday in Sampson County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1400, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-589 and General Statutes 8-59 so as to provide for the service of subpoenas and summonses for jurors by the use of certified or double postal cards in Cumberland County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1418, a joint resolution requesting the Governor and the General Assembly to join in the Sesquicentennial celebration of founding the City of Greensboro.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1419, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 224, Private Laws 1927, as amended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1429, a bill to be entitled an Act to authorize the City Council of the City of Durham to define, provide and rearrange the voting wards in the City of Durham.

On motion of Mr. Powe the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 98, Public-Local Laws of 1941, as amended by Chapter 601, Session Laws of 1943, so as to authorize the Greensboro-High Point Airport authority to operate airports jointly with adjoining counties or the municipalities therein.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 511, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe certain zoning regulations for the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 515, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 580 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to fees to be charged by the Sheriff and constables of Rockingham County so as to make the same applicable to fees to be charged by municipal police officers of said county.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 452, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the operation of junk yards within the corporate limits of any municipality in Northampton County.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 327, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize cities and towns to make street improvements and to borrow money in anticipation of receipts of Powell Bill Funds to pay therefor.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1226, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 280 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 relating to trials by jury in the Recorder's Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.

The House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1342, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of privately owned cemeteries in Buncombe County.

House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1346, a bill to be entitled An act for the better protection of migratory wild fowl in Currituck Sound and its tributaries, to enable the County of Currituck to cooperate with the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

Passes its third reading by the following vote, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Etheridge, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Zollicoffer—84.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 290, a bill to be entitled Chapter 1230 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Non-Profit Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes".

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Etheridge, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Zollicoffer—84.
Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 of the 1955 Session Laws (The Business Corporation Act) by inserting therein a new article entitled, "Fees and Taxes".

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Etheridge, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Zollicoffer—84.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 905, a bill to be entitled An act to provide retirement benefits for solicitors of the Superior Court.

On motion of Mr. Wall the Committee amendment is adopted.

The bill fails to pass its second reading.

S. B. 384, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 88 of the General Statutes relating to cosmetic art.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Etheridge, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, McCrary, McKnight, Murphy, O'Neal, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Zollicoffer—84.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 1304, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1371 and 1230 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to filing of certificates of incorporation with the Secretary of State.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled An act to grant permission to G. D. Medlin T/A Medlin Electric Service to institute legal proceedings against the State of North Carolina and East Carolina Teachers College to litigate a controversy between G. D. Medlin and East Carolina Teachers College.

On motion of Mr. Shreve consideration of the bill is postponed until June 8, 1957.

H. B. 1307, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 95 of the General Statutes relating to assignments of wages to secure purchase of food, fuel or rent.

Mr. Jordan moves that the bill lie upon the table; the motion prevails.

H. B. 1348, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-135 so as to change the punishment for cutting timber belonging to someone else.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1357, a bill to be entitled An act to require county jailers to receive and retain prisoners brought to such county jail by law enforcement officers of this state.

On motion of Mr. Taylor the Committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Maddrey offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1364, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-78 so as to give the State Board of Alcoholic Control the authority to approve the contents of malt beverage products to be sold in this state.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Wicker, 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. 102. An Act to amend General Statutes 2-53 relating to payment of money for indigent children and persons non compos mentis in Cumberland County.

S. B. 480. An Act rewriting Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 439, Public-Local Laws of 1939, as rewritten by Chapter 46, Session Laws of 1951, relating to the maintenance of and permanent improvements at Asheville-Biltmore College.
S. B. 503. An Act providing for the nomination of members of the Anson County Board of Education by districts, in case the Wadesboro and Morven City Administrative Units shall be consolidated with the Anson County School Administrative Unit.

S. B. 504. An Act to require the registration of clubs and organizations in Anson County.

H. B. 42. An Act fixing the terms of the Superior Court for Chatham County.

H. B. 94. An Act to amend Chapter 245 of the Session Laws of 1947 relating to the nomination and election of the members of the Board of Commissioners of Pender County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

H. B. 95. An Act to amend Chapter 546 of the Session Laws of 1949 relating to the nomination of members of the Board of Education of Pender County, subject to a referendum vote of the people.

H. B. 132. An Act to redefine certain carriers within the meaning of the Motor Vehicle Law.

H. B. 181. An Act to authorize the exemption from taxation of certain personal property stored in Nash County for shipment to foreign countries.

H. B. 768. An Act to amend Chapter 62 of Volume 2 B of the General Statutes relating to the issuance and distribution of reports of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, authorizing the use of certified mail in addition to registered mail for the purpose of serving certain notices, and to regulate the issuance of notices required by The Bus Act of 1949.

H. B. 962. An Act rewriting Section 3 of Chapter 222, Private Laws of 1893, as rewritten by Section 1 of Chapter 231, Session Laws of 1943, relating to the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Grimesland and creating the office of Judge of the Municipal Court of said town.

H. B. 1144. An Act to limit the authority of the Board of Commissioners of Pamlico County to levy certain special taxes, to reduce the rates thereof and to validate such taxes heretofore levied by said county.

H. B. 1172. An Act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Statutes so as to permit persons to engage in business as a pawnbroker in unincorporated areas of Cumberland County.

H. B. 1194. An Act to amend Chapter 209 of the Private Laws of 1907 so as to provide for the election of the Recorder and Prosecuting Attorney of the Recorder's Court of the City of Rocky Mount.

H. B. 1209. An Act to amend General Statutes 108-11 relating to county boards of public welfare as the same applies to Gaston County.

H. B. 1231. An Act giving authority to the Board of County Commissioners of Harnett County to appropriate from county funds a sum of money not exceeding twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) to be used for the construction of the General William C. Lee Memorial.
H. B. 1251. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to promulgate ordinances, rules and regulations governing the parking of automobiles or the use thereof on county property.

H. B. 1252. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County to establish a county trash dump and to provide ordinances, rules and regulations governing the establishment, use and maintenance thereof.

H. B. 1255. An Act to authorize the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Kenansville to execute on behalf of the Town of Kenansville a deed to certain property in the Town of Kenansville to the County Board of Education of Duplin County and for the County Board of Education to exchange said property with Duplin County.

H. B. 1262. An Act to give relief to certain property owners in Onslow County.

H. B. 1265. An Act to amend Chapter 535 of the Session Laws of 1955 establishing a separate office for the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Harnett County, and providing for the election and term of office of the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of Harnett County.

H. B. 1280. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Pasquotank County.

H. B. 1283. An Act to permit the municipalities in Halifax County to purchase land outside the corporate limits for municipal government purposes.

H. B. 1287. An Act amending General Statutes 7-389 so as to authorize the Commissioners of Gates County to appoint an assistant prosecuting attorney of the Gates County Criminal Court.

H. B. 1290. An Act to provide a council of five members and to amend General Statutes 160-340, General Statutes 160-341 and General Statutes 160-345 to prescribe the terms of office of the Mayor and Councilmen of the Town of Graham in Alamance County and otherwise to make Plan D Form of Municipal Government apply to said town.

H. B. 1293. An Act relating to the enforcement of ordinances on the waters of White Lake in Bladen County.

H. B. 1306. An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the Session Laws of 1947 so as to raise jurors' fees in Chatham County from five dollars to seven dollars per day.

H. B. 1311. An Act to provide for the filing of notice of candidacy for the offices of Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Rhodhiss in Caldwell County.

H. B. 1314. An Act relating to the salaries of the members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Shelby.

H. B. 1315. An Act to authorize the Commissioners of the City of Kings Mountain, North Carolina, to swap vacant tract now used for dumping area for larger tract.
H. B. 1322. An Act to fix certain fees of the Register of Deeds, Clerk of the Superior Court and Sheriff of Franklin County.

H. B. 1332. An Act to provide for the appointment of a Clerk of the Durham County Civil Court.

H. B. 1333. An Act to authorize the Town Council of Whiteville to dispose of certain property at private sale.

H. B. 1360. An Act to amend Chapter 1040, Session Laws of North Carolina for 1945 so as to provide that said Chapter shall be applicable to Buncombe County.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the House takes a recess until 3:00 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

June 7, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

On motion of Mr. Gregory, Charles, Johnnie, Teddy and Janice Malone of Harnett County are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. R. 1434, a joint resolution creating a commission of the North Carolina General Assembly to study problems of municipal government and to report its findings and recommendations to the 1959 Session thereof.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1440, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-320 so as to provide the clerk of superior court as well as the county superintendent of public welfare may consent to the separation of a child under six months of age from mother.

With a favorable report.

H. R. 1442, a joint resolution requesting the Committee of the North Carolina Bar Association on expediting and improving the administration of justice in North Carolina to make available to the 1959 General Assembly and report their recommendations with respect to the tenure, pay, work load and advisability of full-time superior court solicitors.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Venters, for the Committee on Appropriations.
Committee Substitute for H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 20 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to provide for payment of a subsistence allowance to members of the State Highway Patrol.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the pensions of widows of Confederate veterans and to increase the funeral allowance for confederate pensioners.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the restoration, repair, and maintenance of historic sites in the Town of Bath.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 454, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Governor and Council of State to furnish Volume 4A and 4B of the General Statutes of North Carolina to the justices of the Supreme Court, the judges and solicitors of the Superior Courts, the Supreme Court Library and other state officials and agencies.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 287, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes of North Carolina, Chapter 15, Article 8 so as to provide that the State of North Carolina shall pay the expenses of returning alleged felons from another state to the State of North Carolina without the issue or service of a requisition and extradition papers.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 836, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating $28,000.00 to the State Extension Service of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture for the purpose of acquiring lands for the establishment of a State Tobacco Research Farm in Pitt County.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 470, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the distribution of Supreme Court Reports and Session Laws.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 601, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the restoration, repair, and maintenance of historic properties.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 655, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the acquisition and restoration of historic properties.

With a favorable report.
H. B. 686, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 164-13 so as to authorize the General Statutes Commission to budget and expend funds made available for the Commission.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 807, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments at a certain state historic site.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 812, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 and General Statutes 135-18.2 so as to increase from $50 to $75 per month certain pensions paid certain retired teachers and minimum payments made to certain retired teachers and state employees, and to make an appropriation therefor.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 900, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating the sum of One thousand two hundred and thirty three dollars ($1,233.00) to Mrs. Edna Bonham Keeler to compensate her for an error made as to her rating as a public school teacher.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 931, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate six thousand dollars ($6,000.00) to the Department of Conservation and Development for the purpose of replacing a walk at Lake Waccamaw in Columbus County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 933, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 relating to pensions paid certain former teachers and state employees.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 938, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments at Town Creek Indian Mound State Historic Site in Montgomery County.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 992, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating $3,600.00 for additions and betterments at the house in the Horseshoe State Historic Site.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1041, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation and expense allowance of Superior Court judges.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1045, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 7-456 relating to the salary of the Executive Secretary of the Judicial Council and as to the performance of such duties as may be assigned to him by the Chief Justice in addition to his duties as secretary to the Council.
With a favorable report.

H. B. 1059, a bill to be entitled An act to provide aid to the Brevard Music Foundation, Incorporated.

With a favorable report.

H. R. 1100, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making plans for the construction of a building to house the Executive and Legislative branches of the Government.

H. B. 1158, a bill to be entitled An act to make an appropriation to complete facilities at the state office building now under construction on the Old Soldiers' Home property.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1159, a bill to be entitled An act to insure the perpetuation of the memory of Major General William C. Lee by the appropriation of forty thousand dollars to be used to aid in the erection of a suitable memorial to General Lee.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes relating to pensions for certain public school superintendents and assistant superintendents.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1298, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 120-33 relating to the compensation of employees of the General Assembly.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1351, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500.00) from the Contingency and Emergency Fund for expenses incurred in a school bond case.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 373, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 496 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Board of Trustees of the Daniel Boone Association.

With a favorable report, as amended.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

H. R. 1433, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission to continue a study of the revenue structure of the state and to make its recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 492, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the assessment, levying and collection of taxes in the Town of Colerain in Bertie County for the years 1950 to 1956 inclusive.
With a favorable report.

By Mr. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 809, a bill to be entitled An act to require the inclusion, in the reports and recommendations of study commissions, information as to persons appearing before said commissions and material considered by said commissions during their study or in the preparation of their reports and recommendations.

With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Clark the committee substitute bill is adopted.

H. R. 902, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the laws of this state with respect to crimes against nature and other sex crimes, and to make a report and recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the biennial meetings of the General Assembly on the second Wednesday after the first Monday in January next after their election.

Reported without prejudice, as amended.

By Mr. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1435, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Elizabeth City and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Elizabeth City for a distance of one mile in all directions.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1436, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem fixing the time for holding of general and primary elections for the election of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Winston-Salem.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the cost in Mayor's Court in the Town of Tabor City.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1438, a bill to be entitled An act to re-enact Chapter 251 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to civil jurisdiction of the County Recorder's Court of Columbus County.

With a favorable report.
H. R. 1441, a joint resolution providing for the appointment by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the racial status of certain citizens in Warren, Halifax and adjoining counties.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 530, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article XIII, Section 92 of the Charter of the City of Statesville, Session Laws 1947, Chapter 1002, Section 5.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning ordinances of the City of Statesville in Iredell 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 Messrs. Shreve, Kemp and Hunt:

H. B. 1445, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 1350, ratified the sixth day of June, 1957, relating to the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Guilford County.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

June 7, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on H. B. 760 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while drivers' license is suspended or revoked", to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, you may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk
CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 492, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the assessment, levying and collection of taxes in the Town of Colerain in Bertie County for the years 1950 to 1956 inclusive.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Arledge, Askew, Bell, Blue, Britt, Brock, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Carpenter, Childers, Clark, Coates, Combs, Craig, Crawford of Buncombe, Crawford of Swain, Davis, Dill, Etheridge, Floyd of Columbus, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Griggs, Hardy, Hargett, Harriss of Rowan, Harris of Wake, Henley, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Holmes, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Lloyd, Long, Maddrey, McCrory, McNight, Murphy, O'Neal, Philpott, Pittman, Powe, Powell, Quinn, Randall, Ross, Satterfield, Shreve, Simpson, Speight, Talton, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Turner, Umstead, Uzzell, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Vogler, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitehurst, Whitley, Wicker, Williams of Pasquotank, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Womble of Wake, Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Wooten and Zollicoffer—84.

Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 423, a bill to be entitled An act to exempt small grain grown in North Carolina and stored in Iredell County from ad valorem taxation for the year following the year in which grown.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 486, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 299 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to the County Board of Health of Durham County and to make the provisions of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes applicable to the administration of the public health laws in Durham County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 464, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix the terms of Superior Court to be held in Cabarrus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 487, a bill to be entitled An act to amend S. B. 98, ratified the 22nd of April, 1957, relating to the salaries of certain officials in Person County so as to provide for an increase in the permitted pay allowance of clerical assistants in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 493, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal Chapter 6 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 and to fix the amount of bond of the Clerk of the
Superior Court of Washington County in accordance with the provisions of General Statutes 2-3.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 507, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the Recorder's Court of the District of Denton in Davidson County, and to provide for his compensation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 508, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Johnston County to appropriate funds to the Department of Archives and History to be used to aid in the acquisition and restoration of the site of the Battle of Bentonville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 516, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 933 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the fire department tax in Martin County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 518, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the fees paid for the seizure of distilleries in Northampton County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 519, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the authority of police officers of the Town of Gaston in Northampton County one mile beyond the corporate limits of said town.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 520, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of "juke boxes" in Northampton County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 521, a bill to be entitled An act to provide better library and court facilities in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 524, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 115-72 as it relates to Polk County so as to provide that the election of a principal by the District School Committee upon recommendation of the County Superintendent shall be final.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 527, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 63-53 so as to authorize the Laurinburg-Maxton Airport Commission, subject to the authorization of the governing bodies of the City of Laurinburg and the Town of Maxton, to lease any part of the Laurinburg-Maxton airport real property, to construct buildings for rental purposes and to borrow money and pledge or assign such leases as collateral security therefor.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1355, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 789, Session Laws of 1955, so as to authorize special elections in the Town of Long View, Catawba County.

On motion of Mr. Carpenter the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, 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 Senate Bills 9 and 8 for consideration by the House.

S. B. 9, a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for the maintenance of the state's departments, bureaus, institutions, and agencies, and for other purposes.

Mr. Hill and others offer an amendment and on the adoption Mr. Hill calls for the "Ayes" and "Noes", the call sustains.

The amendment is adopted by the following vote.


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Bell, Bowman, Buchanan, Clark, Coates, Craig, Davis, Falls, Ferebee, Gaither, Gobble, Harris of Wake, Hewlett, Hicks, Houk, Jones of Ashe, Jordan, Kerr, Maddrey, Phelps, Pittman, Quinn, Snepp, Speight, Taylor, Thompson, Umstead, Venters, Wall, Whitley, Womble of Forsyth and Yarbrough of Franklin—32.

The following pairs are announced:

Mr. Williams votes "No", Mr. Hostetler votes "Aye"; Mr. McKnight votes "No", Mr. Wilson of Union votes "Aye"; Mr. Harriss of Rowan votes "No", Mr. Blue votes "Aye"; Mr. Valentine votes "Aye", Mr. Bost votes "No"; Mr. Ross votes "Aye", Mr. Holmes votes "No"; Mr. Woodard of Wilson votes "No", Mr. Dill votes "Aye".

Mr. Hill moves the vote by which the amendment was adopted be reconsidered and that this motion do lie on the table. The motion prevails.

Mr. Shreve offers an amendment, which is adopted.
Mr. Womble of Wake offers an amendment.

Mr. Womble of Wake calls for the "Ayes" and "Noes" on the amendment, the call sustains.

The roll is called and the amendment fails of adoption by the following vote:


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Askew, Bell, Bowman, Buchanan, Bynum, Byrum, Clark, Coates, Davis, Etheridge, Falls, Floyd of Robeson, Gaither, Gavin, Gobble, Gregory, Harriss of Rowan, Hewlett, Hicks, Hill, Holcombe, Houk, Hunt, Johnson, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kiser, Maddrey, McKnight, Philpott, Powe, Quinn, Shreve, Simpson, Snepp, Speight, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Umstead, Valentine, Vann, Venters, Wall, Wallace, Watkins, Whitley, Williams of Yadkin, Womble of Forsyth, Wooten, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer—54.

The following pairs are announced:

Mr. Vogler votes "No", Mr. Reynolds votes "Aye"; Mr. Lloyd votes "Aye", Mr. Bost votes "No"; Mrs. Rodenbough votes "Aye", Mr. Craig votes "No"; Mr. Hardy votes "Aye", Mr. Pittman votes "No".

Mr. Falls moves that the vote by which the amendment failed of adoption be reconsidered and that this motion do lie on the table; the motion prevails.

Mr. Venters offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Fowler offers an amendment, which fails of adoption.

Mr. Kiser offers an amendment.

Mr. Falls moves the amendment offered by Mr. Kiser be tabled; the motion prevails.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill, as amended, on its second and third readings.

The bill passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 8, a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for capital improvements of state institutions, departments, and agencies and construction of buildings and permanent improvements for the state.

Mr. Johnson offers amendment No. 1, which fails of adoption.
Mr. Johnson offers amendment No. 2, which fails of adoption.

Mr. Johnson offers amendment No. 3, which fails of adoption.

The bill passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1379, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 53-122 relating to fees to be paid the Commissioner of Banks for making examinations of loan agencies or brokers.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1383, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study and report on the problem of uninsured negligent motorists in North Carolina.

The bill fails to pass its second reading.

H. B. 1367, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 7 of the General Statutes by inserting a new article immediately following Article 31 to be designated as Article 31A.

On motion the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1370, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission to study and make recommendations to the Governor as to the necessity and advisability of a reorganization of the state government in the interest of more efficient and economical administration of the same.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1374, a joint resolution requesting the Board of Conservation and Development to emphasize the slogan “Year around Mid-South” in advertising the State of North Carolina.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

On motion of Mr. Venters the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

ONE HUNDRED SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives
Saturday, June 8, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.
Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Craig the courtesies of the floor are extended the Honorable Harry L. Nettles, a former member of the House from Buncombe County.

On motion of Mr. Hunt, Thomas Charles Baxter of Guilford County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Umstead, Annis Lillian and William J. (Buba) Arthur of Orange County are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints Alice Kirk Graham and Constance Graham of Wake County honorary pagettes of the House.

On motion of Mr. Hardy, Henry Alexander Jernigan and Mattie Lou Lee of Sampson County are made honorary page and pagette, respectively, of the House.

Mr. Womble of Forsyth moves that no bills or resolutions be accepted for introduction after today's Session; the motion prevails.

Mr. Snepp moves that the vote by which H. R. 1383, entitled "a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study and report on the problem of uninsured negligent motorist in North Carolina", failed to pass its second reading be reconsidered; the motion fails of adoption.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Messers. Pittman and Buckanan:

H. R. 1446, a joint resolution commending the telephone operators for assistance rendered the membership of the 1957 General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Pittman the rules are suspended and the resolution is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. White:

H. B. 1447, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 587 as ratified on June 5, 1957, for the purpose of inserting the correct tables relating to
the payment of benefits to replace certain erroneous tables having been inadvertently inserted in the act.

On motion of Mr. White the rules are suspended and the bill is placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

By Mr. Gaither:

H. B. 1448, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the pay of the appointed members of the Jury Commission of Transylvania County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Messrs. Yarborough of Cumberland and Henley:

H. B. 1449, a bill to be entitled An act to establish planning, zoning, building regulations, and subdivision regulations powers of the County of Cumberland for a described territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Fayetteville.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Mr. Snepp:

H. B. 1450, a joint resolution inviting the Regional NCAA Basketball Tournament to be held in Charlotte, March 15-16, 1958.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

June 8, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate has failed to concur in House amendment to S. B. 9 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for the maintenance of the state's departments, bureaus, institutions, and agencies, and for other purposes," and requests a conference thereon. To this end the President has appointed as conferees
on the part of the Senate, Senators Copeland, Moore and Rose to act with a like committee on the part of the House to the end that the differences existing between the two bodies may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message and request for conferees, Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messers. Umstead, Uzzell, Taylor, Philpott and Byrum, and the Senate is so notified.

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. 116, a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

Mr. Womble of Wake moves that the House fail to concur in the Senate amendments and requests conferees; the motion prevails.

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messers. Holmes, Harriss of Rowan, Jones of Pitt, Woodard of Wilson and Hunt and the Senate is so notified.

H. B. 47, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes, Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Northampton the House concurs in the Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 203, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 97 of the General Statutes so as to increase to thirty-five dollars the maximum weekly compensation payable under the Workmen’s Compensation Act.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Crawford of Buncombe the House concurs in the Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 151, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for instruction and training for trainable mentally handicapped children.

Passed first reading and placed on Calendar.

S. B. 179, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of $33,950.00 to the Charles B. Aycock Memorial Commission to be used for the acquisition of land and for the restoration of the Charles B. Aycock birthplace.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
S. B. 402, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 593 of the 1951 Session Laws, as amended by Chapter 1236 of the 1955 Session Laws, relating to the Tar River Port Commission.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 457, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1104, Session Laws of 1955, now codified as General Statutes 163-175(6).

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 470, a bill to be entitled An act to establish minimum wages in North Carolina.

Referred to Committee on Manufacturers and Labor.

H. B. 216, a bill to be entitled An act amending various sections of Chapter 97 of the General Statutes relating to Workmen's Compensation.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. White the House fails to concur in the Senate amendment and requests conferees.

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House Messers. White, Quinn, and Crawford of Buncombe and the Senate is so notified.

H. B. 263, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the furnishing of certain information by well drillers to the Department of Conservation and Development.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 257, a joint resolution providing an appropriation to cover the expenses incident to the inaugural ceremonies of Governor Luther H. Hodges and other state officials.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of forty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($42,500) to North Carolina State College to be expended in the establishment of a department of Products Design in the School of Design.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 398, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments and for other purposes at the Governor Richard Caswell Memorial.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 335, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 97-31 relating to disfigurement.
Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Bowman the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 341, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for payment to Hyde County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said county.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. O’Neal the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 619, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the vote by which the House concurred is reconsidered and requests conferees.

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. Snepp, Yarborough of Franklin and Zollicoffer and the Senate is so notified.

H. B. 887, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 10, Chapter 130 of the General Statutes so as to make it unlawful to trespass upon the watershed area of an unfiltered public water supply.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lloyd the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1169, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 163-91 relating to the proclamation of result of general elections.

Returned for concurrence on Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Senate Committee Substitute for H. B. 1397, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52, Session Laws of 1953, Chapter 339, Session Laws of 1945, Chapter 193, Session Laws of 1947 and Chapter 665, Session Laws of 1949 by changing the words “Gates County Recorder’s Court” to “Gates County Criminal Court” wherever the same appear in said acts.

Returned for concurrence in Senate committee substitute bill.

Passed first reading and placed on Calendar.
S. B. 133, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 to the Department of Archives and History to be used to aid in the acquisition of historic Bentonville Battleground in Johnston County.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 501, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the time within which an action may be brought attacking a conveyance made by a married woman pursuant to a power of attorney.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 506, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-127 so as to provide that a justice of the peace shall not regularly maintain an office outside the township for which he has been elected or appointed, pertaining only to Sampson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 510, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-53 as the same applies to certifications to be made on foreign vehicles before registration in this state.

Passed first reading and placed on Calendar.

S. B. 512, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, in his discretion, to accept a retrocession of jurisdiction over federal areas.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 522, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-173 relating to joinder of issues in uncontested divorce actions.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. R. 528, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission to continue a study of the revenue structure of the state and to make its recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

S. B. 532, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing Davidson County Board of Education to subscribe for not more than ten thousand dollars of the capital stock of Pilot Waterline, Incorporated.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 533, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of Person County the question as to whether or not the number and compensation of employees of Person County shall be fixed by the Board of County Commissioners of said county.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 468, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the allocation of funds appropriated for area vocational training schools.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.
S. B. 497, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 7 of the General Statutes by inserting a new Article immediately following Article 31 to be designated as Article 31A.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 499, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the salaries and expense allowances of solicitors.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 209, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the North Carolina Stonewall Jackson Memorial Fund; to set forth the purpose for which such fund is to be established; to set up a board of trustees to administer the fund; to make an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars to said fund.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor and Council of State to allot from the Contingency and Emergency Fund the sum of not to exceed ten thousand dollars ($10,000.00) annually to the Southern Appalachian Historical Association under certain conditions.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. 255, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds to the Garden Clubs of North Carolina, Incorporated, to be expended for certain needed equipment and maintenance of the Elizabethan Gardens in Dare County.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 424, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 36 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes to provide for refunds of taxes paid by counties and municipalities on fuels purchased.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Reynolds the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 513, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Financial Responsibility Act so as to increase from two years to five years period for maintaining proof of financial responsibility.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 526, a joint resolution providing for the apponm infoetat eee e

S. R. 526, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the manner in which the Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina are selected and to make its report and recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 950, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the distribution of automobile registration plates by persons selling automobile insurance.
Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Wilson the House fails to concur in Senate amendment and requests conferees. Mr. Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House Messrs. Woodard of Wilson, Harris of Wake, Zollicoffer, Hardy and Bell and the Senate is so notified.

REPORT 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. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 1448, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the pay of the appointed members of the Jury Commission of Transylvania County.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1449, a bill to be entitled An act to establish planning, zoning, building regulations, and subdivision regulations powers of the County of Cumberland for a described territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Fayetteville.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 402, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 593 of the 1951 Session Laws, as amended by Chapter 1236 of the 1955 Session Laws, relating to the Tar River Port Commission.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 506, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-127 so as to provide that a justice of the peace shall not regularly maintain an office outside the township for which he has been elected or appointed, pertaining only to Sampson County.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 532, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing Davidson County Board of Education to subscribe for not more than ten thousand dollars of the capital stock of Pilot Waterline, Incorporated.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 533, a bill to be entitled An act to submit to the voters of Person County the question as to whether or not the number and compensation of employees of Person County shall be fixed by the Board of County Commissioners of said county.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Craig, for the Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts.

Committee Substitute for H. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-104 by authorizing counties with more than 150,000 inhabitants to have an assistant judge and other additional officers.
With an unfavorable report as to bill, favorable report as to committee substitute bill.

On motion of Mr. Craig the committee substitute bill is adopted.

S. B. 448, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-70 relating to the terms of Superior Court of the several counties of the state.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Valentine, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

H. B. 1263, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-213 relating to exemption of the proceeds from group life insurance policies from liability for debts.

With a favorable report.

H. B. 1372, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 101-2 so as to permit the change of the name of a minor without the consent of a parent who has abandoned the minor.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 407, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 45 of the General Statutes relating to mortgages held by insurance companies, banks, building and loan associations, or other lending institutions.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 449, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 35-37 relating to the eugenical sterilization of persons not in institutions.

With an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1444, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the number of passengers on the front seat of a motor vehicle.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 393, a bill to be entitled An act amending the public school laws of North Carolina as they relate to the sale of public school property.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 476, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the game of bingo in the Town of White Lake in Bladen County.

With an unfavorable report.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 419, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real property in the Town of Blowing Rock.
Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 492, a bill to be entitled An act to validate the assessment, levying and collecting of taxes in the Town of Colerain in Bertie County for the years 1950 to 1956 inclusive.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 331, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the restoration, repair, and maintenance of historic sites in the Town of Bath.

The Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 599, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County.

Placed on the Calendar for concurrence in Senate amendment.

The House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1435, a bill to be entitled An act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Elizabeth City and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Elizabeth City for a distance of one mile in all directions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1436, a bill to be entitled An act amending the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem fixing the time for the holding of general and primary elections for the election of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Winston-Salem.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1437, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the cost in Mayor's Court in the Town of Tabor City.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1438, a bill to be entitled An act to reenact Chapter 251 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to civil jurisdiction of the County Recorder's Court of Columbus County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 477, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the qualified voters of the Town of Clinton to determine whether alcoholic beverage control stores shall be established in said town and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits thereof.

Passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

Mr. Turner moves the vote by which the bill passed its third reading be reconsidered and that the motion be tabled; the motion prevails.

S. B. 530, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article XIII, Section 92 of the Charter of the City of Statesville, Session Laws 1947, Chapter 1002, Section 5.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 531, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning ordinances of the City of Statesville in Iredell County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 384, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 88 of the General Statutes relating to cosmetic art.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. B. 213, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the pensions of confederate veterans and to increase the funeral allowance for confederate pensioners.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 454, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing the Governor and Council of State to furnish Volumes 4A and 4B of the General Statutes of North Carolina to the Justices of the Supreme Court, the Judges and Solicitors of the Superior Court, the Supreme Court Library and other state officials and agencies.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 470, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the distribution of Supreme Court Reports and Session Laws.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Senate Committee Substitute for H. B. 505, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Subchapter 7 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

On motion of Mr. Dill the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Kerr offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Mr. Turner offers an amendment which is adopted.
Mr. Valentine moves the previous question, the motion prevails.

The question now recurs to the passage of the bill, as amended.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

H. B. 601, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the restoration, repair, and maintenance of historic properties.

Passes its second and third reading, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 655, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds for the acquisition and restoration of historic properties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 686, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 164-13 so as to authorize the General Statutes Commission to budget and expend funds made available for the commission.

On motion of Mr. Powe the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 807, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments at a certain State Historic Site.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 809, a bill to be entitled An act to require the inclusion, in the reports and recommendations of study commissions, information as to persons appearing before said commissions and material considered by said commissions during their study or in the preparation of their reports and recommendations.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 900, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating the sum of one thousand two hundred and thirty-three dollars ($1,233.00) to Mrs. Edna Bonham Keeler to compensate her for an error made as to her rating as a public school teacher.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 812, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 and General Statutes 135-18.2 so as to increase from $50 to $75 per month certain pensions paid certain retired teachers and minimum payments made to certain retired teachers and state employees, and to mak an appropriation therefor.
The committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 931, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate six thousand dollars ($6,000.00) to the Department of Conservation and Development for the purpose of replacing a walk at Lake Waccamaw in Columbus County.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 933, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 135-14 relating to pensions paid certain former teachers and state employees.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 992, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating $3,600 for additions and betterments at the House in the Horseshoe State Historic Site.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 938, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments at Town Creek Indian Mound State Historic Site in Montgomery County.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third reading, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1041, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation and expense allowance of Superior Court Judges.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1045, a bill to be entitled An act to rewrite General Statutes 7-456 relating to the salary of the Executive Secretary of the Judicial Council and as to the performance of such duties as may be assigned to him by the Chief Justice in addition to his duties as secretary to the council.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1082, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 106-99 relating to the inspection tax on feeding stuffs and tax tags.

Mr. Murphy moves that the bill do lie upon the table; the motion prevails, and the bill is tabled.
H. B. 1059, a bill to be entitled An act to provide aid to the Brevard Music Foundation, Incorporated.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. R. 1100, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making plans for the construction of a building to house the Executive and Legislative Branches of the Government.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1153, a bill to be entitled An act to make an appropriation to complete facilities at the State Office Building now under construction on the Old Soldier's Home property.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1159, a bill to be entitled An act to insure the perpetuation of the memory of Major General William C. Lee by the appropriation of forty thousand dollars to be used to aid in the erection of a suitable memorial to General Lee.

On motion of Mr. Venters the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1292, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes relating to pensions for certain public school superintendents and assistant superintendents.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1298, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 120-33 relating to the compensation of employees of the General Assembly.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1351, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500.00) from the Contingency and Emergency Fund for expenses incurred in a school bond case.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1386, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the creation of life insurance trusts.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
H. B. 1387, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the basis, for income tax purposes, of property acquired by gift held to be in contemplation of death.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 467, a bill to be entitled An act to permit a greater length of house trailers.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 491, a bill to be entitled An act to clarify the authority of the State Highway Commission to contract for engineering and like services.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Kiser the House takes a recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION
June 8, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

On motion of Mr. Henley, Judy Gregory, Marie Gregory, Shirley Gregory, Richard Gregory and Gerald Williams are made honorary pagettes and pages, respectively, of the House.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 8, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in the Senate amendment to H. B. 116 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial resonsibility of owners of motor vehicles," and request for a conference and the appointment of conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Rowe, Long and Currie, to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,
S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

SENATE CHAMBER
June 8, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in the Senate amendment to H. B. 216 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act amending
various Sections of Chapter 97 of the General Statutes relating to Workmen's Compensation," and request for a conference and the appointment of conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Hoyle and Rutledge, to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

SENATE CHAMBER

June 8, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in the Senate amendment to H. B. 619 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws," and request for a conference and the appointment of conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Jolly and Lanier, to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. RAY BYERLY, Principal Clerk

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. 947, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 163-145 relating to filling vacancies among candidates.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 762, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for tax rebates on fuels not used upon the highways.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Clark the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 789, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 101 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to names of persons.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.
REPORT 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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. B. 499, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the salaries and expense allowances of solicitors.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 501, a bill to be entitled An act to limit the time within which an action may be brought attacking a conveyance made by a married woman pursuant to a power of attorney.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 512, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, in his discretion, to accept a retrocession of jurisdiction over federal areas.

S. B. 513, a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Financial Responsibility Act so as to increase from two years to five years period for maintaining proof of financial responsibility.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 522, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-173 relating to joinder of issues in uncontested divorce actions.

With an unfavorable report.

S. R. 526, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the manner in which the Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina are selected and to make its report and recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Falls, for the Committee on Finance.

S. R. 528, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission to continue a study of the revenue structure of the state and to make its recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

With a favorable report.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 211, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 20 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to provide for payment of a subsistence allowance to members of the State Highway Patrol.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1410, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-127 so as to provide that a justice of the peace shall not regularly maintain an office outside the township for which he has been elected or appointed.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1432, a bill to be entitled An act to control and regulate the sale of beer and other malt beverages.

On motion of Mr. Quinn the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Philpott moves that the bill, as amended, be tabled; the motion prevails.

H. B. 1440, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 14-320 so as to provide that the Clerk of Superior Court as well as the County Superintendent of Public Welfare may consent to the separation of a child under six months of age from mother.

The bill fails to pass its second reading.

H. B. 1442, a joint resolution requesting the Committee of the North Carolina Bar Association on expediting and improving the administration of justice in North Carolina to make available to the 1959 General Assembly and report their recommendations with respect to the tenure, pay, work load and advisability of full-time Superior Court Solicitors.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1408, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 143-46 to exempt business managers of certain educational institutions from provisions of the State Personnel Act.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 66, a bill to be entitled An act relating to conveyances and mortgages of household and kitchen furniture.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the committee amendment is withdrawn.

Mr. Powe offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Falls moves that the bill as amended lie on the table; the motion prevails and the bill, as amended, is tabled.

S. B. 143, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes so as to validate certain conveyances between husband and wife.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 390, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize Raymond Vernon Wilson to file and prosecute his claim under the State Tort Claims Act for an injury received by him while a public school pupil in Gaston County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 528, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to continue a study of the revenue structure of the state and to make its recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 1433, a joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to continue a study of the revenue structure of the state and to make its recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Falls consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

H. R. 1434, a joint resolution creating a commission of the North Carolina General Assembly to study problems of municipal government and to report its findings and recommendations to the 1959 Session thereof.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 239, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 14-249 relating to the limit that may be expended for the purchase of motor vehicles by the State of North Carolina.

Mr. Hostetler offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

H. R. 1413, a joint resolution authorizing and directing the Secretary of State to have printed two thousand five hundred copies of the public school laws enacted by the General Assembly of 1957, and providing that the distribution thereof be under the direction of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 510, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-53 as the same applies to certifications to be made on foreign vehicles before registration in this state.

Mr. Falls offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

H. B. 1403, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-53 as the same applies to certifications to be made on foreign vehicles before registration in this state.

On motion of Mr. Snepp consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

S. B. 512, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, in his discretion, to accept a retrocession of jurisdiction over federal areas.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1411, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor, in his discretion, to accept a retrocession of jurisdiction over federal areas.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake the House adjourns and will meet Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, June 10, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of Saturday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Uzzell moves that S. B. 513, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend the Financial Responsibility Act so as to increase from two years to five years period for maintaining proof of financial responsibility" be taken from the unfavorable calendar and recommitted to Judiciary Committee; the motion fails.

On motion of Mr. Kerr, H. R. 1441, entitled "a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the racial status of certain citizens in Warren, Halifax and adjoining counties," is taken from the unfavorable calendar and placed on the Calendar.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 10, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in the Senate Amendment to H. B. 950, entitled "To prohibit the distribution of automobile registration plates by persons selling automobile insurance," and request for a conference and the appointment of conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the
Senate, Senators Whitmire, Cooke, and Lanier to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

SENATE CHAMBER
June 10, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent the House of Representatives requesting that you recall from the Enrolling Office H. B. 762, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to provide for tax rebates on fuels not used upon the highways," and request you reconsider the vote in which you concurred in the Senate Amendment and return the bill to the Senate for further consideration.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

The bill having been previously ratified, request of the Senate cannot be honored and the Senate is so notified.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

On motion of Mr. Shreve the rules are suspended for the purpose of introducing the following bill.

By Mr. Shreve:

H. B. 1451, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize boards of county commissioners to postpone reassessment.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

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. 1105, a bill to be entitled An act to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net proceeds from the operation of Alcoholic Beverage Control Stores in the event such stores shall be established in Lee County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wicker the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled,
H. B. 1106, a bill to be entitled An act to restrict the right of the qualified voters of Lee County to determine whether beer or wine shall be legally sold in said county.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wicker the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 529, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 380, Private Laws of 1915, as amended, so as to extend the corporate limits of the City of Sanford.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

REPORT 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. Venters, for the Committee on Appropriations.

H. B. 117, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-44 and General Statutes 7-45 fixing the compensation of the Solicitors of the various Solicitorial Districts of North Carolina and providing that Solicitors shall not be permitted to engage in the private practice of law while serving as such Solicitors.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 258, a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of J. Gordon Webster of Rockingham County for damage to his automobile incurred in an accident with a State Highway and Public Works Commission truck.

With an unfavorable report.

H. B. 1091, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Legislative Research Committee.

With a favorable report, as amended.

H. B. 1430, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operations and licensing of nursing homes, convalescent homes, boarding homes, and home for the aged and submitting recommendations with respect to a revision of the laws governing the licensing and supervision of such homes.

With a favorable report, as amended.

S. B. 133, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 to the Department of Archives and History to be used to aid in the acquisition of historic Bentonville Battleground in Johnston County.

With a favorable report.
S. B. 150, a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of William G. Jones of Stokes County for damage to his automobile incurred in an accident with a State Highway and Public Works Commission truck.

With an unfavorable report.

S. B. 179, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of $33,950.00 to the Charles B. Aycock Memorial Commission to be used for the acquisition of land and for the restoration of the Charles B. Aycock birthplace.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 209, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the North Carolina Stonewall Jackson Memorial Fund; to set forth the purpose for which such funds is to be established; to set up a board of trustees to administer the fund; to make an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars to said fund.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor and Council of State to allot from the Contingency and Emergency Fund the sum of not to exceed ten thousand dollars ($10,000.00) annually to the Southern Appalachian Historical Association under certain conditions.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 255, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds to the Garden Clubs of North Carolina, Incorporated, to be expended for certain needed equipment and maintenance of the Elizabethan Gardens in Dare County.

With a favorable report.

S. R. 257, a joint resolution providing an appropriation to cover the expenses incident to the Inaugural Ceremonies of Governor Luther H. Hodges and other state officials.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of forty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($42,500.00) to North Carolina State College to be expended in the establishment of a Department of Products Design in the School of Design.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 398, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments and for other purposes at the Governor Richard Caswell Memorial.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 468, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the allocation of funds appropriated for area vocational training schools.

With a favorable report.

The following conference report is submitted by the conferees on S. B. 9, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for the
maintenance of the state's departments, bureaus, institutions, and agencies and for other purposes.

CONFERENCE REPORT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
June 10, 1957

To the President of the Senate and the
Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The following conferees on the part of the Senate and the House, appointed to resolve the differences between the two bodies existing as to committee substitute for S. B. 9, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for the maintenance of the state's departments, bureaus, institutions, and agencies and for other purposes," beg leave to report that we have agreed as follows:

1. That the House amendment to Section 21 which adds at the end thereof a new paragraph to read: "The schedule of increases in this section shall not apply to public school employees" be adopted.

2. That the House amendment to Section 1 to change the figure "393,948" in line 74 thereof be "339,948" and by changing the figure "406,342" to "412,342" in line 74 thereof be adopted, it being the purpose of this amendment to provide the Department of Labor with funds for the employment of one Safety Inspector.

3. That the House recede from the amendment to line 311, page 17, and in lieu thereof adopt Sections 21⅜ and 21½ attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof.

It is further recommended that a committee substitute be adopted for S. B. 481 in order to provide for the retirement of bond anticipation notes in amounts not to exceed $5,000,000 at the end of each fiscal year, and further amend by providing for additional revenues to be collected in the sum of nine hundred sixty one thousand, five hundred dollars ($961,500.00) each year of the biennium in accordance with revised estimates of revenue on the basis of the Budget Revenue Bill as finally passed.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ J. William Copeland
Cutlar Moore
D. J. Rose
Conferees on the part of the Senate

/s/ John W. Umstead
George Uzzell
Cloyd Philpott
Allen Byrum
H. P. Taylor, Jr.
Conferees on the part of the House of Representatives
The following amendment is attached to the above conference report:

Sec. 21 1/4. There is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the State to the State Board of Education for the purpose of supplementing the salaries of public school academic and vocational teachers sums not to exceed one million one hundred eighty-eight thousand eight hundred and forty-two dollars ($1,188,842) for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958, and sums not to exceed one million two hundred nineteen thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars ($1,219,495) for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1959; the appropriations herein above provided are contingent and shall be paid at the end of each fiscal year only in the event that General Fund Revenues collected for each year shall equal or exceed the following sums:

Fiscal year 1957-58  $244,305,314
Fiscal year 1958-59  $252,089,614

If General Fund Revenues collected for the year 1957-58 exceed the sum of two hundred forty-four million three hundred and five thousand three hundred and fourteen dollars ($244,305,314), salary supplements shall be paid from such excess in amounts not to exceed one million one hundred eighty-eight thousand eight hundred and forty-two dollars ($1,188,842).

If General Fund Revenues collected for the year 1958-59 exceed the sum of two hundred fifty-two million eighty-nine thousand six hundred and fourteen dollars ($252,089,614), salary supplements shall be paid from such excess in amounts not to exceed one million two hundred nineteen thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars ($1,219,495).

The State Board of Education is hereby directed to pay the aforesaid supplemental salaries only to those academic and vocational teachers who are actively employed in the school system at the close of the regular school term ending prior to June 30, 1958, and June 30, 1959.

Sec. 21 1/2. Deductions shall not be made under the provisions of Chapter 135 of the General Statutes, “Teachers’ and State Employees’ Retirement System Act,” from that portion of salaries paid in accordance with Section 21 1/4 of this Act.

Mr. Umstead moves the adoption of the report.

On the motion of adoption, Mr. Turner calls for the “Ayes” and “Noes;” the call sustains.

The roll of the House is called and the report of the conferees is adopted by the following vote, and the Senate is so notified.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Mr. Speaker Doughton and Representatives Askew, Bell, Bowman, Buchanan, Burgess, Bynum, Byrum, Childers, Clark, Coates, Craig, Davis, Falls, Gaither, Gobble, Gregory, Griggs, Harris of Wake, Holmes, Hostetler, Hunt, Jones of Ashe, Jones of Pittman, Snepp, Speight, Talton, Taylor, Thomas of Johnston, Thompson, Pitt, Jordan, Kemp, Kerr, Maddrey, McKnight, Murphy, O’Neal, Philpott, Umstead, Uzzell, Venters, Wall, Wallace, Whitley, Williams of Pasquotank,
Woodard of Northampton, Woodard of Wilson, Yarborough of Cumberland, Yarborough of Franklin, and Zollicoffer—51.


The following pairs are announced: Mr. Hewlett votes "Aye," Mr. Johnson votes "No;" Mr. Love votes "No," Mr. Quinn votes "Aye;" Mr. Womble of Wake votes "No," Mr. Bost votes "Aye;" Mr. Shreve votes "No," Mr. Harriss of Rowan votes "Aye;" Mr. Womble of Forsyth votes "Aye," Mr. Crawford of Swain votes "No," Mr. Britt votes "No," and Mr. Hicks votes "Aye."

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER

June 10, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the Conference Report on S. B. 9, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to make appropriations for the maintenance of the State's departments, bureaus, institutions, and agencies and for other purposes," and having received a message that your Body has heretofore adopted a similar report, the bill is ordered enrolled.

Respectfully,

S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 517, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 1258 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to make the Sheriff's Department the custodian of the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund for the County of Northampton.

An amendment offered by Mr. Woodard of Northampton is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 506, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 7-127 so as to provide that a justice of the peace shall not regularly maintain an office outside the township for which he has been elected or appointed, pertaining only to Sampson County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 532, a bill to be entitled An act authorizing Davidson County Board of Education to subscribe for not more than ten thousand dollars of the capital stock of Pilot Waterline, Incorporated.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

Senate Committee Substitute for H. B. 1397, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 52, Session Laws of 1953, Chapter 339, Session Laws of 1945, Chapter 193, Session Laws of 1947, and Chapter 665, Session Laws of 1949 by changing the words "Gates County Recorder's Court" to "Gates County Criminal Court" wherever the same appears in said Acts.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1448, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the pay of the appointed members of the Jury Commission of Transylvania County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1449, a bill to be entitled An act to establish planning, zoning, building regulations, and subdivision regulations powers of the County of Cumberland for a described territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Fayetteville.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 293, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-104 by authorizing counties with more than 150,000 inhabitants to have an assistant judge and other additional officers.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1263, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 58-213 relating to exemption of the proceeds from group life insurance policies from liability for debts.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1305, a bill to be entitled An act to grant permission to G. D. Medlin T/A Medlin Electric Service to institute legal proceedings against the State of North Carolina and East Carolina Teachers College to litigate a controversy between G. D. Medlin and East Carolina Teachers College.

Mr. Jordan moves that the bill lie on the table; the motion prevails.

H. B. 1372, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 101-2 so as to permit the change of the name of a minor without the consent of a parent who has abandoned the minor.

Committee amendment is adopted.
Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1422, a bill to be entitled An act amending Article 12, Chapter 18, of the General Statutes by adding a new section thereto to require all manufacturers, brewers, bottlers, and other persons selling, soliciting orders for, delivering or distributing malt beverages for the purpose of resale to apply for and obtain permits from the State Board of Alcoholic Control.

On motion of Mr. Snepp the committee amendment is adopted.

Mr. Snepp offers an amendment which is adopted.

Mr. Kerr offers an amendment which fails of adoption.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1426, a bill to be entitled An act to improve the administrative provisions relating to utilization of surface waters of North Carolina for the purpose of irrigation.

On motion of Mr. Hunt the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 314, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal General Statutes 153-54 relating to prison bounds.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 322, a bill to be entitled An act amending and rewriting certain sections of Chapter 139 of the General Statutes relating to soil conservation districts.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 348, a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the discontinuance of school bus transportation by reason of the extension of the corporate limits of any municipality.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 151, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for instruction and training for trainable mentally handicapped children.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 373, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 496 of the Public Laws of 1909 relating to the Board of Trustees of the Daniel Boone Association.

On motion of Mr. Philpott the committee amendment is adopted.
Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 240, a bill to be entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor-boats and other craft on the waters of the Roanoke River between the Edens Ferry Landing and the Roanoke Rapids Dam in Halifax, Warren and Northampton Counties.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Kerr the vote by which the bill passed its third reading is reconsidered.

Mr. Kerr offers an amendment which is adopted.

The bill passes its third reading, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 401, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 15-197 relating to suspension of sentence in probation in criminal cases.

On motion of Mr. Thompson the bill is laid on the table.

S. B. 406, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the State Personnel Director and Council to classify and set the salary ranges for positions covered by the State Personnel Act; to clarify responsibility for setting the number of allowable positions in each state agency.

Mr. Jordan offers an amendment.

Mr. Clark moves the amendment be tabled; the motion prevails.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 407, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 45 of the General Statutes relating to mortgages held by insurance companies, banks, building and loan associations, or other lending institutions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 402, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 593 of the 1951 Session Laws, as amended by Chapter 1236 of the 1955 Session Laws, relating to the Tar River Port Commission.

Mr. Dill offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Hardy, 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. R. 1101. A Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operation
of motorboats on the waters of the state and to submit its recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

H. R. 1418. A Joint Resolution requesting the governor and the General Assembly to join in the sesquicentennial celebration of founding of the City of Greensboro.


S. R. 528. A Joint Resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission to continue a study of the revenue structure of the state and to make its recommendations to the 1959 General Assembly.

S. B. 63. An Act to amend the rules of the road provisions of the Motor Vehicle Law.

S. B. 143. An Act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes so as to validate certain conveyances between husband and wife.


S. B. 327. An Act to authorize cities and towns to make street improvements and to borrow money in anticipation of receipts of Powell Bill Funds to pay therefor.

S. B. 342. An Act to amend General Statutes 160-200 to provide that partially destroyed buildings and parts thereof be included under the terms of the Statute.


S. B. 384. An Act to amend Chapter 88 of the General Statutes relating to cosmetic art.

S. B. 390. An Act to authorize Raymond Vernon Wilson to file and prosecute his claim under the State Tort Claims Act for injury received by him while a public school pupil in Gaston County.

S. B. 419. An Act to provide for the revaluation and reassessment of real property in the Town of Blowing Rock.

S. B. 423. An Act to exempt small grain grown in North Carolina and stored in Iredell County from ad valorem taxation for the year following the year in which grown.

S. B. 452. An Act to prohibit the operation of junk yards within the corporate limits of any municipality in Northampton County.
S. B. 464. An Act amending General Statutes 7-70 so as to fix the terms of Superior Court to be held in Cabarrus County.

S. B. 467. An Act to permit a greater length of house trailers.

S. B. 477. An Act to authorize the qualified voters of the Town of Clinton to determine whether Alcoholic Beverage Control Stores shall be established in said town and to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net profits thereof.

S. B. 486. An Act to repeal Chapter 299 of the Public-Local Laws of 1913 relating to the salaries of certain officials in Person County so as to provide provisions of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes applicable to the administration of the public health laws in Durham County.

S. B. 487. An Act to amend S. B. 98, ratified the 22nd of April, 1957, relating to the salaries of certain official in Person County so as to provide for an increase in the permitted pay allowance of clerical assistants in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds.

S. B. 491. An Act to clarify the authority of the State Highway Commission to contract for engineering and like services.

S. B. 492. An Act to validate the assessment, levying and collection of taxes in the Town of Colerain in Bertie County for the years 1950 to 1956, inclusive.

S. B. 493. An Act to repeal Chapter 6 of the Public-Local Laws of 1935 and to fix the amount of bond of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County in accordance with the provisions of General Statutes 2-3.

S. B. 496. An Act authorizing creation of a City Administrative School Unit in Rockingham County to be known as West Rockingham Cities Administrative Unit, subject to a referendum vote of the people in areas affected.

S. B. 505. An Act amending Chapter 98, Public-Local Laws of 1941, as amended by Chapter 601, Session Laws of 1943 so as to authorize the Greensboro-High Point Airport Authority to operate airports jointly with adjoining counties or the municipalities therein.

S. B. 507. An Act to authorize the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for the Recorder's Court of the District of Denton in Davidson County, and to provide for his compensation.

S. B. 508. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Johnston County to appropriate funds to the Department of Archives and History to be used to aid in the acquisition and restoration of the site of the Battle of Bentonville.

S. B. 511. An Act to prescribe certain zoning regulations for the Town of Robersonville in Martin County.

S. B. 512. An Act to authorize the Governor, in his discretion, to accept a retrocession of jurisdiction over federal areas.
S. B. 515. An Act to amend Chapter 580 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to fees to be charged by the Sheriff and Constables of Rockingham County so as to make the same applicable to fees to be charged by municipal police officers of said county.

S. B. 516. An Act to amend Chapter 933 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the fire department tax in Martin County.

S. B. 518. An Act to increase the fees paid for the seizure of distilleries in Northampton County.

S. B. 519. An Act to extend the authority of police officers of the Town of Gaston in Northampton County one mile beyond the corporate limits of said town.

S. B. 520. An Act to regulate the operation of "juke boxes" in Northampton County.

S. B. 521. An Act to provide better library and court facilities in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

S. B. 524. An Act amending General Statutes 115-72 as it relates to Polk County so as to provide that the election of a principal by the district school committee upon recommendation of the county superintendent shall be final.

S. B. 527. An Act amending General Statutes 63-53 so as to authorize the Laurinburg-Maxton Airport Commission, subject to the authorization of the governing bodies of the City of Laurinburg and the Town of Maxton, to lease any part of the Laurinburg-Maxton Airport real property, to construct buildings for rental purposes and to borrow money and pledge or assign such leases as collateral security therefor.


S. B. 531. An Act to amend General Statutes 160-173 relating to zoning ordinances of the City of Statesville in Iredell County.

H. B. 25. An Act to amend General Statutes 151-7 relating to the powers and duties of township constables.

H. B. 47. An Act to amend Article 5 of General Statutes Chapter 72 relating to the sanitation of establishments providing food and lodging.

H. B. 111. An Act to provide that farmer license plates be issued on a quarterly fee basis applicable to other vehicles.

H. B. 199. An Act relating to the better security of land titles and to the probate and registration of instruments purporting to pass titles in Burke County, North Carolina.

H. B. 203. An Act to amend Chapter 97 of the General Statutes so as to increase to thirty-five dollars the maximum weekly compensation payable under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

H. B. 263. An Act to provide for the furnishing of certain information by well drillers to the Department of Conservation and Development.
H. B. 286. An Act to amend Article 3A of Chapter 69 of the General Statutes relating to rural fire protection districts.

H. B. 325. An Act to amend General Statutes 115-78 relating to the budget for capital outlay school funds.


H. B. 341. An Act to provide for payment to Hyde County by the State of North Carolina a pro rata percentage of the proceeds of the gross sales of timber sold by the Wildlife Resources Commission from certain lands in said county.

H. B. 360. An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 410 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Person County Criminal Court.

H. B. 397. An Act to provide for the exclusion from gross income amounts received from retirement systems of other states by former teachers or state employees of such states.

H. B. 416. An Act relative to fee for issuance of motor vehicle operator's license so as to provide for additional licensing services and facilities.

H. B. 424. An Act to amend Article 36 of Chapter 105 of the General Statutes to provide for refunds of taxes paid by counties and municipalities on fuels purchased.

H. B. 505. An Act to amend Subchapter 7 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes relating to obscene literature.

H. B. 599. An Act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Hoke County.

H. B. 672. An Act to amend General Statutes 52-12(A) relating to contracts of wife with husband so as to remove therefrom the words relating to personal property and to specifically include therein separation agreements and to amend General Statutes 47-39 so as to include a provision regarding private examination in the acknowledgment.

H. B. 692. An Act to provide for the nomination and election of members of the Board of Education of Polk County.

H. B. 716. An Act to amend General Statutes 20-38 so as to classify as special mobile equipment trucks on which special equipment has been mounted and used by Shrine Temples for parade purposes.

H. B. 756. An Act to amend Chapter 122 of the General Statutes relating to the mentally disordered and Chapter 35 of the General Statutes relating to persons with mental diseases and incompetents.

H. B. 857. An Act to submit to the voters of Burke County the question of whether the Board of Commissioners of Burke County shall be elected for staggered four-year terms.

H. B. 759. An Act to amend the Turlington Act, Article 1, Chapter 18, as found in the General Statutes of North Carolina so as to include equipment or materials designed or intended for use in the manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

H. B. 762. An Act to provide for tax rebates on fuel not used upon the highways.

H. B. 884. An Act to provide for the administration of a student loan fund for teacher education, to be known as the Scholarship Loan Fund for prospective teachers.

H. B. 887. An Act amending Article 10, Chapter 130 of the General Statutes so as to make it unlawful to trespass upon the watershed area of an unfiltered public water supply.

H. B. 893. An Act relating to election petitions one year after the date of issuance and to prohibit the holding thereafter of elections based upon such petitions.


H. B. 936. An Act to require that manufacturers of household cleaners which contain volatile substances capable of producing taxic effect shall label such cleaners with a warning as to their contents and with directions as to their safe use.


H. B. 954. An Act to amend Article 4C of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes relating to structural pest control.

H. B. 965. An Act to license importers of beer and wine.

H. B. 972. An Act to fix the compensation of certain officials of Franklin County.

H. B. 995. An Act to amend General Statutes 131-54 relating to admission of indigent patients to state sanatoria for tuberculosis.

H. B. 1002. An Act to authorize the creation of mosquito control districts and to define their powers and duties.

H. B. 1022. An Act amending Article 17, Chapter 28, of the General Statutes so as to authorize a special proceeding against the unknown heirs or next of kin, if any, of a decedent before the distribution of the assets of the estate of such decedent.

H. B. 1034. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-250 so as to authorize the marking of county-owned vehicles with the county seal.
H. B. 1056. An Act amending Article 6 of Chapter 130 of the General Statutes to authorize any sanitary district upon entering into a contract with a city or town to which all of such district shall be annexed to transfer and convey to a nonprofit and nonstock corporation, organized under Chapter 55 or other applicable chapters of the General Statutes of North Carolina for recreational purposes, and providing for the continuance in office of members of a sanitary district board and defining the duties of such board when the area included within the limits of a sanitary district are annexed to an incorporated city or town.

H. B. 1072. An Act providing that appropriations made to the North Carolina Cancer Institute shall be paid quarterly.

H. B. 1081. An Act establishing a revolving fund for the construction of self-liquidating college facilities.

H. B. 1085. An Act to amend General Statutes 105-414 so as to authorize service by publication in tax foreclosure suits on persons who can not be found and whose names and addresses are unknown.

H. B. 1099. An Act to authorize the governing bodies of the County of Wake, the City of Raleigh, the County of Durham and the City of Durham, with the approval of the Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority, to convey at private sale certain lands and easements over lands in exchange for property owned by the State of North Carolina in the vicinity of the William B. Umstead State Park.


H. B. 1126. An Act to define and impose a license tax on itinerant photographers and their agents and employees.


H. B. 1134. An Act to re-enact Chapter 279, Public-Local Laws of 1937, relating to the creation of school districts, the issuance of school building bonds and notes in behalf of school districts or special bond tax units and the levy of taxes within such districts or units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder, and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.

H. B. 1143. An Act to amend Chapter 52 of the General Statutes relating to the effect of a decree of absolute divorce on a certificate of acknowledgment failing to comply with General Statutes 52-12.

H. B. 1150. An Act to amend General Statutes 51-6 relating to the issuance of marriage licenses.
H. B. 1152. An Act to amend Section 105-392 of the General Statutes relative to the method of notifying a taxpayer in foreclosure proceeding.

H. B. 1169. An Act to amend General Statutes 163-91 relating to the proclamation of result of general elections.

H. B. 1171. An Act to amend General Statutes 163-151 relating to the names of candidates on ballots used in primary or general elections.

H. B. 1173. An Act to provide for the safety and security of county prisoners.

H. B. 1174. An Act to provide for the calling of an election for the purpose of determining whether or not beer or wine may be sold in Croatan Township in Dare County.

H. B. 1182. An Act to eliminate duplication of effort in the water pollution control programs of the state.

H. B. 1183. An Act to re-enact Chapter 559, Public-Local Laws of 1935, relating to the issuance of school building bonds in behalf of school districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such districts and units for the payment of the principal an dinterest of such bonds, and all amendments thereto, and to ratify, approve, confirm and validate all proceedings taken thereunder and all bonds issued and all taxes levied and collected pursuant thereto.


H. B. 1208. An Act amending General Statutes 47-95 relative to acknowledgments taken by notaries interested as trustee or holding other office.

H. B. 1217. An Act to amend certain sections of Article 14, Chapter 115, of the General Statutes relating to special local tax elections for school purposes.

H. B. 1223. An Act amending General Statutes 130-37 so as to provide for the appointment of members of sanitary district boards in the event no member thereof were elected at the general election in November, 1956.

H. B. 1225. An Act to amend Section 30.2 of Chapter 108 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to liens upon the real property of a recipient of old age assistance.

H. B. 1226. An Act to amend Chapter 280 of the Public-Local Laws of 1917 relating to trials by jury in the Recorder’s Court of Middle Creek Township in Wake County.


H. B. 1244. An Act to regulate the issuance of licenses for the retail sale of beer and wine in Jacksonville.
H. B. 1247. An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Private Laws of 1905 so as to increase the tax rate limitation for the Town of Salemburg.

H. B. 1250. An Act to amend Chapter 917 of the Session Laws of 1955 relating to the election of the Judge and Solicitors of the Municipal-County Court of Guilford County.

H. B. 1254. An Act to create a bird sanctuary in the Town of Hope Mills in Cumberland County.

H. B. 1264. An Act relating to the amassing of funds with which to erect a new courthouse for Harnett County or to improve the existing courthouse of said county.


H. B. 1268. An Act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Salemburg in Sampson County.

H. B. 1269. An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Northampton County to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Northampton County.

H. B. 1270. An Act repealing Chapter 243 of the Public-Local Laws of 1941 and regulating the demand for jury trials in criminal cases in the Recorder's Court of Granville County.

H. B. 1284. An Act to fix the fees of Justices of the Peace in Halifax County.

H. B. 1288. An Act to authorize the employment of a plumbing inspector in Granville County.

H. B. 1289. An Act to authorize and empower the City of Burlington to make certain local improvements and prescribing the procedure therefor and for the assessment of all or a part of the cost thereof.

H. B. 1297. An Act to incorporate the Town of Harkers Island in Carteret County.

H. B. 1309. An Act to increase the corporate limits of the Town of Princeton.

H. B. 1316. An Act to amend Chapter 1160 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the filing of papers by Clerks of the Superior Courts so as to make said chapter applicable to Alamance County.


H. B. 1318. An Act to provide for the establishment of a dike and levee districts in Hyde County.

H. B. 1320. An Act to regulate and license the peddling and sale of college or university scholastic colors, emblems, and other like articles in athletic contests in Durham County.
H. B. 1321. An Act to amend Chapter 984 of the Session Laws of 1953 to authorize employment of a plumbing inspector in the unincorporated areas of Durham County.

H. B. 1327. An Act to amend Chapter 279 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the salaries of the County Commissioners of Bertie County.

H. B. 1329. An Act relating to the practice of fortunetelling in Moore County.

H. B. 1331. An Act to amend Chapter 400, 1945 Session Laws, relating to the administration of certain estates by the Clerk of Superior Court of Forsyth County so as to provide for the administration thereof when same does not exceed the value of two thousand dollars.

H. B. 1337. An Act to revise and consolidate the Charter of the Town of Mayodan, North Carolina.

H. B. 1338. An Act to permit the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County to employ additional law enforcement officers and to make appropriations for such purposes.

H. B. 1342. An Act relating to the operation of privately-owned cemeteries in Buncombe County.

H. B. 1354. An Act to fix the fees of Justices of the Peace in criminal actions in Northampton County.

H. B. 1356. An Act to incorporate the Town of Danbury in Stokes County.

H. B. 1358. An Act to authorize an election in Lee County upon the question of the election of members of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Lee for terms of two years each.

H. B. 1362. An Act to amend Chapter 1144 of the Session Laws of 1955 so as to permit an increase in the salary of the Treasurer of Cabarrus County.

H. B. 1369. An Act amending Chapter 1028, Session Laws of 1949, and fixing certain fees to be charged by the Register of Deeds of Wilson County.

H. B. 1371. An Act to amend Chapter 1303 of the Session Laws of 1953 authorizing county commissioners to fix fees of county officers so as to make the same applicable to Onslow County.

H. B. 1375. An Act to authorize the Boards of Commissioners of Bertie and Hertford Counties to levy a tax to raise funds to be used for attracting and bringing new industry to Bertie and Hertford Counties.

H. B. 1376. An Act relating to the bonds required of certain Justices of the Peace of Durham County.

H. B. 1377. An Act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Currituck County.
H. B. 1378. An Act to amend Chapter 1198 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the collection of advance costs by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County.

H. B. 1380. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in the Town of Whitakers, in Nash and Edgecombe Counties, for municipal tax purposes.

H. B. 1381. An Act to fix the compensation of the Mayor and members of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Whitakers, Nash and Edgecombe Counties, North Carolina.

H. B. 1382. An Act to fix the salaries of certain officials of the Town of Coats.

H. B. 1384. An Act to amend Chapter 897 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the Law Enforcement Officers' Relief Fund in Bertie County.

H. B. 1385. An Act to direct the Board of County Commissioners of Durham County and the City Council of the City of Durham to appoint a commission to study the joint functions of the county and city and the sources of income therefrom.

H. B. 1389. An Act to confirm and validate the appointment of drainage commissioners of Pitt County Drainage District No. 2.

H. B. 1391. An Act to provide for an election to be held in Onslow County on the question of the adoption of daylight saving time.

H. B. 1392. An Act to authorize the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Windsor to purchase a cemetery lot and dispose of certain unused land.

H. B. 1393. An Act to fix the salary of the Commissioners of the Town of Windsor.

H. B. 1394. An Act relating to the nomination and election of the members of Boards of Education and County Commissioners of Bertie County.

H. B. 1395. An Act to extend the time for making the quadrennial revaluation and reassessment of real property in Warren County.


H. B. 1398. An Act relating to the salaries of the Mayor of Lexington, the members of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Lexington, and the members of the Lexington Utility Commission.

H. B. 1400. An Act to amend General Statutes 1-589 and General Statutes 8-59 so as to provide for the service of subpoenas and summonses for jurors by the use of certified or double postal cards in Cumberland County.

H. B. 1402. An Act amending Chapter 46, Public Laws of 1917, now codified as General Statutes 66-10, relating to keeping records of the
purchases of brass, copper, et cetera, so as to make said Act applicable to Buncombe County.

H. B. 1404. An Act to provide for a Chairman of the City Council of Whiteville and to prescribe his duties.

H. B. 1405. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Wayne County to regulate the speed and parking of vehicles in areas located outside the corporate limits of municipalities in Wayne County.

H. B. 1406. An Act to amend Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1951 relating to the appointment of salaried deputy sheriffs in Northampton County.

H. B. 1407. An Act amending Chapter 520 of the Public-Local Laws, 1937 Session, and to repeal Chapter 611, Public-Local Laws 1949 Session, relating to the office of the official court reporter so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners for the County of Forsyth to fix and determine the cost of typewritten transcripts to be furnished by the official court reporter for Forsyth County.

H. B. 1414. An Act to authorize in Bertie County, subject to an election thereon, exemption from ad valorem taxation of the place of residence of the owner of real property, such exemption not to exceed $1,000 in value of property.

H. B. 1416. An Act to amend H. B. 579 of the 1957 Session and to make the revaluation and reassessment of property in Bertie County for ad valorem tax purposes effective either the 1st day of January, 1958, or the 1st day of January, 1959, in discretion of the Board of County Commissioners.

H. B. 1417. An Act to amend Chapter 669, 1951 Session Laws relating to fees, costs and commissions to be charged and collected by the clerk of the Superior Court.


H. B. 1424. An Act amending H. B. 922, ratified the 4th of June, 1957, which amends General Statutes 18-45(0) so as to allow county and municipal boards of alcoholic control to expend funds for the rehabilitation of alcoholics.

H. B. 1428. An Act to provide nine hundred dollars ($900.00) per year for clerical assistance for the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court of Alleghany County.

H. B. 1429. An Act to authorize the City Council of the City of Durham to define, provide, and rearrange the voting wards in the City of Durham.

H. B. 1431. An Act to fill a vacancy in the Board of Education of Jones County created by the resignation of a member thereof.
H. B. 1447. An Act to amend H. B. 587, as ratified on June 5, 1957, for the purpose of inserting the correct tables relating to the payment of benefits to replace certain erroneous tables having been inadvertently inserted in the Act.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan the House take a recess until 8 o’clock tonight.

**NIGHT SESSION**

June 10, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, Fran Ledbetter of Montgomery County is made an honorary pagette of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Robert Stevens Freeman and Gregory Dennis of Wake County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, Joseph Ralph Fowler, young son of Representative and Mrs. Joseph Fowler of Surry County, is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

The conferees on H. B. 116, entitled “a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles,” submit the following report.

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

June 10, 1957

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

The following conferees on the part of the Senate and the House, appointed to resolve the differences between the two bodies existing as to H. B. 116, entitled “a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles,” beg leave to report that we have agreed as follows:

1. That the House adopt Senate amendment as provided in Section 1 and Section 11, line 1.
2. That the House recede from its position by deleting lines 7 through 11 of Section 11.
3. That the House adopt the Senate amendment 10.1, as amended, with the provision that no part of the said appropriation shall be used to employ any additional uniformed highway patrolmen.
4. That the Senate recede from its position by changing Section 10.2 to read "one hundred thousand ($100,000.00) dollars" in lieu of the words and figures "two hundred thousand ($200,000.00) dollars."

/s/ Walter Jones  
Carroll R. Holmes  
Joseph M. Hunt, Jr.  
Thomas H. Woodard

Conferees on the part of the House of Representatives

/s/ Roy Rowe  
Richard Long  
Claude Currie

Conferees on the part of the Senate

Mr. Jones of Pitt moves the adoption of the conference report.

On the adoption of the report Mr. Kerr calls for the "Ayes" and "Noes."

Mr. Jones of Pitt calls the previous question.

Mr. Uzzell moves that the conference report be tabled; the motion fails.

The question now recurs to the motion offered by Mr. Kerr for the "Ayes" and "Noes;" the call sustains.

The roll of the House is called and the conference report is adopted by the following vote:


Those voting in the negative are: Representatives Anderson, Arledge, Bost, Brinkley, Brock, Buchanan, Burleson ,Byrum, Childers, Craig, Davis, Falls, Floyd of Columbus, Fowler, Gaither, Gavin, Harris of Wake, Holcombe, Hostetler, Jones of Ashe, Jordan, Kerr, Kiser, Martin, Murphy, Pittman, Quinn, Snepp, Taylor, Thompson, Turner, Uzzell, Vann, Wallace, Watkins, White, Whitley, Wilson of Union, Womble of Forsyth Womble of Wake, and Zollicoffer—41.

The following pair is announced: Mr. Hardy votes "Aye," and Mr. Wall votes "No."

Those voting present are: Representatives Hill, Maddrey, Venters, and Yarborough of Cumberland—4.
SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 10, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on H. B. 116, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to encourage and promote financial responsibility of owners of motor vehicles," to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, you may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message the House having adopted a similar report the bill is ordered enrolled.

CONFERENCE REPORT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
June 7, 1957

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

The following conferees on the part of the Senate and the House, appointed to resolve the differences between the two bodies existing as to H. B. 760, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked," beg leave to report that we have agreed as follows:

1. That the Senate amendment to Section 1 of the bill be adopted, with the further amendment, however, that the words "and solicitor" be added following the word "court" and before the word "wherein" in the second sentence of Section (a).

/s/ George Uzzell
H. P. Taylor, Jr.
Conferees on the part of the House of Representatives
Edward L. Owens
Carlyle J. Rutledge
Conferees on the part of the Senate

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the conference report is adopted.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 10, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on
S. B. 123, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act amending Section 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving," to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, we may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

CONFERENCE REPORT

House of Representatives
June 8, 1957

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

The following conferees on the part of the Senate and House, appointed to resolve differences between the two bodies existing as to S. B. 123, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act amending Sections 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving," beg to report that we have agreed as follows:

1. That the Senate recede from its position in failing to adopt the House amendment.

2. That the Senate adopt the House amendment.

/s/ Calvin Graves
N. E. Aydlett
Conferees on the part of the Senate

/s/ Thomas J. White
George W. Craig
H. Smith Williams
Conferees on the part of the House of Representatives

On motion of Mr. White the conference report is adopted and the Senate is so notified.

CONFERENCE REPORT

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

Your conference committee appointed on Committee Substitute for H. B. 619, entitled "a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws," have carefully considered the differences existing between the two bodies and respectfully recommend as follows:

1. That the Senate recede in its amendments reading as follows:

"AMEND by deleting from line 53 of page 3 of the printed bill the second, third and fourth words which read as follows; 'has operated or'" and
“FURTHER AMEND by inserting after the word ‘discover’ in line 52 of page 3 of the printed bill the following: ‘or after the fact has been judically determined in a court of competent jurisdiction.’

2. That the House concur in the other Senate amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Wilbur M. Jolly
John G. Dawson
Conferees for the Senate

/s/ Frank W. Snepp
Edward F. Yarborough
A. A. Zollicoffer, Jr.
Conferees for the House

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Franklin the conference report is adopted.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 10, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on H. B. 619, entitled “a bill to be entitled An act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws,” to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, you may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message the House having adopted a similar report the bill is ordered enrolled.

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. 525, a bill to be entitled An act to repeal all exemptions for tangible personal property whether public, public-local, or private.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1390, a bill to be entitled An act to fix the compensation of the Chairman and members of the Board of County Commissioners of Cumberland County.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough of Cumberland the House fails to concur in the Senate amendment.
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. Holmes, for the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

S. B. 529, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 380, Private Laws of 1915, as amended, so as to extend the corporate limits of the City of Sanford.

With a favorable report.

By Mr. Thompson, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1451, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize boards of county commissioners to postpone reassessment.

With a favorable report.

S. B. 457, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1104, Session Laws of 1955, now codified as General Statutes 163-175 (6).

With a favorable report.

**CALENDAR**

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 1091, a bill to be entitled An act establishing a Legislative Research Committee.

On motion of Mr. Clark the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1365, a bill to be entitled An act providing for the biennial meetings of the General Assembly on the second Wednesday after the first Monday in January next after their election.

Mr. Clark offers an amendment.

Mr. Wall moves that the bill and amendment be tabled; the motion fails.

Mr. Arledge moves the amendment be tabled; the motion fails. motion prevails and the amendment is tabled.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

Mr. Kerr moves the vote by which the bill passed its third reading be reconsidered and that this motion do lie upon the table; the motion prevails.

S. B. 133, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 to the Department of Archives and History to be used to aid in the acquisition of historic Bentonville Battleground in Johnston County.
Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 179, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of $33,950.00 to the Charles B. Aycock Memorial Commission to be used for the acquisition of land and for the restoration of the Charles B. Aycock birthplace.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 209, a bill to be entitled An act to establish the North Carolina Stonewall Jackson Memorial Fund; to set forth the purpose for which such fund is to be established; to set up a board of trustees to administer the fund; to make an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars to said fund.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 218, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the Governor and Council of State to allot from the Contingency and Emergency Fund the sum of not to exceed ten thousand dollars ($10,000.00) annually to the Southern Appalachian Historical Association under certain conditions.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 255, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate funds to the Garden Clubs of North Carolina, Incorporated, to be expended for certain needed equipment and maintenance of the Elizabethan Garden in Dare County.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 257, a joint resolution providing an appropriation to cover the expenses incident to the inaugural ceremonies of Governor Luther H. Hodges and other state officials.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 360, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate the sum of forty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($42,500.00) to North Carolina State College to be expended in the establishment of a Department of Products Design in the School of Design.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 398, a bill to be entitled An act appropriating funds for additions and betterments and for other purposes at the Governor Richard Caswell Memorial.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 437, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for voluntary inspection of meat, meat products, and meat by-products.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 442, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 15-199 relating to conditions of probation.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 445, a bill to be entitled An act to require justices of the peace to furnish bond for the faithful performance of their duties.

On motion of Mr. Valentine the committee amendments are adopted.

Mr. Harris of Wake offers an amendment which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

S. B. 490, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to county tuberculosis hospitals.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 465, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Article 50 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes of North Carolina by rewriting Section 106-550.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 447, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 106-284.9 relating to the sale of irish potatoes and sweet potatoes and parts thereof offered for the purpose of propagation.

On motion of Mr. Murphy the committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, June 11, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

Mr. Powell moves that H. B. 258 entitled, “a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of J. Gordon Webster of Rockingham County for damage to his automobile incurred in an accident with a State Highway and Public Works Commission truck,” be taken from the Unfavorable Calendar and placed on the Calendar; the motion fails.

Mr. Powell moves that S. B. 150 entitled, “ a bill to be entitled An act for the relief of William G. Jones of Stokes County for damage to his automobile incurred in an accident with a State Highway and Public Works
Commission truck," be taken from the Unfavorable Calendar and placed on the Calendar; the motion fails.

On motion of Mr. Bowman, Jeannette Harris King, Jane Carolyn Styron and Jean Susan Styron of Brunswick County are made honorary pageettes of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. White, the following boys and girls are made honorary pages and pageettes of the House: Cary Horner White, Bonnie Lillian Hewett White, Edith White MacKinnon, Howard A. MacKinnon, Jr., Cary C. White, Jr., Chalmers Hilton White, Chasley Lanier White, Mary Isabelle VanWagner, Charles A. VanWagner, John Wilson MacConnell, II, and Thomas Jackson MacConnell of Mecklenburg County; Nancy Grainer Moseley, John W. Moseley, III, and John T. B. Jenkins, Jr. of Lenoir County; Sarah Elizabeth Borden and Paul Clifford Borden of Wayne County.

REPORT 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. Clark, for the Committee on State Government.

S. B. 392, a bill to be entitled An act regulating occupational licensing boards.

With a favorable report, as amended.

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:

H. B. 589, a bill to be entitled An act to prevent the forced withdrawal of state funds from official depositories of this state, when the rate of return on U. S. Government securities exceeds the rate which official depositories are allowed to pay.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Whitley the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1125, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize counties to enact ordinances regulating public recreations, amusements and entertainments, and to define, prohibit, abate, or suppress things detrimental to the health, morals, safety, convenience and welfare of the people in areas within the county outside an incorporated municipality.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Holmes the House fails to concur in the Senate amendment.
H. B. 1298, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 120-33 relating to the compensation of employees of the General Assembly.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Venters 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:

AMENDMENT TO RULE #54
ADD AT END OF RULE #54

If any action of finality of consideration is taken on any bill by a committee not specifically required to be reported, such action must be reported and a minority report thereon is privileged as under Rule 71, and, if adopted, the bill shall take its place on the favorable calendar for consideration.

The amendment fails of adoption.

S. B. 529, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 380, Private Laws of 1915, as amended, so as to extend the corporate limits of the City of Sanford.

Passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

S. B. 466, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 1-568.4 (e) relating to pretrial examination of witnesses in civil actions in the Superior Court.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.
S. B. 468, a bill to be entitled An act to provide for the allocation of funds appropriated for area vocational training schools.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 472, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 122-39 relating to the care and treatment of former residents of this state in the state mental hospitals.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 481, a bill to be entitled An act to appropriate certain surplus revenues collected during the fiscal year 1957-58 to pay bond anticipation notes issued pursuant to the State Capital Improvement Bond Act of 1957.

Mr. Venters offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

S. B. 499, a bill to be entitled An act to increase the salaries and expense allowances of solicitors.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. R. 526, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the manner in which the Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina are selected and to make its report and recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 502, a bill to be entitled An act to amend H. B. 879, ratified the 30th day of May, 1957, relating to the appointment of justices of the peace.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 457, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 1104, Session Laws of 1955, now codified as General Statutes 163-175(6).

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 448, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-70 relating to the terms of Superior Court of the several counties of the State.

Mr. Buchanan offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Thompson offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Mr. Venters offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments.

H. R. 1420, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operations and licensing of nursing homes, convalescent homes, boarding homes
and homes for the aged and submitting recommendations with respect to a revision of the laws governing the licensing and supervision of such homes.

On motion of Mr. Shreve the Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

H. B. 1451, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize boards of county commissioners to postpone reassessment.

Mr. Harris of Wake offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.

S. B. 392, a bill to be entitled An act regulating occupational licensing boards.

The Committee amendment is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

On motion of Mr. Kiser the House takes a recess until 2:00 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

June 11, 1957

The House meets pursuant to its recess and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett, S. B. 476 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act relating to the game of Bingo in the Town of White Lake in Bladen County", is taken from the Unfavorable Calendar and placed on the Calendar; the motion prevails.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bills and resolutions are introduced, read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Uzzell:

H. R. 1452, a joint resolution by the General Assembly providing for adjournment on Wednesday, June 12, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the rules are suspended and the resolution placed on its immediate passage.

Passes first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the Senate without engrossment.
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. 233, a bill to be entitled An act to amend General Statutes 7-104 by authorizing counties with more than 150,000 inhabitants to have an assistant judge and other additional officers.

Returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Hunt the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 90, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Weldon to regulate or prohibit the sale of beer and wine between the hours of seven P. M. on each Saturday and seven A. M. on the following Monday.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 1449, a bill to be entitled An act to establish planning, zoning, building regulations, and subdivision regulations powers of the County of Cumberland for a described territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Fayetteville.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Yarborough the House fails to concur in the Senate amendments and requests conferees.

Mr. Speaker Doughton appoints as conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. Yarborough of Cumberland, Kemp and Hicks and the Senate is so notified.

H. B. 1367, a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 7 of the General Statutes by inserting a new article immediately following Article 31 to be designated as Article 31A.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Hewlett the House concurs in the Senate amendments and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. R. 1374, a joint resolution requesting the Board of Conservation and Development to emphasize the slogan “Year Around Mid-South” in advertising the State of North Carolina.

Returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Hunt the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1451, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize boards of county commissioners to postpone reassessment.

Returned for concurrence in Senate amendment.
On motion of Mr. Shreve the House concurs in Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H. B. 1364, a bill to be entitled An act amending General Statutes 18-78 so as to give the State Board of Alcoholic Control the authority to approve the contents of malt beverage products to be sold in this state.

Returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

On motion of Mr. Hardy the House concurs in the Senate amendment and the bill is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 534, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the effective date of the Firemen's Pension Fund Act.

On motion of Mr. Jordan the rules are suspended and the bill placed on its immediate passage.

Passed first reading.

Rules suspended.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

REPORT 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. Hewlett, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

S. R. 20, a bill to be entitled An act to authorize the governing board of the Town of Weldon to regulate or prohibit the sale of beer and wine between the hours of seven P. M. on each Saturday and seven A. M. on the following Monday.

With an unfavorable report.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 11, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your notice that the House failed to concur in the Senate Amendment to H. B. No. 1449 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to establish planning, zoning, building regulations, and subdivision regulations powers of the County of Cumberland for a described territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Fayetteville," and request for a conference and the appointment of conferees on the part of the House, the President has appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate, Senators Carroll and Crew, to the end that the differences existing between the two Houses may be adjusted.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk
CONFERENCE REPORT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
June 11, 1957

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

Your Conference Committee appointed on House Bill 216 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act amending various sections of Chapter 97 of the General Statutes relating to Workmen's Compensation" have carefully considered the differences existing between the two bodies and respectfully recommend as follows:

1. That the Senate recede in its amendment reading as follows:

"Amend by striking out Section 5 of said bill entirely and by changing the subsequent numbers of the subsequent sections appropriately."

2. And amend Section 5 of said bill as follows:

"Further amend Section 5 by striking out the words "two years" in line 2 and 3 of subsection (2) of General Statutes 97-24 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "eighteen months."

/s/ Thomas J. White
Dwight W. Quinn
I. C. Crawford
Conferees on the part of the House of Representatives

/s/ J. Carlyle Rutledge
J. W. Hoyle
Conferees on the part of the Senate

On motion of Mr. Crawford of Buncombe the Conference Report is adopted.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
June 11, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on H. B. 216 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act amending various sections of Chapter 97 of the General Statutes relating to Workmen's Compensation," to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, you may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message, the House having adopted a similar report, the bill is ordered enrolled.
CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 476, a bill to be entitled An act relating to the game of Bingo in the Town of White Lake in Bladen County.

Mr. Hewlett offers an amendment, which is adopted.

Passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

On motion of Mr. Uzzell the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 10:30 A. M.

ONE HUNDRED NINTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, June 12, 1937

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Gregory the following boys and girls from Harnett County are made honorary pagettes and pages, respectively, of the House: Annette Adcox, Patricia Turlington, Rosemary Adair, Ann Adair, Wyman Autry, Bill Woodall, Tony Woodali and George Woodail.

On motion of Mr. Taiton, Nan and Lynn Lancaster of Wayne County are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House.

On motion of Mr. Wall, Robert and Joseph Wilson of McDowell County are made honorary pages of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. White, Fred Campbell Mosely of Lenoir County is made an honorary page of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake, Frank Arthur Daniels, III of Wake County is made an honorary page of the House.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Wake, Janet and Patricia Ann Womble, daughters of Representative and Mrs. Womble of Wake County, are made honorary pagettes of the House.
CONFERENCE REPORT

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

Your Conference Committee appointed on H. B. 1449 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to establish planning, zoning, building regulations, and subdivision regulations powers of the County of Cumberland for a described territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Fayetteville," have carefully considered the differences existing between the two Bodies and respectfully recommend as follows:

1. That Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 be deleted.
2. That the House concur in the other Senate amendments.

Respectfully submitted
/s/ Seavy A. Carroll
W. Lunsford Crew
Conferees for the Senate

/s/ Ed Kemp
Wilson F. Yarborough, Sr.
Ernest L. Hicks
Conferees for the House

On motion of Mr. Kemp the Conference Report is adopted.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
Wednesday, June 12, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate has adopted the report of the conferees on H. B. 1449 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to establish planning, zoning, building regulations, and subdivision regulations powers of the County of Cumberland for a described territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Fayetteville," to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of the House, you may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the above message the House having adopted a similar report, the bill is ordered enrolled.

CONFERENCE REPORT

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

The following conferees on the part of the Senate and the House, appointed to resolve the differences between the two bodies existing as to H. B. 950 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to prohibit the distribution
of automobile registration plates by persons selling automobile insurance,” beg leave to report that we have agreed as follows:

1. That the bill as amended by the Senate shall be further amended by inserting in the last paragraph of Section 1, after the word “vehicle” and before the word “continuously” the words “as a sub-agent.”

/s/ Thomas H. Woodard  
D. G. Bell  
Herbert Hardy  
W. C. Harris, Jr.  
A. A. Zollicoffer, Jr.  
Conferees on the part of the House of Representatives

Edwin S. Lanier  
Conferee on the part of the Senate

On motion of Mr. Woodard of Wilson the conference report is adopted.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on the Calendar are taken up and disposed of as follows:

S. B. 529, a bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 380, Private Laws of 1915, as amended, so as to extend the corporate limits of the City of Sanford.

Passes its third reading by the following vote and is ordered enrolled.


Those voting in the negative are: None.

H. R. 1441, a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the racial status of certain citizens in Warren, Halifax and adjoining counties.

On motion of Mr. Pittman consideration of the bill is postponed indefinitely.
ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. Satterfield, 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. R. 257. A Joint Resolution providing an appropriation to cover the expenses incident to the inaugural ceremonies of Governor Luther H. Hodges and other State Officials.


S. B. 8. An Act to make appropriations for capital improvements of state institutions, agencies and departments.

S. B. 9. An Act to make appropriations for the maintenance of the state's departments, bureaus, institutions, and agencies, and for other purposes.

S. B. 133. An Act to appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 to the Department of Archives and History to be used to aid in the acquisition of historic Bentonville Battleground in Johnston County.

S. B. 218. An Act to authorize the Governor and Council of State to allot from the contingency and emergency fund the sum of not to exceed ten thousand dollars ($10,000.00) annually to the Southern Appalachian Historical Association under certain conditions.

S. B. 239. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-249 relating to the limit that may be expended for the purchase of motor vehicles by the State of North Carolina.

S. B. 255. An Act to appropriate funds to the Garden Clubs of North Carolina, Incorporated, to be expended for certain needed equipment and maintenance of the Elizabethan Gardens in Dare County.

S. B. 373. An Act to amend Chapter 496 of the Public-Local Laws of 1909, relating to the Board of Trustees of The Daniel Boone Association.

S. B. 398. An Act appropriating funds for additions and betterments and for other purposes at the Governor Richard Caswell Memorial.

S. B. 406. An Act to authorize the State Personnel Director and Council to classify and set the salary ranges for positions covered by the State Personnel Act; to clarify responsibility for setting the number of allowable positions in each state agency.

S. B. 407. An Act to amend Chapter 45 of the General Statutes relating to mortgages held by insurance companies, banks, building and loan associations, or other lending institutions.

S. B. 442. An Act to amend General Statutes 15-199 relating to conditions of probation.

S. B. 490 An Act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to County Tuberculosis Hospitals.

S. B. 506. An Act amending General Statutes 7-127 so as to provide that a justice of the peace shall not regularly maintain an office outside the Township for which he has been elected or appointed.

S. B. 510. An Act to amend General Statutes 20-53 as the same applies to certifications to be made on foreign vehicles before registration in this state.

S. B. 532. An Act authorizing Davidson County Board of Education to subscribe for not more than ten thousand dollars of the capital stock of Pilot Waterline, Incorporated.


H. B. 619. An Act to establish the crime of racing, to provide punishment therefor, and to enable the enforcement of the racing laws.

H. B. 798. An Act to amend Chapter 366 of the Public-Local and Private Laws of 1939 relating to the salaries of the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Charlotte.

H. B. 1105. An Act to prescribe the method of operation and the disposition of the net proceeds from the operation of alcoholic beverage control stores in the event such stores shall be established in Lee County.

H. B. 1263. An Act to amend General Statutes 58-213 relating to exemption of the proceeds from group life insurance policies from liability for debts.

H. B. 1363. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cabarrus County to pay contributions to social security for a six months period with respect to law enforcement officers of the county.


H. B. 1421. An Act to prohibit the maintainance and use of haul nets on part of the Pungo Creek in Beaufort County.

H. B. 1436. An Act amending the Charter of the City of Winston-Salem fixing the time for the holding of general and primary elections for the election of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Winston-Salem.

H. B. 1437. An Act to amend Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1953 relating to the cost in Mayor's Court in the Town of Tabor City.

H. B. 1445. An Act to amend H. B. 1350 ratified the sixth day of June 1957, relating to the salary of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Guilford County.

S. R. 526. A Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the manner in which the Trustees of the Greater University of North Carolina are
selected and to make its report and recommendations to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

H. R. 1256. A Joint Resolution requesting the United States Department of the Interior to clarify and make specific the terms of its anti-baiting regulations on migratory waterfowl.

H. R. 1273. A Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to study public school finance and related problems and to report to the Governor, the General Assembly, and the people of the state.

H. R. 1276. A Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission to study and make recommendations for the adoption of a uniform map law for the State of North Carolina and to report its findings to the 1959 Session of the General Assembly.

H. R. 1370. A Joint Resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission to study and make recommendations to the Governor as to the necessity and advisability of a reorganization of the State Government in the interest of more efficient and economical administration of the same.

H. R. 1374. A Joint Resolution requesting the Board of Conservation and Development to emphasize the slogan "YEAR 'ROUND MID-SOUTH" in advertising the State of North Carolina.

H. R. 1413. A Joint Resolution authorizing and directing the Secretary of State to have printed two thousand five hundred copies of the public school laws enacted by the General Assembly of 1957, and providing that the distribution thereof be under the direction of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

H. R. 1430. A Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a Commission by the Governor for the purpose of making a study of the operations and licensing of nursing homes, convalescent homes, boarding homes and homes for the aged and submitting recommendations with respect to a revision of the laws governing the licensing and supervision of such homes.

H. R. 1434. A Joint Resolution creating a Commission of the North Carolina General Assembly to study problems of municipal government and to report its findings and recommendations to the 1959 Session thereof.

H. R. 1442. a Joint Resolution requesting the Committee of the North Carolina Bar Association on expediting and improving the administration of justice in North Carolina to make available to the 1959 General Assembly and report their recommendations with respect to the tenure, pay, work load and advisability of fulltime superior court solicitors.

H. R. 1446. A Joint Resolution commending the telephone operators for assistance rendered the membership of the 1957 General Assembly.


S. B. 123. An Act amending Sections 20-140 and 20-140.1 of the General Statutes relating to the penalty for reckless driving.
S. B. 151. An Act to provide for instruction and training for trainable mentally handicapped children.

S. B. 179. An Act to appropriate the sum of $33,950.00 to the Charles B. Aycock Memorial Commission to be used for the acquisition of land and for the restoration of the Charles B. Aycock birthplace.

S. B. 209. An Act to establish the North Carolina Stonewall Jackson Memorial Fund; to set forth the purpose for which such fund is to be established; to set up a board of trustees to administer the fund; to make an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars to said fund.


S. B. 322. An Act amending and dewatering certain Sections of Chapter 139 of the General Statutes relating to soil conservation districts.

S. B. 348. An Act to prohibit the discontinuance of school bus transportation by reason of the extension of the corporate limits of any municipality.

S. B. 360. An Act to appropriate the sum of forty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($42,500) to North Carolina State College to be expended in the establishment of a Department of Products Design in the School of Design.

S. B. 392. An Act regulating occupational licensing boards.


S. B. 437. An Act to provide for voluntary inspection of meat, meat products, and meat by-products.

S. B. 445. An Act to require justices of the peace to furnish bond for the faithful performance of their duties.

S. B. 447. An Act to amend General Statutes 106-284.9 relating to the sale of Irish potatoes and sweet potatoes and parts thereof offered for the purpose of propagation.

S. B. 448. An Act to amend General Statutes 7-70 relating to the terms of Superior Court of the several counties of the state.


S. B. 466. An Act to amend General Statutes 1-568.4(e) relating to pretrial examination of witnesses in civil actions in the Superior Court.

S. B. 468. An Act to provide for the allocation of funds appropriated for area vocational training schools.
S. B. 472. An Act to amend General Statutes 122-39 relating to the care and treatment of former residents of this state in the State Mental Hospitals.

S. B. 476. An Act relating to the game of bingo in the Town of White Lake in Bladen County.

S. B. 481. An Act to appropriate certain surplus revenues collected during the fiscal year 1957-58 to pay bond anticipation notes issued pursuant to the State Capital Improvement Bond Act of 1957.

S. B. 499. An Act to increase the salaries and expense allowances of solicitors.


S. B. 517. An Act to amend Chapter 1258 of the Session Laws of 1953 so as to make the Sheriff's Department the Custodian of the Law Enforcement Officers Relief Fund for the County of Northampton.

S. B. 534. An Act relating to the effective date of the Firemen's Pension Fund Act.


H. B. 211. An Act to amend Chapter 20 of the General Statutes of North Carolina to provide for payment of a subsistence allowance to members of the State Highway Patrol.

H. B. 213. An Act to increase the pensions of widows of confederate veterans and to increase the funeral allowance for confederate pensioners.


H. B. 293. An Act to amend the North Carolina General Statutes 7-104 by authorizing counties with more than 150,000 inhabitants to have additional substitute judges and other additional officers.

H. B. 331. An Act to appropriate funds for the restoration, repair, and maintenance of historic sites in the Town of Bath.

H. B. 454. An Act authorizing the Governor and Council of State to furnish volumes 4A and 4B of the General Statutes of North Carolina to the Justices of the Supreme Court, the Judges and Solicitors of the Superior Courts, the Supreme Court Library and other state officials and agencies.

H. B. 470. An Act relating to the distribution of Supreme Court Reports and Session Laws.

H. B. 589. An Act to prevent the forced withdrawal of state funds from official depositories of this state, when the rate of return on United States Government Securities exceeds the rates which official depositories are allowed to pay.
H. B. 601. An Act to appropriate funds for the restoration, repair, and maintenance of historic properties.

H. B. 614. An Act to amend Chapter 556 of the Session Laws of 1955 pertaining to salaries of certain officials in Randolph County.

H. B. 655. An Act to appropriate funds for the acquisition and restoration of historic properties.

H. B. 686. An Act to amend General Statutes 164-13 so as to authorize the General Statutes Commission to budget and expend funds made available for the commission.

H. B. 760. An Act to amend General Statutes 20-28 relating to unlawful operation of motor vehicle while driver's license is suspended or revoked.

H. B. 807. An Act appropriating funds for additions and betterments at a certain historic site.

H. B. 812. An Act to amend General Statutes 135-14 and General Statutes 135-18.2 so as to increase from $50 to $75 per month certain pensions paid certain retired teachers and minimum payments made to certain retired teachers and state employees, and to make an appropriation therefor.

H. B. 900. An Act appropriating the sum of one thousand two hundred and thirty-three dollars ($1,233.00) to Mrs. Edna Bonham Keeler to compensate her for an error made as to her rating as a public school teacher.

H. B. 919. An Act to amend Chapter 156 of the General Statutes relative to drainage districts.

H. B. 931. An Act to appropriate six thousand dollars ($6,000.00) to the Department of Conservation and Development for the purpose of replacing a walk at Lake Waccamaw in Columbus County.

H. B. 933. An Act to amend General Statutes 135-14 relating to pensions paid certain former teachers and state employees.

H. B. 938. An Act appropriating funds for additions and betterments at Town Creek Indian Mound State historic site in Montgomery County.

H. B. 948. An Act to provide an effective method for collecting taxes on personal property transferred by the listing taxpayer to another between the listing date and due date thereof.

H. B. 992. An Act appropriating $3,600 for additions and betterments at the house in the Horseshoe State historic site.

H. B. 1041. An Act to fix the compensation and expense allowance of Superior Court Judges.

H. B. 1045. An Act to rewrite General Statutes 7-456 relating to the salary of the executive secretary of Judicial Council and as to the performance of such duties as may be assigned to him by the Chief Justice in addition to his duties as secretary of the council.

H. B. 1106. An Act to restrict the right of the qualified voters of Lee County to determine whether beer and/or wine shall be legally sold in said county.

H. B. 1112. An Act creating a Firemen's Pension Fund.

H. B. 1153. An Act to make an appropriation to complete facilities at the state office building now under construction on the Old Soldiers' Home property.

H. B. 1159. An Act to insure perpetuation of the memory of General William C. Lee by the appropriation of forty thousand dollars to be used to aid in the erection of a suitable memorial to General Lee.

H. B. 1179. An Act to amend General Statutes 113-91 (d) and General Statutes 113-141 relating to powers of arrest without warrant.

H. B. 1188. An Act to amend General Statutes 113-3 and General Statutes 113-8 to provide for the development and protection of the navigable waters of the state; to create an effective system of flood control; to establish inland ports and safe harbors; to prevent shore erosion in all of its phases; to dredge small inlets and to utilize the navigable water resources of the state to the greater benefit of its citizens.

H. B. 1200. An Act to amend Article 13 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes relating to student loans for graduate students in sociology and psychology.

H. B. 1232. An Act to define the status of real estate held by the entirety upon the declaration and finding that one of the tenants by entirety is presumed to be dead as a person missing and unheard from within seven years.

H. B. 1233. An Act creating a Western North Carolina Regional Planning Commission and authorizing counties and municipalities to contribute to its support.

H. B. 1257. An Act to amend General Statutes 113-5 so as to increase the number of members of the Board of Conservation and Development from fifteen to eighteen.

H. B. 1272 An Act to amend the Laws concerning loan agencies and brokers.

H. B. 1286. An Act amending Article 4, Chapter 47 of the General Statutes so as to validate the registration of deeds, deeds of trust, mortgages, chattel mortgages, contracts and other instruments filed on a date preceding the date of the clerk's order of registration.

H. B. 1292. An Act to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes relating to pensions for certain public school superintendents and assistant superintendents.
H. B. 1298. An Act to amend General Statutes 120-33 relating to the compensation of employees of the General Assembly.

H. B. 1302. An Act amending General Statutes 116-120 so as to authorize the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton to eliminate the word "DEAF" from the name of said institution.

H. B. 1303. An Act amending General Statutes 116-105 so as to authorize the Board of Directors and the Superintendent of the State School for the Blind and the Deaf to change the name of said school to eliminate all reference to the handicap of the students attending said institution.

H. B. 1339. An Act to authorize the zoning of unincorporated areas in Perquimans County, North Carolina.

H. B. 1346. An Act for the better protection of migratory wild fowl in Currituck Sound and its tributaries, to enable the County of Currituck to cooperate with the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

H. B. 1348. An Act to amend General Statutes 14-135 so as to change the punishment for cutting timber belonging to someone else.

H. B. 1351. An Act appropriating twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500.00) from the Contingency and Emergency Fund for expenses incurred in a school bond case.

H. B. 1357. An Act to require county jailers to receive and retain prisoners brought to such county jail by law enforcement officers of this state.

H. B. 1364. An Act amending General Statutes 18-78 so as to give the State Board of Alcoholic Control the authority to approve the contents of malt beverage products to be sold in this state.

H. B. 1367. An Act to amend Chapter 7 of the General Statutes by inserting a new article immediately following Article 13 to be designated as Article 13A.

H. B. 1372. An Act to amend General Statutes 101-2 so as to permit the change of the name of a minor without the consent of a parent who has abandoned the minor.

H. B. 1379. An Act to amend General Statutes 53-122 relating to fees to be paid the Commissioner of Banks for making examinations of loan agencies or brokers.

H. B. 1386. An Act relating to the creation of life insurance trusts.


H. B. 1401. An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lenoir County to appropriate funds to purchase equipment for a voluntary fire department in the community of Deep Run in said County.

H. B. 1422. An Act amending Article 12, Chapter 18, of the General Statutes by adding a new section thereto to require all manufacturers, brewers, bottlers and other persons selling, soliciting orders for, delivering or distributing malt beverages for the purpose of resale to apply for and obtain permits from the State Board of Alcoholic Control.

H. B. 1425. An Act authorizing the Tryon Palace Commission to adopt certain emblems and obtain copyrights with respect thereto.

H. B. 1435. An Act to extend the planning and zoning powers of the Town of Elizabeth City and its governing body to the territory beyond and surrounding the corporate limits of the Town of Elizabeth City for a distance of one mile in all directions.

H. B. 1438. An Act to re-enact Chapter 251 of the Public-Local Laws of 1937 relating to civil jurisdiction of the County Recorder's Court of Columbus County.

H. B. 1448. An Act to increase the pay of the appointed members of the Jury Commission of Transylvania County.

H. B. 1451. An Act to authorize boards of county commissioners to postpone reassessment

S. B. 529. An Act amending Chapter 380, Private Laws of 1915, as amended, so as to extend the corporate limits of the City of Sanford.

H. B. 1449. An Act to establish planning, zoning, building regulations, and subdivision regulations powers of the County of Cumberland for a described territory beyond the corporate limits of the City of Fayetteville.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER
Wednesday, June 12, 1957

Mr. Speaker:

You are respectfully advised that the business of the Senate has been concluded and that Body will be ready to open the doors of the Senate immediately upon receipt of information from your Honorable Body that you are ready to open your doors, that the gavels may fall simultaneously and adjournment may be declared sine die.

Respectfully,
S. Ray Byerly, Principal Clerk

Pursuant to the information contained in the Senate message, the House of Representatives having completed the business before it, a message is ordered sent to the Senate informing that Honorable Body that the House stands ready for adjournment.
The doors of the House of Representatives and the Senate are thrown open, the President is perceived standing, ready to let fall the gavel, the hour for adjournment fixed by Joint Resolution and passed by the two Houses having arrived, the Speaker of the House of Representatives declares the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session 1957, adjourned sine die.

J. Kemp Doughton. Speaker
House of Representatives,
Session 1957

Annie E. Cooper, Principal Clerk
House of Representatives
Session 1957
AMOUNTS PAID MEMBERS, OFFICERS, AND EMPLOYEES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SESSION OF 1957

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**(Representative Womble of Forsyth paid for 106 days.)*

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INVENTORY OF OFFICE FURNITURE, FIXTURES
AND OTHER PROPERTY

In Principal Clerk's Office:

1 Executive desk
1 Flat top desk
2 Typist desks
2 Oak arm revolving chairs
1 Mahogany revolving chair
2 Typist chairs
1 Steele filing cabinet (4 drawers)
1 Goose neck lamp
1 Pencil sharpener
2 6x8 Shaw Walker card file
4 Bill files
1 Pair scissors
4 Desk pens and holders
3 Numbering machines
3 Dictionaries
Supply of rubber stamps, clip boards, wire letter trays, waste baskets, ink, ash trays and miscellaneous items of small office supplies.

In Journal Office:

4 Typist desks
4 Leather typist chairs
1 Small table
1 Large table
1 Costumer
1 Bowl and pitcher
Supply of miscellaneous supplies

In Engrossing Office:

1 Large desk - 3 drawers on each side
1 Typing chair - Green
9 Typewriter desks - 2 small drawers on one side
3 Desk lamps - attached to desks
1 Coat rack
Supply of stationery, supplies, etc.

In Committee Clerk's Office:

10 Desks
14 Typist desks
2 Tables - large
1 Bulletin Board
6 Desk lamps
2 Costumers
2 Floor lamps
7 Waste paper baskets
1 Pencil Sharpener
3 Staplers
1 Scissors
1 Desk pen set
8 Typist tables

In Sergeant-at-Arms Department:
1 Roll top desk (In rear lobby)
1 Desk lamp
1 Large table
1 Bookcase
3 Water coolers
3 Paper cup dispensers
2 Revolving desk chairs
106 Waste paper baskets
4 Costumers
78 Brass cuspidors and rubber mats
1 Flat top desk
1 Vacuum cleaner (New) Krako Convertible.

In Speaker's Office:
1 Executive desk
1 Typist desk
1 Leather arm chair
1 Leather typist chair
1 Set brass andirons and fender
1 4 way lamp
1 4 drawer steel file
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